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I. Introduction

Pursuant to Section 14 of Public Act 05-275, codified as Connecticut General Statute Section 38a-395, the Connecticut Insurance Department (the "Department") hereby submits its 2009 annual report to the General Assembly. The report summarizes the Connecticut medical malpractice liability closed claim data received by the Department for the fourth quarter of 2005 and calendar years 2006, 2007, and 2008. In addition, it provides a summary of rate filing activity for 2008, premium information by medical provider specialty for 2008 and industry calendar year experience for 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008. Copies of prior year reports are available on the Department's website at www.ct.gov/cid/.

II. Background

The Connecticut legislature passed Public Act 05-275 (the "Act") in 2005. This Act, among other things, required that after January 1, 2006 each insurer "that insures a physician, surgeon, hospital, advanced practice registered nurse or physician assistant against professional liability" provide the Insurance Commissioner with a closed claim report on a quarterly basis. For purposes of closed claim reporting, an "insurer" includes captives and self-insured entities or persons. In 2007, the legislature passed Public Act 07-25 which expanded the definition of medical specialties for which closed claim reporting was required. The expanded reporting, effective October 1, 2007, requires submission of closed claims for all "medical professionals and hospitals". The definition of "medical professional" has the same meaning as provided in Section 38a-976 of the Connecticut General Statutes (CGS). The details of the requirements for the claim information to be reported are provided in Section 38a-395 of the CGS, Sub-section (c) and a copy of 38a-395 as revised in 2007 is attached as Appendix 4.

The individual closed claim data collected by the Department, as required by 38a-395, is kept confidential and is not subject to public record requests. As a result, this report summarizes data in order to maintain the confidentiality of the individual claim information filed by each reporting entity.

III. Data Collection

During 2008, Department staff, in conjunction with the University of Connecticut's Department of Computer Science and Engineering, developed a new data reporting application. This secured web-based application, which became operational for fourth quarter and year-end 2008 reporting, allows users to submit closed claim information directly to the Department's website. This new reporting tool will enhance the quality and timeliness of the data and has received positive feedback from reporting entities. Closed claim data for the first three quarters of 2008 were submitted using the Department's previous software application.

The required closed claim data elements are submitted to the Department on a quarterly basis. Closed claim reports are due by the 10th of the month following the last month of each quarter. In addition to the closed claim data, the Department also captures annual calendar year premium and loss information as required in the statute. Information on rate filing activity was compiled from the Department's files.

We received data from 77 insuring entities, which included 27 admitted insurance companies, 20 surplus lines insurers, 4 risk retention groups (RRG's) and 26 hospitals or hospital groups that are either self-insured or insured with a captive. While there are still some delays in providing the closed claim information, compliance with the data submission requirements by insurers was generally good. As was the case last year, some of the risk retention groups continue to assert that the Federal Liability Risk Retention Act provides them an exemption from having to report claim data to Connecticut or any other state. Fortunately, most of the RRG's have relatively small market shares, with the exception of MCIC Vermont, Inc. (MCIC), which is now the leading writer of medical malpractice liability insurance in the state. MCIC, although continuing to assert the exemption, agreed to supply summarized claim information to the Department again this year.

Since the publication of last year's report, we have received additional closed claim data from a number of entities that were unable to meet the prior year's filing deadline. In addition, we uncovered a number of data errors as part of our reasonability checking process. As a result of these additional submissions and data corrections, there were an additional 48 claims reported as closing in calendar year 2007 that were not included in last year's report. As such, any comparisons of this year's report to last year's published report will be distorted.

IV. Description of Analysis

A claim is a demand for compensation due to alleged malpractice of a health care provider or facility as defined in the Act. For the purposes of this report, and based on general practice, when an insurer opens a file and begins to investigate the circumstances of a demand for compensation, a claim has occurred, whether or not a lawsuit is ever filed. When the file is closed, even when the claimant receives no payment, the claim must be reported and counted as a closed claim.

In this report, two primary pieces of claim data are analyzed:

- **Paid indemnity:** The amount of compensation paid to a claimant or plaintiff on behalf of each defendant.
- **Allocated Loss Adjustment Expenses (ALAE):** These are expenses associated with defending the case. They are comprised of payments to defense counsel for legal services, and other expenses incurred by

the insuring entity to handle a specific claim, such as investigations or fees for expert witnesses.

In this analysis, as displayed on the reports in Appendix 1, we organized and summarized the data to reflect the types of medical malpractice claims, the age and size of these claims and the type of insurer. For purposes of this report, we define Commercial Insurer ("Commercial Insurer") to include admitted insurers and surplus lines carriers. Also, experience for captives, RRG's and self-insurers (captives/self-insurers) was combined. Readers of this report should keep in mind that when comparing the four years displayed in the closed claim exhibits that there is only one quarter of data in 2005 and four quarters in 2006, 2007 and 2008.

This third annual report contains more data for our analysis of medical malpractice claims in Connecticut. Although we now have thirteen quarters of claim data, the overall statistical credibility of the data is still somewhat limited and therefore, caution should be exercised in drawing any definitive conclusions at this time. Subsequent annual reports will continue to add more data, eventually allowing trends to emerge and the opportunity for additional detail in the analysis.

Appendix 2 also includes an exhibit (Report 12) displaying full calendar year premiums and losses for 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008. It should be noted that the losses displayed in Report 12 are not comparable to the closed claim data provided in the reports in Appendix 1. The paid losses in Report 12 include partial payments on claims that are still open and the incurred losses include reserve estimates on open cases. The Appendix 1 reports include only payments on claims that have reached final closure.

In Appendix 3, we have provided annual financial statement data from the National Association of Commissioners (NAIC) database. For calendar years 2007 and 2008 we have displayed premium, loss, expense and investment income data individually for the top 15 insurers writing medical malpractice insurance in Connecticut. In addition, we have provided similar data for all companies combined for calendar years 2001 – 2008. These exhibits do not include data for captives or self-insurers, but do include RRG's.

V. Limitations of Analysis

The loss analysis is based entirely on historical closed claim data. That is, claims are reported to us and included in this analysis based on the quarter and year in which they reach a final outcome and all payments had been made. Some arose from fairly recent medical incidents, but most arose from incidents that occurred a number of years ago.

The Department has relied on the accuracy of the data submitted by the various insuring entities. Other than checking the claim data for reasonability, the Department has not attempted to verify or audit the accuracy of the submitted information directly with the reporting entities. As such, the quality of the analysis is dependent on the accuracy of the data submitted by the insurers and self-insurers.

This report is not intended to be used to evaluate past or current medical malpractice liability insurance rates.

VI. Key Findings

While the data is limited in that it only includes claims closed in thirteen calendar quarters, there are some observations that can be made from an analysis of the claim information. Greater detail is provided in Section VII which provides the narrative describing the reports and charts in Appendix 1.

- **Total Claims:** A total of 2,202 closed claims were reported for the thirteen quarters included in the reporting period. Commercial Insurers reported more than half of the claims, or 1,176. Captives/self-insurers reported 1026 claims.
- Indemnity Payments: Indemnity payments include all compensation paid to claimants or plaintiffs. A majority of medical malpractice claims resulted in no indemnity payments. A little over half (53%) of the claims, 1,159, had no indemnity payments, while the remainder, 1,043, closed with an indemnity payment. The total amount paid to claimants was \$696.1 million, an average of \$667,418 for those claims with an indemnity payment. The payments include amounts for both economic and non-economic damages. Slightly more claims were reported as closed in 2008 compared to 2007 and the average indemnity payment increased from approximately \$607,000 in 2007 to \$698,000 in 2008.
- **Defense Counsel Payments:** Over half of the claims closed with no payments to claimants, yet 80%, or 1,757, generated legal expenses to defend the claim. These expenses totaled \$91.7 million, an average of \$52,171 per claim. Of these, over half (900) were for incidents that had no payments to claimants, averaging \$37,869 for legal expenses. Legal defense costs continued to increase year over year from an average of approximately \$56,000 last year to \$59,000 in 2008.
- Indemnity Payments and Size of Claims: There was a large increase in 2008 of the number of claims over \$1 million in size. There were 75 new claims reported, compared to the 100 that had been reported for the first nine quarters of data submissions through last year end. These million dollar plus claims represent 16.8% of all claims with indemnity payments, yet represent losses totaling \$494.8 million or 71% of all indemnity payments.
- Indemnity Payments and Age of Claim: The amount paid to claimants increased with the age of the claim. Of the 1,043 claims that closed with an indemnity payment, 120 closed within one year of being reported and had an average paid indemnity of \$124,000. That average figure rose to \$286,634 for 131 claims closing in their second year, and to \$681,914 for 236 claims closing in their third year. The 159 claims that closed between 60 and 90 months from being reported averaged \$1,139,772.

- **Defense Counsel Payments and Age of Claim:** Defense counsel payments also increased with the age of claim, starting with an average of \$3,841 for claims that closed in their first year, and rising to \$13,088 and \$40,385 for claims in their second and third years, respectively. For claims closing five or more years after being reported, the average was \$102,397.
- Claim Outcomes: Of the 2,202 reported claims, 1,043 were resolved in favor of the claimant or plaintiff. Of the claims resolved in favor of the claimant or plaintiff, 97.5% were settled, with 93.4% settled before trial began. The remaining 1,159 claims were resolved in favor of the defendant. Of the claims resolved in favor of the defendant, 89.0% were settled, with 86.3% of those settled before trial began.

VII. Detailed Findings

This discussion corresponds to the reports and charts attached as Appendix 1. The reader is encouraged to review those exhibits for full details.

Claims by Insurer (Reports 1, 2 and 3)

Of the total of 2,202 claims, 1,043, or 47% had indemnity payments to a claimant at an average value of \$667,418. While Commercial Insurers reported a greater number of claims in total, captives/self-insurers actually had more claims with indemnity payments (547 to 496). This disparity occurs because captives/self-insurers had a greater proportion of their claims with indemnity payments (53% versus 42%). However, the average claim size continues to be much greater for Commercial Insurers; \$795,431 versus \$551,342 for captives/self-insurers. Slightly more claims were reported as closing in 2008 compared to 2007 and the average indemnity payment increased from approximately \$607,000 in 2007 to \$698,000 in 2008, reversing the decrease seen last year. The increase in average values was seen for both Commercial Insurers and captives/self-insurers.

Of the total 2,202 claims, approximately four out of five had payments to defense counsel. There was little difference between Commercial Insurers and captives/self-insurers in the proportion of claims with legal defense costs. For the thirteen quarters of data combined, Commercial Insurers average legal expenses were higher per claim (approximately \$55,000 versus \$49,000) than captives/self-insurers. However, for 2008 claims, captives/self-insurers showed a significant increase in average payments over 2007 and in comparison to Commercial Insurers. Legal defense costs in 2008 increased over 2007 from an average of approximately \$56,000 to \$59,000, driven entirely by the increase for captives/self-insurers.

When other ALAE are included with defense counsel payments, the total of \$111.5 million represents the amount expended to defend and investigate claims. This represents approximately 16% of the total indemnity payments and is the same percentage as in last year's report. Commercial Insurers expended a higher percentage (17.2% versus 14.5%) than captives/self-insurers. Although the other ALAE dollars expended in 2008 increased

over 2007, the percentages decreased when compared to much higher indemnity payments in the most recent year.

Claims by Size (Reports 4 and 5)

Of the total 2,202 claims, 1,043 had indemnity payments. The distribution of these claims by size is shown on Report 4 and on Charts 4-1 and 4-2. Of the 1,043 claims, 175, or 16.8% of claims with indemnity payments, were for amounts greater than \$1 million. In 2008 we received 75 new claims that were greater than \$1 million. This was a significant increase over the 100 such claims that had been reported during previous submissions through the end of 2007. Indemnity payments for these claims totaled \$494.8 million, or 71% of the total payments for all claim sizes. Claims greater than \$500,000, but less than \$1 million represented another 151 claims (14.5%) with \$109.7 million of payments. Thus, the 326 claims greater than \$500,000 represent approximately 31% of the claims, but 87% of the total paid indemnity.

On the other hand, almost two fifths of legal defense costs (37.2%) are expended to defend claims where there are no indemnity payments. The distribution of the defense counsel payments by size of loss is shown on Report 5 and Chart 5-1. Legal defense costs for the \$1 million and above claims represent 22.4 % of the total. And, the average amount of defense costs per claim generally increases as the claims get larger.

Age of Claim (Report 6)

These exhibits display claims by age at the time of closing from both report date and injury date and provide the average length of time to closure. The majority of claims with indemnity payments, almost 60%, closed between two and five years of being reported. Overall, it took a little less than three and one half years from the report date to close claims with indemnity payments. The time from the date of incident to closure was slightly less than five years, which suggests claims are reported roughly 15 months after injury. Average payments increased as the claim aged, with claims closing after five years averaging approximately \$1.2 million per claim. The distribution of claims and payments by age can be seen on Report 6, Part 2 and Charts 6-1 and 6-2.

The older the age of the claim, the more likely it was to have legal costs to defend the claim. Of the claims that closed within one year, 40% had defense counsel payments. For claims closing after five years, the percentage rises to 96%. As with indemnity costs, the average legal cost associated with a claim increased as the claim aged. Claims closed in the first year averaged legal costs of \$3,841 while those closing five or more years after being reported averaged \$102,397. The distribution of defense counsel payments by age of claim are displayed on Report 6, Part 3 and Chart 6-3. Report 6, Part 4 displays data from injury date to report date and Report 6, Part 5 shows data from injury date to date of final closure. In Report 6, Part 5 we note that over 40% of claims with an indemnity payment take at least 5 years from date of injury to finally close.

