

This Xchanging Industry Forum is devoted to workers compensation with updates on the WorkCover and Comcare self-insurance sectors, initiatives driving return to work performance and legislative reform

Date 24th March 2014

Time 1.00 pm to 5.30 pm (afternoon

tea and post-event refreshments

included)

Location Xchanging

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Cost No charge

RSVP by 11th March 2014, to

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FORUM SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

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ANDREW MCGARITY Manager, NSW Fire and Rescue

COMCARE REPRESENTATIVE (TBA)

For more information on our speakers, please see the attached Speaker Profiles

1.00 pm to 2.30 pm - Pre-forum Workshop

This session is for those contemplating self-insurance. Speakers will present on factors to consider when assessing:

- recent developments and choice of Scheme
- financial viability of moving to self-insurance
- WHS implications
- required skill base to support a high performance workers' compensation model
- self-insurance licence and legislative obligations

2.30 pm - Afternoon Tea

3.00 pm to 5.30 pm - Main Forum; information sharing across the self-insured sector

This session is for those looking to improve workers' compensation performance, consider options and ensure legislative compliance. Speakers will present on a range of topics:

- measuring the success of your self- insurance program
- legal implications, advice and positioning to prevent disputes
- case studies which demonstrate what can be done and what must be done in regards to WHS
- identifying claims at risk of becoming costly and of long duration
- techniques to simplify processes before investing in technology or outsourcing solutions
- case study to demonstrate Xchanging's use of technology to improve response time

5.30 pm - Post-forum drinks and networking