The Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) Transition to Electronic Payments—What Stakeholders Receiving Paper Checks Need to Know

Starting September 30, 2025, the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) will no longer issue paper checks for benefit payments.

On March 25, 2025, the President of the United States issued Executive Order (EO) 14247, Modernizing Payments To and From America's Bank Account – The White House. The EO declared that continued use of paper-based payments by the Federal Government "imposes unnecessary costs; delays; and risks of fraud, lost payments, theft, and inefficiencies." The EO imposes a September 30, 2025, deadline to transition all paper checks to electronic payments.

Note: It is important that you act quickly so that your payments can continue without interruption.

Claimants

If you are not currently set up to receive electronic payments, then you are required to complete and submit the Standard Form (SF) 1199A "Direct Deposit Sign Up" to receive payments electronically. You can access the SF1199A Direct Deposit Sign-Up Form at this website: https://www.fiscal.treasury.gov/files/forms/form-1199a.pdf.

Please submit a completed SF1199A Direct Deposit Sign Up Form to receive your Division of Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation (DEEOIC) medical reimbursement payments electronically by taking the following steps:

- Fill out the form completely, including signature and date, and add your DEEOIC case number.
- Submit the form to DEEOIC by uploading the form to DEEOIC's Energy Document Portal (EDP) at https://eclaimant.dol.gov. Submitting via EDP is fast, secure and efficient.

Or complete and send via Mail to:

DEEOIC

P.O. BOX 8306 London, KY 40742-8306

Providers

Providers who are not enrolled in EFT must immediately complete and submit an ACH enrollment form to change payment method. The ACH form can be obtained on the WCMBP Portal at https://owcpmed.dol.gov/ then by clicking on the Resources tab and selecting Forms and References. The completed form can be submitted via fax at 888-444-5335 or by mail to Provider Enrollment, PO Box 8312 London, KY 40742-8312.

Please make sure to include your OWCP Provider ID in all correspondence. Providers registered on the portal can log in and submit a modification by clicking on the maintain provider information hyperlink. Failure to comply will result in non-payment.