Severity of Injury (Report 7)

Of the 2,202 claims reported as closed, 288, or 28% were due to the death of the injured party, with average paid indemnity of \$1,006,673. Injuries identified as either "major permanent" or "grave permanent" had average paid indemnity of \$2,015,987, which was approximately three times the overall average indemnity payment. These types of claims include quadriplegia and brain damage cases, requiring lifelong dependent care. These 112 severe "permanent injury" claims, when combined with the death cases, comprise 74% of the total indemnity payments. The average payments by injury type are shown on Report 7, Part 1 and Chart 7-1.

Likewise, the average legal costs associated with the 112 most serious non-death claims were significantly higher than the overall average. For those claims, 101 of which had defense counsel costs, the average was \$112,390 compared to \$67,190 for all claims with defense counsel costs. The average legal costs by injury type are displayed on Report 7, Part 2 and Chart 7-2. For claims where no indemnity payment was made, approximately 78% had defense counsel payments that averaged \$37,869. However, for the most serious non-death permanent injury claims, 96% required legal defense at an average cost of \$79,954. Details of legal costs for these claims by injury type are displayed on Report 7, Part 3 and Chart 7-3.

Claims by Physician Specialty (Report 8)

These exhibits show the medical provider specialties for which claims were reported that had indemnity payments. Hospitals-General had the most claims followed by the Physicians-Other category. The majority (over 89%) of the Hospital claims were reported by the captives/self-insurers, while Commercial Insurers reported the most in the Physicians-other category.

The average paid indemnity amounts vary significantly by specialty and are often distorted by one or two large claims. For the Hospitals-General category, which had almost 50% of the claims, the average indemnity payment was \$664,879, or slightly lower than the overall average. The anesthesiology and gynecology/OB-GYN specialties had the highest average claim sizes of approximately \$1.1 million. In reviewing the Report 8 exhibits, the reader should be aware that thirteen quarters of data is not sufficient to properly measure differences in claim costs by specialty. As additional years of data are gathered, these exhibits will become more statistically reliable.

In addition to claim information, Report 8, Part 2 also displays base premiums by medical provider specialty for Commercial Insurers. For purposes of this report, base premiums are defined as the manual premium before the application of increased limits factors or experience debits and credits. Base premiums were not available from the captives/self-insurers.

Claims by Outcome (Report 9)

Reporting entities were asked to indicate the method of final disposition for each closed claim:

- Of the 2,202 closed claims, 53% resulted in no payment to the plaintiff. Of these, 89% were settled and virtually all cases were resolved either before litigation began (33.0%) or before trial (53.3%). Claims closed before a lawsuit was filed tended to be less serious and closed within approximately two and one half years of the incident date on average. Of the claims that were not settled, the average time to final resolution was 22 months longer than for settled cases.
- The remaining 47% of closed claims resulted in indemnity payments to the plaintiff. Of these, 97.5% were settled, with most of those being settled before trial. Only 26 of the 1,043 claims were the result of court judgments for the plaintiff.
- Of the cases resolved by trial, only 17% resulted in payments to the plaintiff. For cases that were settled, 50% resulted in payments to the plaintiff.
- For claims where indemnity was paid, the average value for settled cases was \$613,212 with additional expenses for total ALAE of \$64,210 per claim. For cases that had court dispositions, the average payment was \$2.8 million with \$209,276 of ALAE per claim.
- The "average severity of injury rating" column measures the seriousness of the claim by averaging the severity rating (e.g., a death claim is a 9, a grave permanent claim is an 8, and so on) for the claims in each category. This simply shows that the less serious claims, whether settled in favor of the plaintiff or the defendant, are the ones closed before litigation.

Claim Reserves (Report 10)

These exhibits display combined final indemnity and all ALAE payments with the initial and final reserves for those claims. The reserve amounts represent the insurer's best estimate at two points in time of what they believe the ultimate payment will be when the claim finally closes. A comparison of the initial reserves to the final payments shows that the first estimates were approximately 240% understated. Although the Commercial Insurers tend to have a larger understatement of the initial reserves, they are not significantly different from the captives/self-insurers.

The final reserve amounts were much closer to the final payments. They were overstated by roughly 5%, with Commercial Insurers somewhat lower at an approximate 3% overestimate, and captives/self-insurers at 7%. While these values represent averages for all thirteen quarters of data combined, it should be noted that although there were overstatements for claims closed in 2006 and 2007, those closed in 2008 had payments slightly greater than the final reserves. These differences in the estimates versus the final payments highlight the difficulty all insurers have in accurately assessing what the ultimate payout will be for a particular claim. This is especially true in the early stages of claim development when details related to the incident are still incomplete.

Economic and Non-Economic Damages (Report 11)

Reporting entities were asked to split the final indemnity payment into economic and non-economic damages. Economic damages are usually defined as objectively verifiable

monetary losses such as medical expenses, loss of earnings, burial costs, etc. Non-economic damages typically refer to subjective non-monetary losses such as pain, suffering, inconvenience, emotional distress, etc. For slightly over one half of the cases, or 556, insurers failed to provide this split in the reported data as they indicated that such information was not available in the final settlement.

For the claims where the split was provided, approximately 64% of the payments were for non-economic damages. The average value of the claims in Report 11 was \$712,269, or approximately 7% higher than the overall average for all claims with indemnity payments. This suggests that there may be a somewhat higher share of larger claims in this sample. Commercial Insurers provided the split on 60% of the claims reported and 63% of those payments were for non-economic damages. Captives/self-insurers provided the split on only 34% of reported claims and had about the same proportion allocated to non-economic damages at 65%.

VIII. Rate Filings and Industry Calendar Year Data

Rate Filings for Professional Liability

There were no rate filings received by the Department during 2008 for physicians and surgeons, hospitals, advanced practice registered nurses or physician assistants.

Calendar Year Premium and Losses (Appendix 2, Report 12)

Report 12 displays calendar year earned premium and losses for 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008 separately for Commercial Insurers, captives (including RRG's) and self-insurers. This information is compiled from data submissions provided by insuring entities that responded to the data call. As such, it includes data from captives and self insurers that are not included in the industry data in Appendix 3. It should be noted that the paid losses included in this report are not directly comparable to the amounts shown in the closed claim reports in Appendix 1. The paid losses in Report 12 include partial payments on claims that are still open. It should also be noted that the incurred losses in Report 12 do not include reserves for incurred but not reported (IBNR) claims.

While only four years of data is not enough to determine long term trends, we do observe that relatively more business was written by captives and self-insurers in 2007 and 2008. And, written premium volume for the Commercial Insurers has declined steadily since 2005.

Industry Data from the NAIC (Appendix 3)

In Appendix 3, we display industry data compiled from annual financial statements provided to the NAIC by all companies writing medical malpractice business in Connecticut. Data is included for licensed companies, surplus lines companies and risk retention groups, but excludes captives. It also includes data from companies that write

business for medical provider specialties (e.g., chiropractors or psychiatrists) that were not included in the Connecticut-specific data call until the fourth quarter of 2007.

The first four exhibits provide historical industry premium, loss and expense experience from 2001 to 2008. Exhibit 1 displays experience for all companies combined and also includes profitability ratios from the NAIC Report on Profitability by Line by State (Profitability Report). Ratios are shown separately for underwriting profit (premiums less losses and expenses as a percent of earned premium) and profit on the insurance transaction (underwriting profit plus investment earnings less federal income taxes as a percent of earned premium). These results show that after two very bad years in 2001 and 2002, the industry was profitable through 2006 and then experienced a 3.4% loss on the insurance transaction in 2007. While the profitability report is not yet available for 2008, the improvement in the incurred loss ratios for 2008 suggests that results are likely to be better than 2007.

Exhibits 2, 3 and 4 provide the same experience, without the profitability information, separately for licensed companies, surplus lines companies, and risk retention groups. The improving loss ratio for 2008 is largely a result of reserve take downs by the surplus lines companies, and to a lesser extent, the RRG's. Experience for the licensed companies also showed improvement over 2007, but to a lesser extent.

Exhibits 5 and 6 provide premium, loss and expense experience for 2007 and 2008 separately for the top fifteen writers in 2008. Overall, written premiums declined slightly (less than 1%) from 2007 to 2008. The market is concentrated with 92% of the premium written by the top 15 insurers and 70% by the top three. MCIC, VT, Inc., an RRG covering several hospitals in Connecticut has taken over as the largest writer, followed by ProSelect Insurance Company and Connecticut Medical Insurance Company. Non-admitted carriers (i.e., surplus lines and RRG's) are writing approximately 40% of the business in 2008 which is an increase in their market share over what it has been for the last six years.

In addition, we have provided Exhibit 7 which displays investment income for 2007 and 2008 for the 15 leading insurers in the state. Combined, these companies write 92% of the statewide premium. These investment earnings are not specific to medical malpractice insurance or to policies written just in Connecticut as they are derived from all assets held by the companies. They also reflect total earnings for all insurance companies in a group, not just the company writing business in Connecticut. For the three leading writers combined, investment earnings for 2008 declined approximately 21% from 2007, reflective of the difficulties in the financial markets last year.

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Appendix 1

Closed Claim Analysis Reports

Indemnity Payments All Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payment	Number of Claims without Indemnity Payment	Total Indemnity Payments	Avgerage Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
2005	208	106	102	\$60,879,766	\$574,337
2006	714	317	397	\$229,840,071	\$725,048
2007	636	300	336	\$181,992,707	\$606,642
2008	644	320	324	\$223,404,915	\$698,140
Total	2202	1043	1159	\$696.117.459	\$667.418

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Indemnity Payments Commercial Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payment	Number of Claims without Indemnity Payment	Total Indemnity Payments	Avgerage Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
2005	105	48	57	\$37,734,786	\$786,141
2006	365	162	203	\$140,088,394	\$864,743
2007	362	150	212	\$105,179,414	\$701,196
2008	344	136	208	\$111,530,947	\$820,080
Total	1176	496	680	\$394,533,541	\$795,431

(6)=(5)/(3)

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Indemnity Payments Captives and Self Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payment	Number of Claims without Indemnity Payment	Total Indemnity Payments	Avgerage Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
2005	103	58	45	\$23,144,980	\$399,051
2006	349	155	194	\$89,751,677	\$579,043
2007	274	150	124	\$76,813,293	\$512,089
2008	300	184	116	\$111,873,968	\$608,011
Total	1026	547	479	\$301,583,918	\$551,342

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Defense Counsel Payments All Insurers



	Total Number of Closed	Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel Only		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel and Indemnity Payments	
Year	Claims	Number of Claims	Total Payment	Number of Claims	AveragePayment	Number of Claims	Average Payment
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
2005	208	161	\$7,487,384	80	\$33,701	81	\$59,152
2006	714	591	\$26,560,157	323	\$27,741	268	\$65,671
2007	636	519	\$29,123,912	265	\$44,893	254	\$67,824
2008	644	486	\$28,492,505	232	\$45,384	254	\$70,722
Total	2202	1757	\$91.663.958	900	\$37.869	857	\$67.190

(3)=(5)+(7)

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Defense Counsel Payments Commercial Insurers



Total Number of Closed		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel Only		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel and Indemnity Payments	
Year (1)	Claims (2)	Number of Claims (3)	Total Payment	Number of Claims (5)	AveragePayment (6)	Number of Claims	Average Payment (8)
2005	105	89	\$3,819,601	46	\$26,765	43	\$60,195
2006	365	304	\$16,980,763	158	\$39,581	146	\$73,472
2007	362	304	\$17,833,136	167	\$44,265	137	\$76,210
2008	344	269	\$14,215,366	147	\$42,118	122	\$65,770
Total	1176	966	\$52,848,866	518	\$40,673	448	\$70,938

(3)=(5)+(7)

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Defense Counsel Payments Captives and Self Insurers



	Total Number of Closed	r Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel Only		Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel and Indemnity Payments	
Year (1)	Claims (2)	Number of Claims (3)	Total Payment (4)	Number of Claims (5)	AveragePayment (6)	Number of Claims (7)	Average Payment (8)
2005	103	72	\$3,667,783	34	\$43,085	38	\$57,971
2006	349	287	\$9,579,394	165	\$16,403	122	\$56,335
2007	274	215	\$11,290,776	98	\$45,962	117	\$58,004
2008	300	217	\$14,277,139	85	\$51,032	132	\$75,299
Total	1026	791	\$38.815.092	382	\$34.066	409	\$63.085

(3)=(5)+(7)

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Allocated Loss Adjustment Expenses (ALAE) as a Percent of Indemnity Payments All Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Total Number of Closed Claims with ALAE	Total Indemnity Payments	Total Payment to Defense Counsel	Total Payment to Other ALAE	Total ALAE Payments as a Percent of Total Indemnity
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
2005	208	168	\$60,879,766	\$7,487,384	\$1,475,183	14.7%
2006	714	617	\$229,840,071	\$26,560,157	\$5,323,075	13.9%
2007	636	549	\$181,992,707	\$29,123,912	\$5,509,973	19.0%
2008	644	517	\$223,404,915	\$28,492,505	\$7,546,526	16.1%
Total	2202	1851	\$696,117,459	\$91,663,958	\$19,854,757	16.0%

(7)=(5)+(6)/(4)

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Allocated Loss Adjustment Expenses (ALAE) as a Percent of Indemnity Payments Commercial Insurers



Year (1)	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Closed Claims with ALAE	Total Indemnity Payments (4)	Total Payment to Defense Counsel	Total Payment to other ALAE	Total ALAE Payments as a Percent of Total Indemnity
2005	105	90	\$37,734,786	\$3,819,601	\$1,130,143	13.1%
2006	365	322	\$140,088,394	\$16,980,763	\$4,642,696	15.4%
2007	362	324	\$105,179,414	\$17,833,136	\$4,592,021	21.3%
2008	344	287	\$111,530,947	\$14,215,366	\$4,641,467	16.9%
Total	1176	1023	\$394,533,541	\$52,848,866	\$15,006,327	17.2%

