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### **DWC Issues Notice of Public Hearing to Revise the RBRVS Physician Fee Schedule**

The Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) has issued a notice of public hearing to revise the recently adopted resource-based relative value scale (RBRVS) based physician fee schedule. The public hearing has been scheduled for 10 a.m., December 12, in Room 1 of the Elihu Harris Building, 1515 Clay Street, Oakland, CA 94612. Members of the public may also submit written comment on the regulations until 5 p.m. that day.

The RBRVS based physician fee schedule regulations (Title 8, Code of Regulations, Sections 9789.12.1, et seq.) were adopted by the Acting Administrative Director, and filed with the Secretary of State on September 24, 2013, and will be effective January 1, 2014. The proposed amendment to the RBRVS based physician fee schedule regulations eliminates use of the Federal Office of Workers' Compensation Program relative value units set forth in Sections 9789.12.3 and 9789.19.

The notice and text of the regulations can be found on the proposed regulations [page](#).

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