Section Title: Finance, Assessments and Administration - *Payments*
Subject: Payments on Behalf of Persons with Mental Illness
Effective Date: June 11, 1970 - December 31, 2021

A. POLICY PURPOSE

If a worker or a worker's dependants are entitled to compensation benefits and the worker has a committee of his or her estate appointed under *The Mental Health Act*, the WCB will pay the benefits to the appointed committee.

However, when no committee has been appointed under *The Mental Health Act* and a worker or the worker's dependants are entitled to compensation benefits, benefits will continue to be paid to the worker or the worker's dependents.

B. REFERENCES

The Workers Compensation Act, Section 24(3.1)

The Mental Health Act

History:

1. Policy approved by the Board of Directors on June 11, 1970, effective immediately.
2. Minor formatting changes were made to the policy and a history section was added, June 27, 2012.
3. Minor formatting changes made to the policy February 2021.
4. Policy archived December 31, 2021.

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