(7)=(5)+(6)/(4)

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Allocated Loss Adjusment Expenses (ALAE) as a Percent of Indemnity Payments Captives and Self Insurers



Year (1)	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Closed Claims with ALAE	Total Indemnity Payments (4)	Total Payment to Defense Counsel	Total Payment to other ALAE	Total ALAE Payments as a Percent of Total Indemnity
2005	103	78	\$23,144,980	\$3,667,783	\$345,040	17.3%
2006	349	295	\$89,751,677	\$9,579,394	\$680,379	11.4%
2007	274	225	\$76,813,293	\$11,290,776	\$917,952	15.9%
2008	300	230	\$111,873,968	\$14,277,139	\$2,905,059	15.4%
Total	1026	828	\$301,583,918	\$38,815,092	\$4,848,430	14.5%

(7)=(5)+(6)/(4)

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Indemnity Payments for Claims All Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Indemnity Payment	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments (2)	Percent of Claims with Indemnity Payments (3)	Total Indemnity Payments (4)	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims (5)	Percent of Total Indemnity Payments (6)
\$1 - \$99,999	404	38.7%	\$13,849,531	\$34,281	2.0%
\$100,000 - \$199,999	126	12.1%	\$17,063,034	\$135,421	2.5%
\$200,000 - \$299,999	70	6.7%	\$16,510,791	\$235,868	2.4%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	66	6.3%	\$22,049,775	\$334,088	3.2%
\$400,000 - \$499,999	51	4.9%	\$22,155,917	\$434,430	3.2%
\$500,000 - \$599,999	33	3.2%	\$17,020,000	\$515,758	2.4%
\$600,000 - \$699,999	27	2.6%	\$17,175,370	\$636,125	2.5%
\$700,000 - \$799,999	35	3.4%	\$26,100,718	\$745,735	3.7%
\$800,000 - \$899,999	32	3.1%	\$26,747,500	\$835,859	3.8%
\$900,000 - \$999,999	24	2.3%	\$22,608,738	\$942,031	3.2%
\$1,000,000 and Over	175	16.8%	\$494,836,085	\$2,827,635	71.1%
Total	1043	100.0%	\$696,117,459	\$667,418	100.0%

(3)=(2) for each range/(2) total

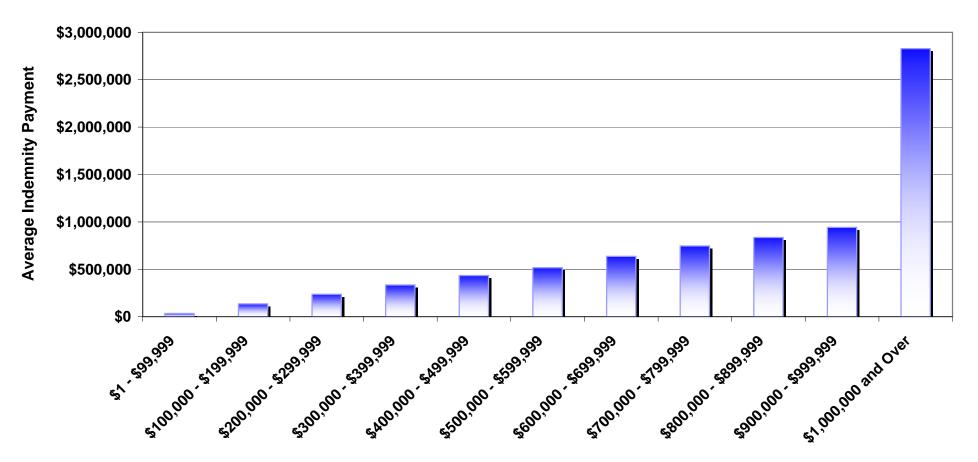
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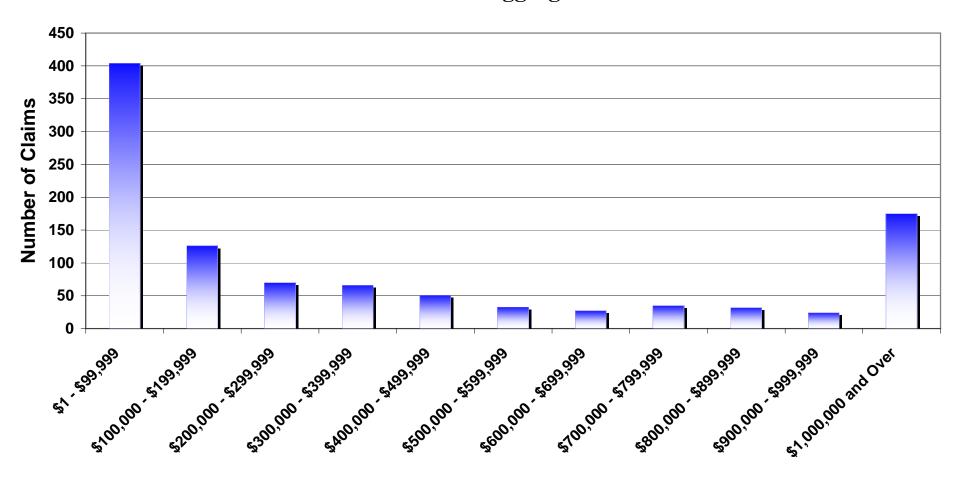
Average Indemnity Payment by Indemnity Payment Size 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Indemnity Payment Size



Number of Claims by Indemnity Payment Size 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Indemnity Payment Size

Defense Counsel Payments by Indemnity Payment All Insurers





Indemnity Payment	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Payments to Defense Counsel	Total Payment to Defense Counsel	Average Payment to Defense Counsel	Percent of Total Payments to Defense Counsel
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
\$0	1159	900	\$34,082,137	\$37,869	37.2%
\$1 - \$99,999	404	263	\$8,812,297	\$33,507	9.6%
\$100,000 - \$199,999	126	114	\$6,728,864	\$59,025	7.3%
\$200,000 - \$299,999	70	61	\$3,242,724	\$53,159	3.5%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	66	62	\$3,797,705	\$61,253	4.1%
\$400,000 - \$499,999	51	47	\$2,691,836	\$57,273	2.9%
\$500,000 - \$599,999	33	33	\$2,718,868	\$82,390	3.0%
\$600,000 - \$699,999	27	26	\$2,401,885	\$92,380	2.6%
\$700,000 - \$799,999	35	33	\$2,479,589	\$75,139	2.7%
\$800,000 - \$899,999	32	31	\$2,373,369	\$76,560	2.6%
\$900,000 - \$999,999	24	24	\$1,792,020	\$74,668	2.0%
\$1,000,000 and Over	175	163	\$20,542,664	\$126,029	22.4%
Total	2202	1757	\$91,663,958	\$52,171	100.0%

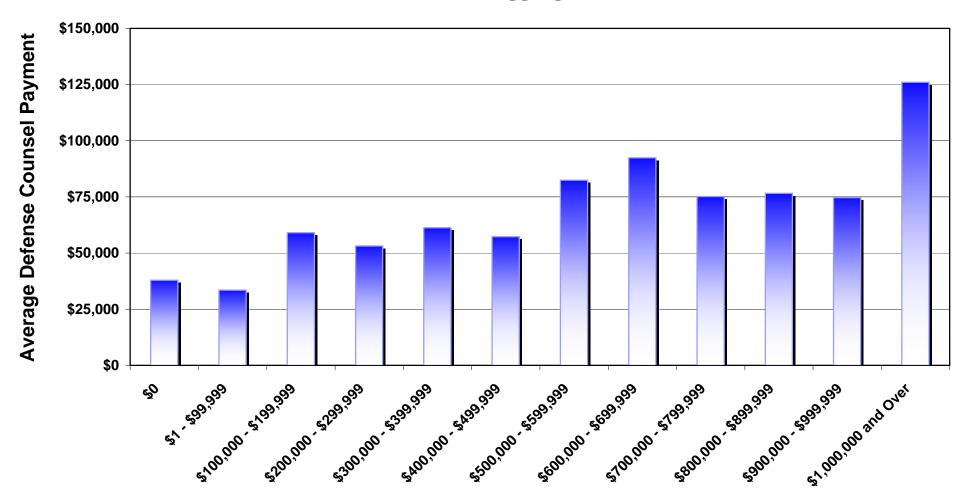
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Average Payment to Defense Counsel by Indemnity Payment Size 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Indemnity Payment Size

Length of Claims from Report Date to Closure Date Claims

All Insurers





Report to Closure Date	Total Number of Closed Claims	Percent of Total Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Percent of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Number of Claims with Defense Counsel Payments	Percent of Claims with Defense Counsel Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
0 - 6 Months	210	9.5%	60	5.8%	71	4.0%
6 - 12 Months	179	8.1%	60	5.8%	86	4.9%
12 - 18 Months	171	7.8%	62	5.9%	114	6.5%
18 - 24 Months	204	9.3%	69	6.6%	165	9.4%
24 - 36 Months	464	21.1%	236	22.6%	402	22.9%
36 - 60 Months	634	28.8%	369	35.4%	593	33.8%
60 - 90 Months	275	12.5%	159	15.2%	262	14.9%
90 - 120 Months	49	2.2%	22	2.1%	48	2.7%
120 Months and Over	16	0.7%	6	0.6%	16	0.9%
Total	2202	100.0%	1043	100.0%	1757	100.0%
Average Length of Claims 3.05 YEARS		3.41 YEARS		3.46 YEARS		

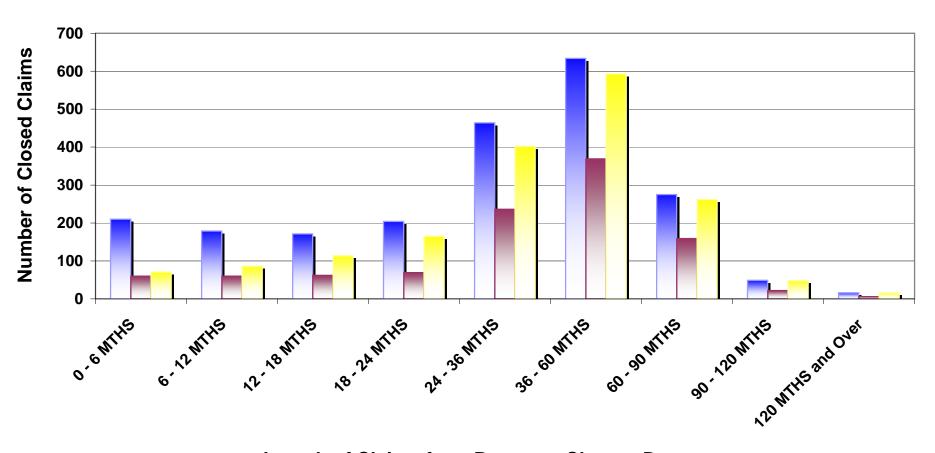
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(7)=(6) for each range/(6) total



Length of Claims From Report to Closure Date 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Length of Claims from Report to Closure Date

Length of Claims from Report Date to Closure Date Indemnity Payments
All Insurers



2005 - 2008 Aggregate

Report Date to Closure Date	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Paid Ratio	Total Indemnity Payments (5)	Percent of Total Indemnity Payments (6)	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims
0 - 6 Months	210	60	28.6%	\$1,783,247	0.3%	\$29,721
6 - 12 Months	179	60	33.5%	\$13,096,833	1.9%	\$218,281
12 - 18 Months	171	62	36.3%	\$17,219,022	2.5%	\$277,726
18 - 24 Months	204	69	33.8%	\$20,330,034	2.9%	\$294,638
24 - 36 Months	464	236	50.9%	\$160,931,757	23.1%	\$681,914
36 - 60 Months	634	369	58.2%	\$259,187,043	37.2%	\$702,404
60 - 90 Months	275	159	57.8%	\$181,223,723	26.0%	\$1,139,772
90 - 120 Months	49	22	44.9%	\$25,195,800	3.6%	\$1,145,264
120 Months and Over	16	6	37.5%	\$17,150,000	2.5%	\$2,858,333
Total	2202	1043	47.4%	\$696,117,459	100.0%	\$667,418

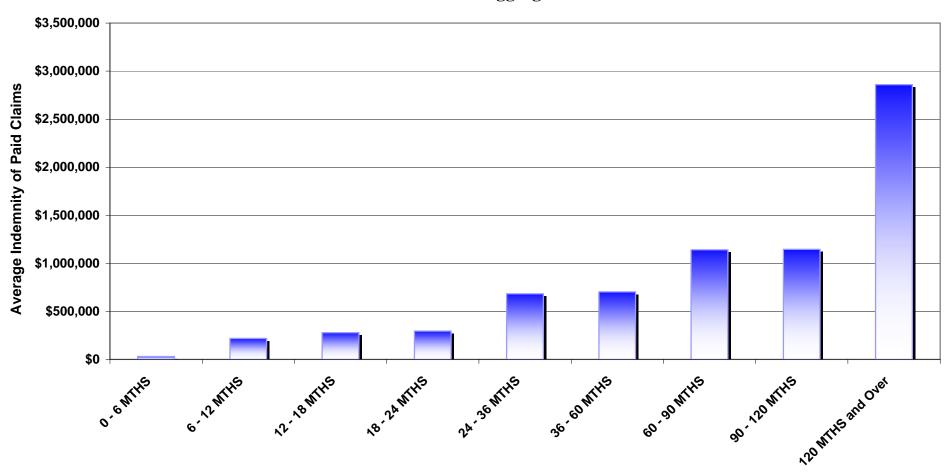
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(6)=(5) for each range/(5) total

(7)=(5)/(3)



Length of Claims From Report to Closure Date Average Indemnity of Paid Claims 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Length of Claims from Report to Closure Date

Length of Claims from Report Date to Closure Date Defense Counsel Payments All Insurers



2005 - 2008 Aggregate

Report Date to Closure Date	Total Number of Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Defense Counsel Payments	Paid Ratio	Total Defense Counsel Payments	Percent of Total Defense Counsel Payments	Average Defense Counsel Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
0 - 6 Months	210	71	33.8%	\$236,098	0.3%	\$3,325
6 - 12 Months	179	86	48.0%	\$367,009	0.4%	\$4,268
12 - 18 Months	171	114	66.7%	\$1,268,458	1.4%	\$11,127
18 - 24 Months	204	165	80.9%	\$2,383,132	2.6%	\$14,443
24 - 36 Months	464	402	86.6%	\$16,234,939	17.7%	\$40,385
36 - 60 Months	634	593	93.5%	\$37,792,925	41.2%	\$63,732
60 - 90 Months	275	262	95.3%	\$24,533,864	26.8%	\$93,641
90 - 120 Months	49	48	98.0%	\$5,763,834	6.3%	\$120,080
120 Months and Over	16	16	100.0%	\$3,083,699	3.4%	\$192,731
Total	2202	1757	79.8%	\$91,663,958	100.0%	\$52,171

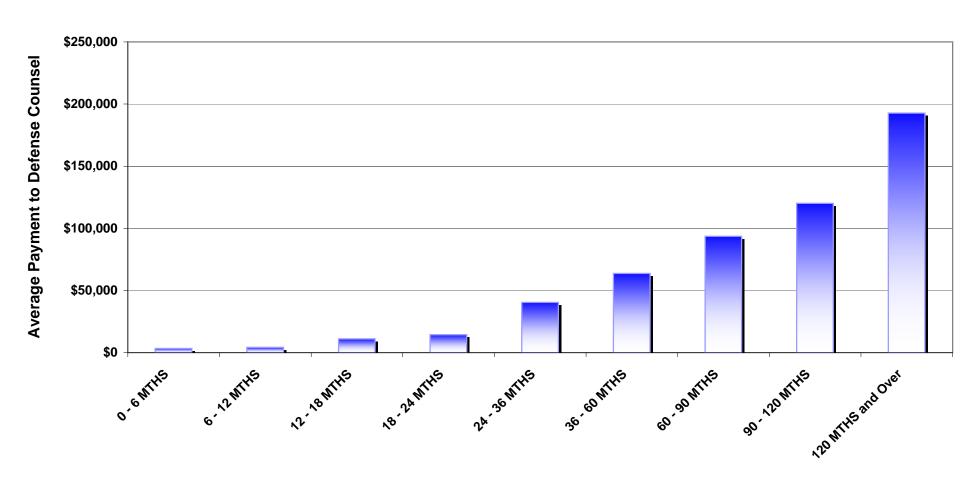
(4)=(3)/(2)

(6)=(5) for each range/(5) total

(7)=(5)/(3)



Length of Claims From Report to Closure Date Average Payment to Defense Counsel 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Length of Claims from Report to Closure Date

Length of Claims from Injury Date to Report Date Claims

All Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Report 6 - Part 4

Injury Date to Report Date	Total Number of Closed Claims	Percent of Total Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Percent of Claims with Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
0 - 6 MTHS	736	33.4%	392	37.6%
6 - 12 MTHS	246	11.2%	116	11.1%
12 - 18 MTHS	215	9.8%	118	11.3%
18 - 24 MTHS	372	16.9%	172	16.5%
24 - 36 MTHS	476	21.6%	187	17.9%
36 - 60 MTHS	104	4.7%	42	4.0%
60 - 90 MTHS	34	1.5%	11	1.1%
90 - 120 MTHS	10	0.5%	3	0.3%
Over 120 MTHS	9	0.4%	2	0.2%
Total	2202	100.0%	1043	100.0%
Average Length of Claims 1.46 YEARS			1.28 Y	EARS

(3)=(2) for each range/(2) total (5)=(4) for each range/(4) total

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Length of Claims from Injury Date to Closure Date Claims

All Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Injury Date to Closure Date	Total Number of Closed Claims	Percent of Total Closed Claims	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Percent of Claims with Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
0 - 6 MTHS	37	1.7%	21	2.0%
6 - 12 MTHS	81	3.7%	36	3.5%
12 - 18 MTHS	101	4.6%	30	2.9%
18 - 24 MTHS	123	5.6% 45		4.3%
24 - 36 MTHS	341	15.5%	124	11.9%
36 - 60 MTHS	690	31.3%	362	34.7%
60 - 90 MTHS	616	28.0%	323	31.0%
90 - 120 MTHS	161	7.3%	81	7.8%
Over 120 MTHS	52	2.4%	21	2.0%
Total	2202	100.0%	1043	100.0%
Average Lengt	th of Claims 4.52	4.69 \	'EARS	

(3)=(2) for each range/(2) total

(5)=(4) for each range/(4) total

Indemnity Payments by Severity of Injury All Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Severity of Injury	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Percent of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Total Indemnity Payments	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims	Percent ot Total Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Emotional Only	35	3.4%	\$7,528,847	\$215,110	1.1%
Insignificant Temporary	77	7.4%	\$1,831,188	\$23,782	0.3%
Minor Temporary	167	16.0%	\$13,089,711	\$78,382	1.9%
Major Temporary	117	11.2%	\$57,638,190	\$492,634	8.3%
Minor Permanent	122	11.7%	\$26,306,628	\$215,628	3.8%
Significant Permanent	125	12.0%	\$74,010,596	\$592,085	10.6%
Major Permanent	72	6.9%	\$145,078,826	\$2,014,984	20.8%
Grave Permanent	40	3.8%	\$80,711,659	\$2,017,791	11.6%
Death	288	27.6%	\$289,921,814	\$1,006,673	41.6%
Total	1043	100.0%	\$696,117,459	\$667,418	100.0%

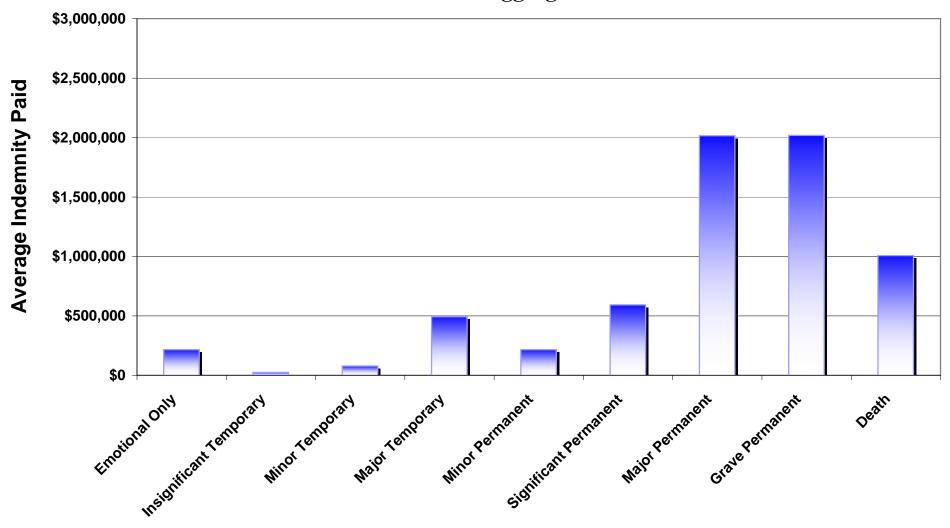
(3)=(2) for each category/(2) total

(5)=(4)/(2)

(6)=(4) for each category/(4) total



Average Indemnity Paid by Severity of Injury 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Injury Severity

Defense Counsel Payments by Severity of Injury Claims with Indemnity Payments All Insurers SERVICE DEPARTMENT

2005 - 2008 Aggregate

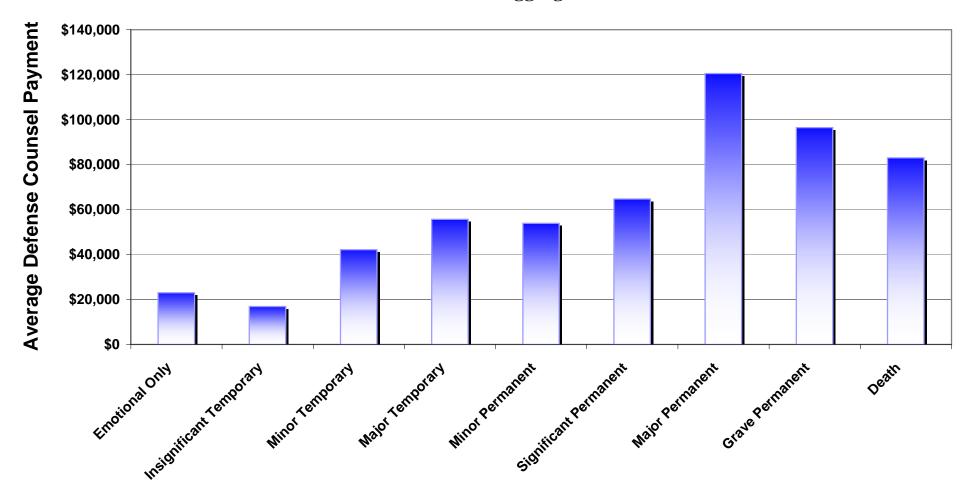
Severity of Injury	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Number of Claims with Indemnity and Defense Counsel Payments	Total Payment to Defense Counsel for Claims in (3)	Average Payment to Defense Counsel for Claims in (3)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Emotional Only	35	23	\$529,287	\$23,012
Insignificant Temporary	77	46	\$777,479	\$16,902
Minor Temporary	167	109	\$4,593,960	\$42,146
Major Temporary	117	86	\$4,785,443	\$55,645
Minor Permanent	122	109	\$5,875,528	\$53,904
Significant Permanent	125	116	\$7,504,555	\$64,694
Major Permanent	72	67	\$8,073,330	\$120,497
Grave Permanent	40	34	\$3,278,079	\$96,414
Death	288	267	\$22,164,159	\$83,012
Total	1043	857	\$57,581,820	\$67,190

(5)=(4)/(3)

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Average Payment to Defense Counsel by Severity of Injury Claims with Indemnity Payment 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Injury Severity

Defense Counsel Payments by Severity of Injury Claims without Indemnity Payments All Insurers



2005 - 2008 Aggregate

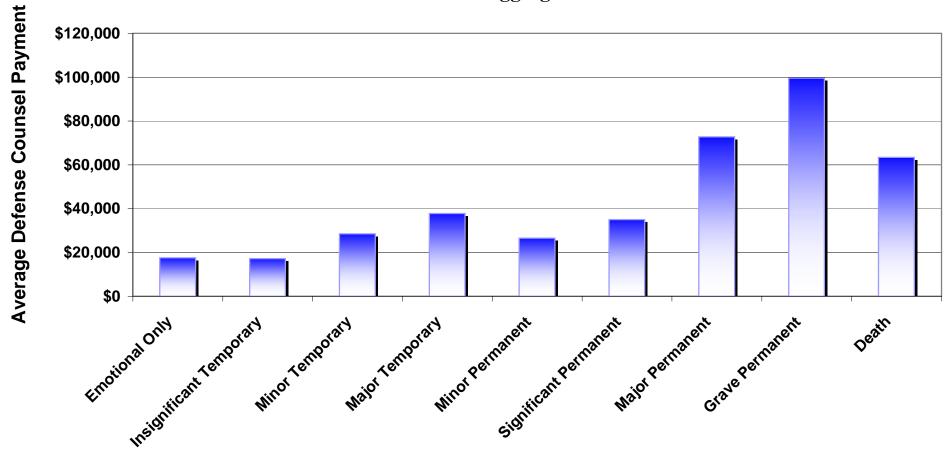
Severity of Injury	Number of Claims without Indemnity Payments	Number of Claims with Payment to Defense Counsel only	Total Payment to Defense Counsel for Claims in (3)	Average Payment to Defense Counsel for Claims in (3)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Emotional Only	123	89	\$1,562,329	\$17,554
Insignificant Temporary	138	101	\$1,736,692	\$17,195
Minor Temporary	275	162	\$4,612,673	\$28,473
Major Temporary	106	90	\$3,400,824	\$37,787
Minor Permanent	116	99	\$2,622,343	\$26,488
Significant Permanent	140	131	\$4,580,855	\$34,968
Major Permanent	50	49	\$3,565,125	\$72,758
Grave Permanent	20	18	\$1,791,782	\$99,543
Death	191	161	\$10,209,516	\$63,413
Total	1159	900	\$34,082,139	\$37,869

(5)=(4)/(3)

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Average Payment to Defense Counsel by Severity of Injury Claims Without Indemnity Payment 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Injury Severity

Indemnity Payments by Type of Medical Provider Specialty All Insurers



2005 - 2008 Aggregate

Medical Provider Specialty	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Total Indemnity Payments	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Anesthesiology	21	\$23,924,166	\$1,139,246
APRN/RN	14	\$8,170,685	\$583,620
Chiropractor	5	\$287,000	\$57,400
Dentist	57	\$4,105,314	\$72,023
Emergency Services/Call Center/Ambulance Service	18	\$11,265,866	\$625,881
Freestanding Surgical Center/Rehab Hospital	6	\$231,500	\$38,583
Gynecology/OB-GYN	66	\$71,824,305	\$1,088,247
Hospital - General	488	\$324,461,089	\$664,879
Hospital - Others	35	\$23,069,500	\$659,129
Medical Group/Other Corporate Group Practice	21	\$18,867,406	\$898,448
Orthopedics	30	\$11,955,618	\$398,521
Physician - Family/Pediatric/General Practice	29	\$15,876,250	\$547,457
Physicians - Others	215	\$162,109,929	\$754,000
Physicians Assistant	4	\$1,852,800	\$463,200
Psychiatry	4	\$2,970,000	\$742,500
Radiology/Imaging Center	23	\$11,022,090	\$479,221
Other	7	\$4,123,941	\$589,134
Total	1043	\$696,117,459	\$667,418

(4)=(3)/(2)

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Indemnity Payments by Type of Medical Provider Specialty Commercial Insurers 2005 - 2008 Aggregate for Claim Data



Medical Provider Specialty (1)	Base Premium 2008 (2)	Number of Medical Providers in 2008	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments (4)	Total Indemnity Payments (5)	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims	Percent of Indemnity Payments
Anesthesiology	\$347,891	196	12	\$18,066,666	\$1,505,556	4.56%
APRN/RN	\$8,328,326	18056	10	\$6,725,685	\$672,569	1.70%
Chiropractor	\$1,614,001	2556	5	\$287,000	\$57,400	0.07%
Dentist	\$4,288,907	2547	55	\$3,972,814	\$72,233	1.00%
Emergency Services/Call Center/Ambulance Service	\$2,609,544	66	11	\$4,873,366	\$443,033	1.23%
Freestanding Surgical Center/Rehab Hospital	\$2,219,654	40	5	\$116,000	\$23,200	0.03%
Gynecology/OB-GYN	\$8,110,187	118	55	\$68,740,291	\$1,249,823	17.36%
Hospital - General	\$9,048,366	21	53	\$86,871,649	\$1,639,088	21.93%
Hospital - Others	\$1,235,102	74	14	\$11,391,500	\$813,679	2.88%
Medical Group/Other Corporate Group Practice	\$2,593,544	1703	11	\$12,387,406	\$1,126,128	3.13%
Orthopedics	\$1,532,230	226	25	\$10,520,618	\$420,825	2.66%
Physician - Family/Pediatric/General Practice	\$5,856,017	382	27	\$14,751,250	\$546,343	3.72%
Physicians - Others	\$34,726,668	3760	183	\$139,663,505	\$763,189	35.26%
Physicians Assistant	\$288,388	177	3	\$1,162,800	\$387,600	0.29%
Psychiatry	\$1,741,440	616	4	\$2,970,000	\$742,500	0.75%
Radiology/Imaging Center	\$3,743,724	255	18	\$7,917,050	\$439,836	2.00%
Other	\$4,401,110	7851	5	\$4,115,941	\$823,188	1.04%
Tota	al \$92,685,099	38,644	496	\$394,533,541	\$795,431	100%

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Indemnity Payments by Type of Medical Provider Specialty Captives and Self-Insurers





Medical Provider Specialty	Number of Claims with Indemnity Payments	Total Indemnity Payments	Average Indemnity of Paid Claims	Percent of Indemnity Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Anesthesiology	9	\$5,857,500	\$650,833	1.94%
APRN/RN	4	\$1,445,000	\$361,250	0.48%
Dentist	2	\$132,500	\$66,250	0.04%
Emergency Services/Call Center/Ambulance Service	7	\$6,392,500	\$913,214	2.12%
Freestanding Surgical Center/Rehab Hospital	1	\$115,500	\$115,500	0.04%
Gynecology/OB-GYN	11	\$3,084,014	\$280,365	1.02%
Hospital - General	435	\$237,589,440	\$546,183	78.78%
Hospital - Others	21	\$11,678,000	\$556,095	3.87%
Medical Group/Other Corporate Group Practice	10	\$6,480,000	\$648,000	2.15%
Orthopedics	5	\$1,435,000	\$287,000	0.48%
Physician - Family/Pediatric/General Practice	2	\$1,125,000	\$562,500	0.37%
Physicians - Others	32	\$22,446,424	\$701,451	7.44%
Physicians Assistant	1	\$690,000	\$690,000	0.23%
Radiology/Imaging Center	5	\$3,105,040	\$621,008	1.03%
Other	2	\$8,000	\$4,000	0.00%
Total	547	\$301,583,918	\$551,342	100.00%

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Disposition of Claims

All Insurers 2005 - 2008 Aggregate



	Claim Reports		Average	e Months		Average paid	
Disposition	Number	Percent	Incident to Report	Incident to Disposition	Average Severity of Injury Rating	Indemnity	ALAE
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
In Favor of Plaintiff							
Claims Settled Before Litigation	184	17.6%	8	24	4	\$145,697	\$9,000
Claims Settled Before Trial	791	75.8%	17	62	6	\$651,594	\$70,877
Claims Settled During Trial	26	2.5%	26	78	6	\$1,745,327	\$170,194
Claims Settled After Trial	16	1.5%	15	88	6	\$2,252,456	\$197,254
Total Settled	1017	97.5%	15	56	6	\$613,212	\$64,210
Judgment for Plaintiff	24	2.3%	15	67	6	\$2,865,850	\$201,517
Judgment for Plaintiff On Appeal	2	0.2%	15	111	6	\$1,850,000	\$302,387
Total Court Dispositions	26	2.5%	15	70	6	\$2,787,708	\$209,276
Total	1043	100.0%	15	56	6	\$667,418	\$67,826
In Favor of Defendant							
Claims Closed Before Litigation	383	33.0%	11	29	4		\$5,341
Claims Closed Before Trial	618	53.3%	24	62	5		\$37,855
Claims Closed During Trial	5	0.4%	24	73	4		\$44,321
Claims Closed After Trial	26	2.2%	24	71	6		\$41,722
Total Settled	1032	89.0%	19	50	5		\$25,917
Judgment for Defendant	109	9.4%	20	68	6		\$101,022
Judgment for Defendant On Appeal	18	1.6%	22	97	7		\$167,698
Total Court Dispositions	127	11.0%	20	72	6		\$110,472
Total	1159	100.0%	20	53	5		\$35,182

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⁽³⁾⁼⁽²⁾ for each category/(2) total

^{(6) -} average severity ratings range from 1 to 9, with 9 the most serious

Reserves All Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Payments	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
2005	208	\$20,517,931	\$98,644	\$68,757,665	\$330,566	\$69,842,333	\$335,780
2006	714	\$67,592,968	\$94,668	\$268,839,078	\$376,525	\$261,723,303	\$366,559
2007	636	\$76,135,889	\$119,711	\$253,212,935	\$398,134	\$216,626,592	\$340,608
2008	644	\$73,568,288	\$114,236	\$257,974,785	\$400,582	\$259,443,946	\$402,863
Total	2202	\$237,815,076	\$108,000	\$848,784,463	\$385,461	\$807,636,174	\$366,774

(4)=(3)/(2)

(6)=(5)/(2)

(8)=(7)/(2)

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Reserves

Commercial Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Payments	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
2005	105	\$13,491,095	\$128,487	\$45,466,241	\$433,012	\$42,684,530	\$406,519
2006	365	\$32,235,294	\$88,316	\$169,913,410	\$465,516	\$161,711,853	\$443,046
2007	362	\$43,951,913	\$121,414	\$147,209,509	\$406,656	\$127,604,571	\$352,499
2008	344	\$37,298,615	\$108,426	\$115,016,874	\$334,351	\$130,387,780	\$379,034
Total	1176	\$126,976,917	\$107,974	\$477,606,034	\$406,128	\$462,388,734	\$393,188

(4)=(3)/(2)

(6)=(5)/(2)

(8)=(7)/(2)

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Reserves Captives and Self-Insurers



Year	Total Number of Closed Claims	Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Reserves	Final Indemnity and Expense Payments	Average Final Indemnity and Expense Payments
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
2005	103	\$7,026,836	\$68,222	\$23,291,424	\$226,130	\$27,157,803	\$263,668
2006	349	\$35,357,674	\$101,311	\$98,925,668	\$283,455	\$100,011,450	\$286,566
2007	274	\$32,183,976	\$117,460	\$106,003,426	\$386,874	\$89,022,021	\$324,898
2008	300	\$36,269,673	\$120,899	\$142,957,911	\$476,526	\$129,056,166	\$430,187
Total	1026	\$110,838,159	\$108,029	\$371,178,429	\$361,772	\$345,247,440	\$336,498

(4)=(3)/(2)

(6)=(5)/(2)

(8)=(7)/(2)

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Yearly Information Report All Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Year	Number of Closed Claims	Total Indemnity Payments	Economic Damages	Non-Economic Damages
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2005	32	\$5,341,400	\$743,570	\$4,597,830
2006	168	\$118,193,293	\$32,825,535	\$85,367,758
2007	130	\$92,239,119	\$38,800,975	\$53,438,144
2008	157	\$131,101,119	\$27,501,026	\$77,500,093
Total	487	\$346,874,931	\$99,871,106	\$220,903,825

(1) Includes only those claims for which the insurer provided a split of Economic vs. Non-Economic Damages

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2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Year	Number of Closed Claims	Total Indemnity Payments	Economic Damages	Non-Economic Damages	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
2005	19	\$4,341,000	\$738,570	\$3,602,430	
2006	112	\$94,225,660	\$28,156,882	\$66,068,778	
2007	91	\$69,791,850	\$27,235,741	\$42,556,109	
2008	78	\$86,800,681	\$12,061,604	\$48,639,077	
Total	300	\$255,159,191	\$68,192,797	\$160,866,394	

(1) Includes only those claims for which the insurer provided a split of Economic vs. Non-Economic Damages

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Yearly Information Report Captives and Self-Insurers

2005 - 2008 Aggregate



Year	Number of Closed Claims	umber of Closed Claims Total Indemnity Payments E		Non-Economic Damages
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
2005	13	\$1,000,400	\$5,000	\$995,400
2006	56	\$23,967,633	\$4,668,653	\$19,298,980
2007	39	\$22,447,269	\$11,565,234	\$10,882,035
2008	79	\$44,300,438	\$15,439,422	\$28,861,016
Total	187	\$91,715,740	\$31,678,309	\$60,037,431

(1) Includes only those claims for which the insurer provided a split of Economic vs. Non-Economic Damages

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Calendar Year Premium and Losses for 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008

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Type		Earned Premium	Paid Losses	Incurred Losses
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
2005				
Commercial Insurers		\$173,848,054	\$130,546,853	\$125,230,867
Captives		\$131,495,884	\$55,016,295	\$89,976,069
Self Insurers		\$28,247,020	\$22,140,731	\$30,131,098
	Totals	\$333,590,958	\$207,703,879	\$245,338,034
2006				
Commercial Insurers		\$168,694,762	\$134,152,740	\$117,357,537
Captives		\$127,381,279	\$74,023,759	\$134,915,087
Self Insurers		\$26,811,080	\$25,618,694	\$19,192,267
	Totals	\$322,887,121	\$233,795,193	\$271,464,891
<u>2007</u>				
Commercial Insurers		\$148,312,080	\$123,188,803	\$150,329,334
Captives		\$131,640,684	\$81,433,554	\$172,354,695
Self Insurers		\$33,796,526	\$30,424,981	\$34,299,362
	Totals	\$313,749,290	\$235,047,338	\$356,983,391
2008				
Commercial Insurers		\$133,552,209	\$106,599,061	\$57,628,489
Captives		\$167,586,101	\$188,914,211	\$185,497,920
Self Insurers		\$35,916,119	\$20,446,873	\$36,061,111
	Totals	\$337,054,429	\$315,960,145	\$279,187,520

⁽³⁾ and (4) include all ALAE

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⁽⁴⁾ does not include Incurred but not Reported (IBNR) reserves

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Insurance Industry Financial Data

Medical Malpractice

Data from NAIC I-SITE P&C Summary by Line of Business

Total Connecticut Medical Malpractice Market

(Including Excess and Surplus Lines Companies and Risk Retention Groups)

					Defense & Cost Containment		Commission	
	Premium	Direct Losses	Premium	Direct Losses	Expenses		and Brokerage	
Year	Written	Paid	Earned	Incurred	Incurred	Dividends	Expense	Taxes and Fees
2001	\$129,792,918	\$138,799,513	\$120,543,321	\$185,544,402	16,775,442	\$4,261,106	\$8,119,990	\$2,958,373
2002	\$158,923,275	\$132,707,944	\$173,876,942	\$209,323,420	42,218,183	\$2,216,693	\$9,906,005	\$4,097,027
2003	\$225,338,363	\$146,144,629	\$211,487,853	\$147,817,730	32,149,585	\$118,651	\$12,065,957	\$4,211,801
2004	\$225,677,066	\$121,984,350	\$221,117,278	\$125,938,599	32,199,115	\$90,253	\$12,206,430	\$5,634,756
2005	\$246,228,681	\$159,021,753	\$229,590,170	\$184,177,257	45,409,315	\$113,153	\$13,173,602	\$5,341,091
2006	\$222,510,593	\$158,896,289	\$224,464,853	\$150,796,675	36,634,700	\$125,823	\$12,424,585	\$5,211,385
2007	\$214,716,085	\$132,509,436	\$217,533,314	\$205,503,250	31,810,332	\$162,344	\$12,176,027	\$4,856,024
2008	\$213,015,705	\$160,376,736	\$211,548,606	\$77,779,627	27,348,583	\$328,355	\$13,496,213	\$5,141,297

Profitability - Total Connecticut Medical Malpractice Market (Including Excess and Surplus Lines Companies)

		ne Connecticut Si ncial Annual Sta	Figures reported in the NAI Profitability Report*		
Year	Loss Ratio	Defense and Adjustment Costs	Other Underwriting Expenses	Underwriting Profit	Profit on Insurance Transactions
2001	153.9%	13.9%	12.7%	-99.0%	-36.2%
2002	120.4%	24.3%	9.3%	-69.6%	-29.8%
2003	69.9%	15.2%	7.8%	-4.4%	13.4%
2004	57.0%	14.6%	8.1%	10.0%	22.2%
2005	80.2%	19.8%	8.1%	-21.6%	1.8%
2006	67.2%	16.3%	7.9%	-6.1%	13.6%
2007	94.5%	14.6%	7.9%	-32.1%	-3.4%
2008	36.8%	12.9%	9.0%	N/A	N/A

National Association of Insurance Comissioners, Report on Profitability by Line by State, annual volumes from 2001 to 2007

Medical Malpractice Data from NAIC I-SITE P&C Summary by Line of Business Licensed Companies in Connecticut Medical Malpractice Market

	Premium	Direct Losses	Premium	Direct Losses	Defense & Cost Containment Expenses		Commission and Brokerage	Taxes and
Year	Written	Paid	Earned	Incurred	Incurred	Dividends	Expense	Fees
2001	\$102,203,863	\$116,705,913	\$96,074,631	\$167,127,968	\$14,133,321	\$4,189,153	\$7,496,316	\$2,055,478
2002	\$100,606,998	\$114,478,127	\$124,680,010	\$170,591,337	\$36,621,231	\$2,154,157	\$8,084,634	\$2,693,448
2003	\$145,811,076	\$124,412,206	\$133,801,254	\$89,447,672	\$25,358,115	\$89,815	\$9,662,682	\$2,019,794
2004	\$142,253,757	\$95,141,353	\$137,856,539	\$62,876,139	\$24,593,405	\$90,253	\$9,295,362	\$3,316,909
2005	\$155,003,949	\$124,234,485	\$139,755,089	\$136,528,617	\$29,998,072	\$91,114	\$9,517,858	\$3,045,353
2006	\$141,517,805	\$110,579,655	\$138,556,070	\$82,579,837	\$22,485,021	\$116,678	\$9,026,596	\$2,988,358
2007	\$136,304,980	\$102,340,760	\$138,626,587	\$77,001,029	\$18,711,509	\$121,094	\$8,783,019	\$2,638,930
2008	\$127,186,309	\$91,508,513	\$126,733,484	\$58,231,375	\$17,293,530	\$273,483	\$8,564,244	\$2,634,577

	% of Earned Premium								
	Discoul Y	D'and Y	Defense & Cost Containment	Other					
Year	Paid	Direct Losses Incurred	Expenses Incurred	Underwriting Expenses					
2001	114.19%	163.52%	14.71%	14.30%					
2002	113.79%	169.56%	29.37%	10.37%					
2003	85.32%	61.34%	18.95%	8.80%					
2004	66.88%	44.20%	17.84%	9.21%					
2005	80.15%	88.08%	21.46%	9.05%					
2006	78.14%	58.35%	16.23%	8.76%					
2007	75.08%	56.49%	13.50%	8.33%					
2008	71.95%	45.78%	13.65%	9.05%					

Medical Malpractice Data from NAIC I-SITE Line Report of State Page Exhibit Excess/Surplus Lines in Connecticut Medical Malpractice Market

					Defense & Cost Containment		Comssion and	
	Premium		Premium	Losses	Expenses		Brokerage	Taxes and
Year	Written	Losses Paid	Earned	Incurred	Incurred	Dividends	Expense	Fees
2001	\$4,724,927	\$1,531,715	\$2,563,077	\$2,685,845	\$629,592	\$0	\$418,853	-\$3,588
2002	\$24,756,805	\$758,377	\$14,734,326	\$5,944,449	\$361,480	\$0	\$1,608,965	\$13,103
2003	\$26,472,803	\$3,156,176	\$25,296,200	\$18,012,614	\$321,855	\$0	\$2,213,466	\$60,419
2004	\$30,958,196	\$685,253	\$31,062,193	\$20,583,862	\$496,643	\$0	\$2,655,036	\$192,741
2005	\$31,552,309	\$6,935,097	\$30,192,820	\$7,133,211	\$1,076,737	\$0	\$2,923,656	\$21,744
2006	\$25,909,996	\$10,136,295	\$30,880,271	\$9,802,776	\$1,011,542	\$0	\$2,774,046	\$31,738
2007	\$24,669,595	\$10,520,658	\$25,024,091	\$33,995,155	\$1,056,897	\$0	\$3,050,999	\$25,740
2008	\$26,344,811	\$9,527,851	\$25,421,354	-\$8,395,964	-\$241,409	\$0	\$4,717,441	\$65,346

	% of Earned Premium								
			Defense & Cost Containment	Other					
X 7	Direct	Direct Losses	Expenses	Underwriting					
Year	Losses Paid	Incurred	Incurred	Expenses					
2001	32.42%	56.84%	24.56%	16.20%					
2002	3.06%	24.01%	2.45%	11.01%					
2003	11.92%	68.04%	1.27%	8.99%					
2004	2.21%	66.49%	1.60%	9.17%					
2005	21.98%	22.61%	3.57%	9.76%					
2006	39.12%	37.83%	3.28%	9.09%					
2007	42.65%	137.80%	4.22%	12.30%					
2008	36.17%	-31.87%	-0.95%	18.81%					

Medical Malpractice Data from NAIC I-SITE P&C Summary by Line of Business Risk Retention Groups in Connecticut Medical Malpractice Market

	Premium	Direct Losses	Premium	Direct Losses	Defense & Cost Containment Expenses		Commission and Brokerage	Taxes and
Year	Written	Paid	Earned	Incurred	Incurred	Dividends	Expense	Fees
2001	\$22,054,908	\$20,490,885	\$21,018,780	\$18,117,976	\$2,796,751	\$4,262	\$178,167	\$895,916
2002	\$32,709,583	\$17,253,190	\$32,482,502	\$31,441,935	\$4,672,888	\$1,956	\$180,778	\$1,353,652
2003	\$52,099,965	\$16,796,247	\$51,589,852	\$40,776,538	\$4,003,049	\$0	\$192,793	\$2,109,115
2004	\$52,465,113	\$26,157,744	\$52,196,636	\$42,503,573	\$4,969,287	\$0	\$256,032	\$2,125,106
2005	\$58,474,126	\$27,827,171	\$58,658,635	\$40,879,290	\$12,905,635	\$22,039	\$433,616	\$2,273,994
2006	\$53,925,316	\$38,178,304	\$53,823,549	\$58,301,534	\$11,932,387	\$9,145	\$439,875	\$2,144,990
2007	\$52,888,440	\$19,583,863	\$52,897,231	\$93,982,654	\$6,314,655	\$41,250	\$210,929	\$2,157,003
2008	\$59,484,585	\$59,340,372	\$59,393,768	\$27,944,216	\$10,296,462	\$54,872	\$214,528	\$2,441,374

	% of Earned Premium								
			Defense & Cost Containment	Other					
	Direct Losses	Direct Losses	Expenses	Underwriting					
Year	Paid	Incurred	Incurred	Expenses					
2001	92.91%	82.15%	13.31%	5.13%					
2002	52.75%	96.12%	14.39%	4.73%					
2003	32.24%	78.27%	7.76%	4.46%					
2004	49.86%	81.01%	9.52%	4.56%					
2005	47.59%	69.91%	22.00%	4.65%					
2006	70.80%	108.12%	22.17%	4.82%					
2007	37.03%	177.70%	11.94%	4.55%					
2008	99.76%	46.98%	17.34%	4.56%					

Top 15 in 2008 Direct Premiums Written

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						/		Direct	Direct	Direct		
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				Direct				Cost	Cost	Cost	Commission	i
	Direct	Direct		Unearned	Direct	Direct	Direct	Containment	Containment	Containment	and	Taxes,
Company	Premiums	Premiums	Dividends	Premium	Losses	Losses	Losses	Expense	Expense	Expense	Brokerage	Licenses
Name	Written	Earned	Paid	Reserves	Paid	Incurred	Unpaid	Paid	Incurred	Unpaid	Expense	and Fees
MCIC VT Inc RRG	54,256,585	54,256,585	0	0	56,659,086	25,352,820	183,091,829	7,733,918	9,432,016	15,601,621	49,279	2,234,826
Proselect Ins Co	52,217,513	52,551,578	0	27,297,053	25,656,246	15,243,685	108,309,327	7,392,088	7,230,257	41,739,887	4,589,380	1,252,437
Connecticut Medical Ins Co	42,610,675	42,607,663	0	40,000,000	33,786,000	15,042,408	212,755,502	5,826,248	6.310.656	25.344.992	643.947	799,300
Continental Cas	42,010,073	42,007,003	- 4	40,000,000	33,760,000	15,042,406	212,755,502	5,620,240	6,310,030	25,344,992	043,947	799,300
Со	14,025,838	14,188,732	o	1,168,759	11,155,127	25,648,427	51,001,485	2,918,593	-140,870	3,146,740	268,364	327,313
Darwin Select ins	6,415,746	4,811,867	0	2,719,715	950.000	2,669,027	3,802,224	180,350	761,265	1,653,377	1,759,897	0
	0,413,740	4,011,007		2,719,713	930,000	2,009,027	3,002,224	160,330	701,203	1,055,577	1,759,097	0
York Ins Co of ME	4,694,012	4,603,691	0	2,260,234	-434,882	7,109	4,714,818	43,906	50,829	81,710	611,387	0
Lexington Ins Co	4,009,965	5,201,773	0	, 2,589,769	1,286,118	-4,736,085	15,135,963	683,859	362,618	2,120,273	347,448	-2,099
American Cas Co Of Reading PA	2,950,581	2.983.331	0	1,233,347	49,205	2,201,777	3.960.724	318,942	991.409	1,900,436	1,152,266	27,253
National Union	2,000,001	2,000,001		1,200,041	10,200	2,201,777	0,000,724	010,042	331,400	1,000,400	1,102,200	21,200
Fire Ins Co Of	0.004.005	0.000.004		4 440 704								
Pitts Medical Protective	2,634,835	2,232,631	0	1,416,761	2,529,452	2,166,526	4,047,704	575,464	613,227	760,757	517,313	96,827
Co	2,616,602	1,971,448	0	1,119,708	1,300,000	-251,000	14,877,000	1,097,088	769,410	1,748,004	210,419	33,708
Arch Specialty Ins	2,114,165	2,256,606	0	380,568	4,069,871	893,003	6,310,435	46.261	-502,042	1 515 000	152.015	20
Fortress Ins Co	1,791,848	1,686,655		1,054,936	121,850							
		a construction of the second			3,770,000,700,00	363,827	1,405,740	231,208	162,370		207,084	
Steadfast Ins Co	1,717,380	1,465,948		870,661	75,000	2,932,174	4,950,555	75,685	93,531	228,977	129,954	0
Physicians												
Medical RRG	1,580,853	1,569,919	0	81,517	1,515,000	1,309,454	2,113,990	111,366	80,694	514,172	0	63,314
Oms Nati ins Co Rrg	1,550,659	1,540,867	0	1,000,015	62,500	339,749	1,713,448	82,482	210,574	3,030,537	90,144	62,026

Top 15 Total

195,187,257 = 91.6% of total 2008 Direct Premiums Written of \$213,015,705

Top 15 in 2007 Direct Premiums Written

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								Discot	Direct	Direct		
								Direct	Direct	Direct		
	l							Defense &	Defense &	Defense &		
				Direct				Cost	Cost	Cost	Commission	
	Direct	Direct		Unearned	Direct	Direct	Direct	Containment	Containment	Containment	and	Taxes,
Company	Premiums	Premiums	Dividends	Premium	Losses	Losses	Losses	Expense	Expense	Expense	Brokerage	Licenses
Name	Written	Earned	Paid	Reserves	Paid	Incurred	Unpaid	Paid	Incurred	Unpaid	Expense	and Fees
Proselect Ins Co	56,071,875	57,811,181	0	27,841,118	19,821,326	18,020,216	118,721,888	6,804,101	11,485,844	41,901,716	4,931,359	1,283,433
Connecticut						2 2						21 2 127 212
Medical Ins Co	48,108,078	48,418,223		40,111,995	28,896,321	36,724,689	231,499,094	7,517,549		24,996,321		
MCIC VT Inc RRG	47,968,290	47,968,290	0	0	19,363,775	92,709,396	214,398,095	5,353,021	4,138,196	13,903,521	46,264	1,966,723
Co	15,054,762	15,159,816	0	1,331,653	17,418,609	10,562,347	36,508,185	1,911,572	3,276,117	6,206,203	320,043	74,804
Lexington Ins Co	8,482,194	9,703,171	0	3,781,577	6,600,683	10,188,756	21,158,166	577,652	1,158,582	2,441,513	621,249	3,862
Darwin Select Ins	3,596,090	2,989,101	0	1,115,837	0	1,168,052	2,083,197	9,956	610,980	1,072,462	788.485	0
American Cas Co	0,000,000	2,000,101		1,110,007		1,100,002	2,000,107	0,000	010,000	1,072,102	700,100	Ĭ
Of Reading PA	3,023,031	2,924,836	0	1,266,097	245,000	-559,807	1,808,153	122,590	569,241	1,227,969	1,187,145	-32,968
York Ins Co of ME	2,874,343	2,561,989	0	2,169,913	430,000	-410,642	4,272,827	0	13,285	74,787	421,240	0
Arch Specialty Ins	2,691,786	2,805,148	0	523,009	39,000	914,649	9,487,302	67,561	-726,697	2,063,425	187,877	25
National Union	_,,,,,,,,,		_	520,000	33,000	31.1,313	5,151,555	51,551				
Fire Ins Co Of												
Pitts	1,986,741	2,113,628		1,014,556	35,550	364,198	4,410,630					
Evanston Ins Co	1,815,592	1,600,314	0	-257,267	164,725	710,998	2,769,655	7,499	-452,744	378,442	470,374	
Fortress Ins Co	1,646,152	1,566,288	0	949,742	23,500	277,827	1,095,812	165,800	707,356	1,880,620	190,006	29,342
Oms Nati ins Co Rrg	1,610,525	1,649,109	0	990,224	5,500	250,611	1,588,044	74,863	465,064	2,902,445	92,819	64,421
Steadfast Ins Co	1,410,990			619,229	0,500	-1.011.623	2,093,381	154.156			160,842	
Medical Protective	1,410,990	001,071	- °	013,228		-1,011,020	2,000,001	104,100	-77,514	211,101	100,042	
Со	1,370,230	1,191,355	0	474,554	2,302,000	8,159,000	16,428,000	1,754,872	-9,189	2,075,682	107,046	-2,964

Top 15 Total 197,710,679 = 92.1% of total 2007 Direct Premiums Written of \$214,716,085

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Investment Income * – 15 Leading Writers

COMPANY NAME	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
MCIC VT Inc RRG	\$1,242,503	\$1,964,870
Proselect Ins Co	\$1,054,286	\$1,245,933
Connecticut Medical Ins Co	\$14,359,378	\$17,833,141
Continental Cas Co	\$1,408,833,153	\$1,382,461,949
Darwin Select Ins Co	\$2,145,564	\$1,323,221
York Ins Co of ME	\$588,522	\$1,835,877
Lexington Ins Co	\$240,260,560	\$551,563,680
American Cas Co Of Reading PA	\$10,013,948	\$3,044,168
National Union Fire Ins Co Of Pitts	\$1,474,600,595	\$1,141,444,038
Medical Protective Co	\$64,173,003	\$57,846,309
Arch Speciaity Ins Co	\$14,131,473	\$12,162,297
Fortress Ins Co	\$1,042,893	\$1,575,868
Steadfast Ins Co	\$35,354,086	\$56,811,002
Preferred Physicians Medical RRG	\$3,834,401	\$5,752,059
Oms Natl Ins Co Rrg	\$3,803,878	\$7,947,517

Source: National Association of Insurance Commissioners Database

^{*} Note: Investment earnings are from the company's Annual Financial Statements, Page 4, Line 11 and are for all lines of business written by the company in all states.

Appendix 4

Medical Malpractice Data Reporting Requirements Connecticut General Statute 38a-395



Public Act No. 07-25

AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL MALPRACTICE DATA REGARDING MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Section 38a-395 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

- (a) As used in this section:
- (1) "Claim" means a request for indemnification filed by a [physician, surgeon, hospital, advanced practice registered nurse or physician assistant] medical professional or hospital pursuant to a professional liability policy for a loss for which a reserve amount has been established by an insurer;
- (2) "Closed claim" means a claim that has been settled, or otherwise disposed of, where the insurer has made all indemnity and expense payments on the claim; [and]
- (3) "Insurer" means an insurer that insures a [physician, surgeon, hospital, advanced practice registered nurse or physician assistant] medical professional or hospital against professional liability. "Insurer" includes, but is not limited to, a captive insurer or a self-insured person; and

- (4) "Medical professional" has the same meaning as provided in section 38a-976.
- (b) On and after January 1, 2006, each insurer shall provide to the Insurance Commissioner a closed claim report, on such form as the commissioner prescribes, in accordance with this section. The insurer shall submit the report not later than ten days after the last day of the calendar quarter in which a claim is closed. The report shall only include information about claims settled under the laws of this state.
 - (c) The closed claim report shall include:
- (1) Details about the insured and insurer, including: (A) The name of the insurer; (B) the professional liability insurance policy limits and whether the policy was an occurrence policy or was issued on a claimsmade basis; (C) the name, address, health care provider professional license number and specialty coverage of the insured; and (D) the insured's policy number and a unique claim number.
- (2) Details about the injury or loss, including: (A) The date of the injury or loss that was the basis of the claim; (B) the date the injury or loss was reported to the insurer; (C) the name of the institution or location at which the injury or loss occurred; (D) the type of injury or loss, including a severity of injury rating that corresponds with the severity of injury scale that the Insurance Commissioner shall establish based on the severity of injury scale developed by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners; and (E) the name, age and gender of any injured person covered by the claim. Any individually identifiable health information, as defined in 45 CFR 160.103, as from time to time amended, submitted pursuant to this subdivision shall be confidential. The reporting of the information is required by law. If necessary to comply with federal privacy laws, including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, (P.L. 104-191) (HIPAA), as from time to time amended, the insured shall arrange

with the insurer to release the required information.

- (3) Details about the claims process, including: (A) Whether a lawsuit was filed and, if so, in which court; (B) the outcome of such lawsuit; (C) the number of other defendants, if any; (D) the stage in the process when the claim was closed; (E) the dates of the trial, if any; (F) the date of the judgment or settlement, if any; (G) whether an appeal was filed and, if so, the date filed; (H) the resolution of any appeal and the date such appeal was decided; (I) the date the claim was closed; (J) the initial indemnity and expense reserve for the claim; and (K) the final indemnity and expense reserve for the claim.
- (4) Details about the amount paid on the claim, including: (A) The total amount of the initial judgment rendered by a jury or awarded by the court; (B) the total amount of the settlement if there was no judgment rendered or awarded; (C) the total amount of the settlement if the claim was settled after judgment was rendered or awarded; (D) the amount of economic damages, as defined in section 52-572h, or the insurer's estimate of the amount in the event of a settlement; (E) the amount of noneconomic damages, as defined in section 52-572h, or the insurer's estimate of the amount in the event of a settlement; (F) the amount of any interest awarded due to the failure to accept an offer of judgment or compromise; (G) the amount of any remittitur or additur; (H) the amount of final judgment after remittitur or additur; (I) the amount paid by the insurer; (J) the amount paid by the defendant due to a deductible or a judgment or settlement in excess of policy limits; (K) the amount paid by other insurers; (L) the amount paid by other defendants; (M) whether a structured settlement was used; (N) the expense assigned to and recorded with the claim, including, but not limited to, defense and investigation costs, but not including the actual claim payment; and (O) any other information the commissioner determines to be necessary to regulate the professional liability insurance industry with respect to [physicians, surgeons, hospitals,

advanced practice registered nurses or physician assistants] <u>medical</u> <u>professionals or hospitals</u>, ensure the industry's solvency and ensure that such liability insurance is available and affordable.

- (d) (1) The commissioner shall establish an electronic database composed of closed claim reports filed pursuant to this section.
- (2) The commissioner shall compile the data included in individual closed claim reports into an aggregated summary format and shall prepare a written annual report of the summary data. The report shall provide an analysis of closed claim information including a minimum of five years of comparative data, when available, trends in frequency and severity of claims, itemization of damages, timeliness of the claims process, and any other descriptive or analytical information that would assist in interpreting the trends in closed claims.
- (3) The annual report shall include a summary of rate filings for professional liability insurance for [physicians, surgeons, hospitals, advanced practice registered nurses and physician assistants] medical professionals or hospitals, which have been approved by the department for the prior calendar year, including an analysis of the trend of direct losses, incurred losses, earned premiums and investment income as compared to prior years. The report shall include base premiums charged by insurers for each specialty and the number of providers insured by specialty for each insurer.
- (4) Not later than March 15, 2007, and annually thereafter, the commissioner shall submit the annual report to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to insurance in accordance with section 11-4a. The commissioner shall also (A) make the report available to the public, (B) post the report on its Internet site, and (C) provide public access to the contents of the electronic database after the commissioner establishes that the names and other individually identifiable information about

the claimant and practitioner have been removed.

(e) The Insurance Commissioner shall provide the Commissioner of Public Health with electronic access to all information received pursuant to this section. The Commissioner of Public Health shall maintain the confidentiality of such information in the same manner and to the same extent as required for the Insurance Commissioner.

Approved May 18, 2007

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Appendix 5

Medical Malpractice Closed Claim Data Collection Application Users Guide

Medical Malpractice Online Reporting Tool Instruction

To be able to have access to the Connecticut Insurance Department Medical Malpractice On-line Reporting tool, you will need to request your User ID; it will take the department 24 to 48 hours to grant access to your User ID.

The user is the person who is responsible for submitting data to the department. Each user can select what type of information they are responsible to submit, such as "Yearly Information", "Closed Claims Information" or both. In order to protect the uniqueness of the data submitted from user(s), we limit the company to have only one user for each role only. One user can be responsible to submit both, yearly data and quarterly closed claims data. The user(s) options are for example:

- 1. User A responsible for Yearly data, user B responsible for quarterly closed claims; or
- 2. User A responsible for yearly and quarterly closed claims data.

In other words, you may either have one user responsible for both yearly and closed claim information, or you may have two users; one responsible for yearly information, and the other responsible for closed claim information. You may **not** have two users report the same type of information.

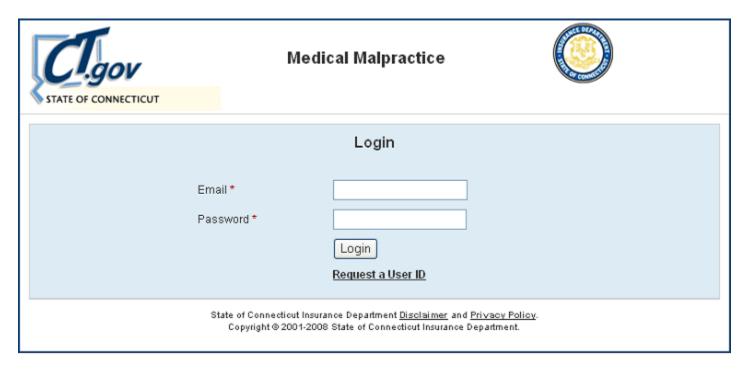
Note: In the Company Request screen, *do not* use the Captive Tax ID for the Tax ID box but use your company Tax ID instead.

Click here to start:

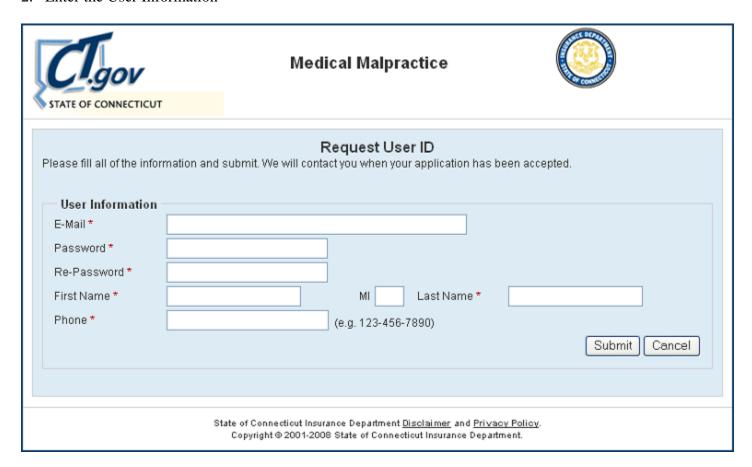
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Request a User ID

1. Click "Request a User ID" link on this screen



2. Enter the User Information

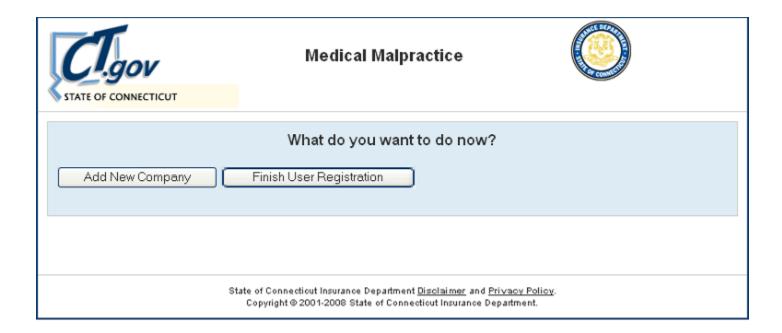


3. Enter the Company Information

- Select the Business Type and enter the information that corresponds to the company that will be granted access to submitting the data.
- Select the user's role Yearly Data, Quarterly Closed Claims or both.
- The Contact Person on this screen is the person who will be able to answer questions regarding the data submitted on behalf of the company. If this person and the user are the same person, then select "Yes" for the question "Is the information below same as the User Contact Information?" The user information from the previous screen will be filled in for you.
- Click "Submit"

Request a Company Please enter the information of the company to register	
Business Type *	- Select Business Type - ✓
Tax ID *	(e.g. 12-3456789)
Name of Self-Insured *	
What Information do you require to access? Yearly Information Closed Claims	
Is the information below the same as the User Contact Information? ○ Yes ③ No	
Contact person for questions regarding data	
First Name *	MI Last Name *
Phone * (e.g.	123-456-7890)
E-mail *	
Submit Cancel	

4. Add another Company or Finish – This option is for the Third Party Administrator who will be responsible to submit data for more than one company. You can add another company now or you can wait until any other time. Click "Finish User Registration" and you will be brought back to the Login Page. You must allow some time for the User ID to be processed by The Department of Insurance.

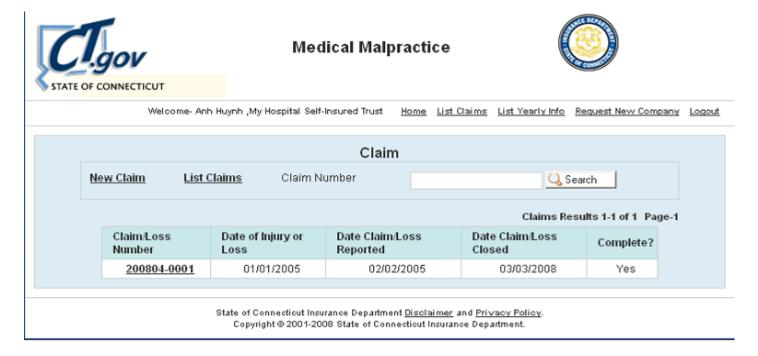


Closed Claim reporting

• A "No claims found" message will appear when you login for the first time, or if you have yet to submit any claims



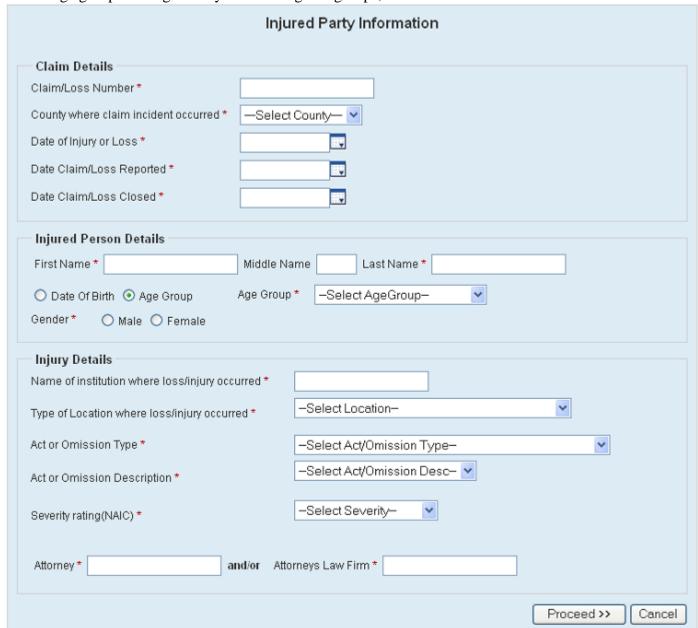
• Your claim(s) will be displayed, as shown below, after you have submitted them.



- This page is known as the "Home" or "List Claims" page. Click the "Home" or "List Claims" link from any other page to return here.
- The "List Yearly Info" link is only displayed for the user with the two user roles: "Closed Claims" and "Yearly Information".
- The "Request New Company" link allows you to add another company into your list This option is for the third party administration that needs to enter information for more than one company. 24 to 48 hours are required in order to grant access to a user before they can start to file a claim for that company.
- Click logout in the top right corner of your screen, or close your web browser to log out of the application.
- Search for a claim To search for a previously submitted claim, enter the claim number into the claim number box and click the search button. This will allow you to search without scanning the entire list.

Add a New Claim – Click the "New Claim" link to submit a new claim

1. Injured Party Information – Fill out the injured party's information as required. For the age category, select an age group to categorize by one of the given groups, or select "Date Of Birth" to enter an exact birth date.



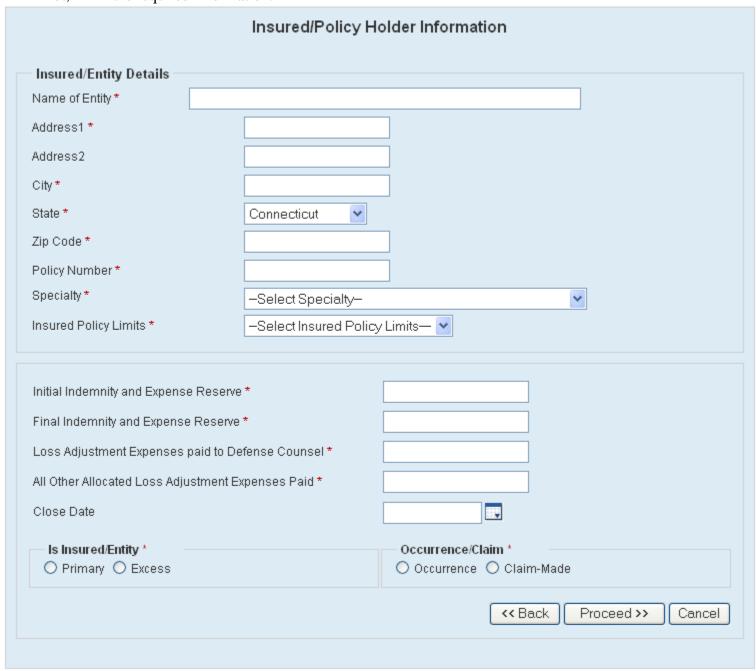
2. Lawsuit File Information: Select whether or not a lawsuit was filed. This answer will determine the Judgment/Settlement information required in further steps.



- 3. Select Insured/Policyholder type Business Entity or Individual
 - Individual Enter the license number of the insured individual. If you don't know the license number, click the "Search License Number" link to search for it by the Name of the individual on the Public Health Department Web Site. After entering the number into the given box, click "Search" to search from the Insurance Department Insurer list. If the license is found, then it will display in the table with the individual's information. Select that individual and it will pre-fill the individual's information such as Name, Address, License, Specialty, and Policy Limits. The database containing this information at our department is new and may not contain a prefilled information table. If that is the case, you must proceed and enter the information manually, using the information from the claim, or the Public Health Department Web Site.
 - **Business Entity** Type in the whole or part of the Entity's Name, then click the "Search" button to search for the Entity already on the Insurance Department Insurer List. If the Entity is found then it will display in the table. Select the Entity you want in order to pre-fill the Entity's Name, address, policy limits, and specialty. The same principle applies here as well. You may need to proceed without using the pre-fill table, and enter the information manually on the next page.

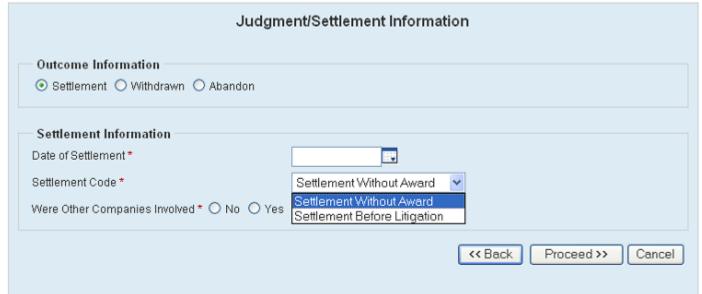


4. Insured/Policyholder Information: Some of this information may be prefilled based on the previous step. If not, fill in the required information.



- 5. Settlement Options If no lawsuit was selected in the second step, this screen will appear for settlement information **not** based on judgment through a lawsuit.
 - The "Withdrawn" and "Abandon" options will not require the Award details screen, and the claim submitting process will be finished.
 - The "Settlement" option will ask for the Settlement Date and Settlement code, as seen below, followed by the Settlement Award Details screen based on the Settlement code selected. For settlements before litigation, you will be asked to fill out further award details, as seen in step 7. For settlements without an award, and in this case, not decided by lawsuit, the claim submitting process will be finished.

Judgment/Settlement Information	
Outcome Information O Settlement O Withdrawn O Abandon	
	Proceed >> Cancel



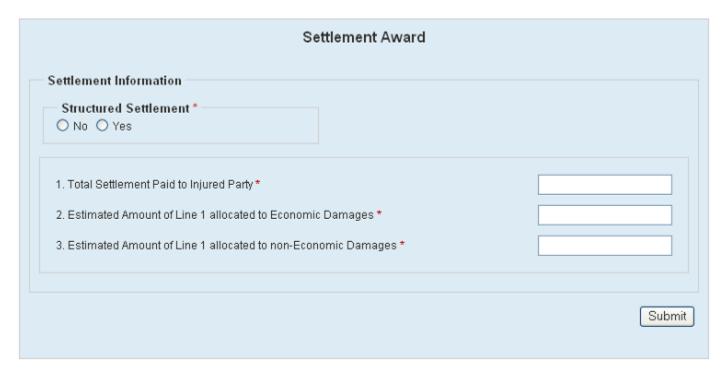
6. Judgment/Settlement Options – If yes was selected for a lawsuit in step 2, this screen will appear for judgment or settlement information based on the lawsuit filed.

Judgment/Settlement Information					
Outcome Information Outcome Information Under Companies Involved Outcome Outcome Information Outcome Information Outcome Information Outcome Information Outcome Information Outcome Information Outcome Information					
	Cancel				

- If the outcome is "Withdrawn" or "Abandon", the claim submitting process will be finished.
- If "Settlement" is selected, fill in the required information as prompted, based on the settlement code, and then follow step 7.
- If "Judgment" is selected, follow steps 8 through 10.

7. Settlement Award Detail screen

- No Settlement Award will be required if the Settlement Code was "Settlement Without Award", regardless of a lawsuit being filed or not.
- The first screen below will appear after selecting the "Settlement" option when a lawsuit was not filed and the Settlement Code was "Settlement Before Litigation". It will also appear after selecting the "Settlement" option when a lawsuit was filed, and the Settlement Code was either: "Settlement Before Litigation", "Settlement During Trial" and "Settlement After Trial But Before Judgment".
- If the "Settlement Option" when a lawsuit was filed was selected along with the "Settlement After Judgment" Settlement Code, the second screen below will appear. After filling out each "Settlement Award" page, the claim submitting process will be finished.



- 8. Judgment Option After "Judgment" is selected as the outcome information, you will be required to specify further details about the judgment process.
 - Trial Option 1 "Withdrawn" or "Dismissed" (Select if judgment outcome was withdrawn or dismissed)
 - Select "Withdrawn" or "Dismissed" under the "Trial Information" title and you will be asked for the withdrawn/dismissed date, but it is not required. After doing this, the claim submitting process will be finished. If the judgment was decided by court or jury, see trial option 2.

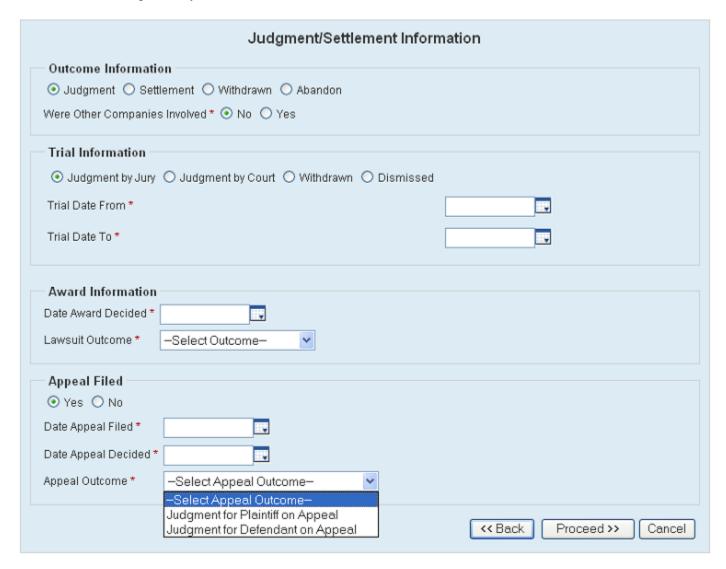
Judgment/Settlement Informati	tion
Outcome Information	
Judgment Settlement Withdrawn Abandon	
Were Other Companies Involved * ● No ○ Yes	
Trial Information	
O Judgment by Jury O Judgment by Court O Withdrawn O Dismissed	
	<< Back Proceed >> Cancel

- Trial Option 2 "Judgment by Jury" or Judgment by Court" (Select either option depending on if the judgment trial was made by jury or court, respectively)
 - Select "Judgment by Jury" or Judgment by Court" under the "Trial Information" title and you will be required to enter trial and award dates, the lawsuit outcome, and whether or not an appeal was filed. See the second screen shot below.
 - If the "Lawsuit Outcome" is "Judgment for Defendant", then award details will not be required, and the claim submitting process will be finished.
 - If the "Lawsuit Outcome" is "Judgment for Plaintiff", then the Jury or Court Award screen will appear depending on whether "Judgment by Jury" or "Judgment by Court" was selected in the "Trial Information" box, see steps 9 and 10.

Judgment/Settlement Information
Outcome Information
Judgment Settlement Withdrawn Abandon
Were Other Companies Involved * ⊙ No ○ Yes
Trial Information
O Judgment by Jury O Judgment by Court O Withdrawn Dismissed
Date Withdrawn
<pre> <!-- Back Proceed -->> Cancel </pre>

Judgment/Settlement Infor	mation
Outcome Information	
 ● Judgment ○ Settlement ○ Withdrawn ○ Abandon 	
Were Other Companies Involved * ● No ○ Yes	
Trial Information	
 ● Judgment by Jury O Judgment by Court O Withdrawn O Dismissed 	1
Trial Date From *	#
Trial Date To *	
Award Information	
Date Award Decided *	
Lawsuit Outcome * —Select Outcome— —Select Outcome—	
Judgment for Plaintiff Appeal Filed Judgment for Defendant	
O Yes O No	
	Cancel

- If Appeal is Yes
 - If Appeal Outcome is "Judgment for Defendant on Appeal", then the Award Details will not be required.
 - If Appeal Outcome is "Judgment for Plaintiff on Appeal", then the Jury Award or Court Award detail screen will be displayed, as seen in steps 9 and 10, depending on whether "Judgment by Jury" or "Judgment by Court" was selected in the "Trial Information" box.



Jury Award: Fill out the "Jury Award" information and the claim submitting process will be finished. Jury Award Jury Award 1. Total Amount of Initial Jury Award * 1.a Reduction by Court* 1.b Addition by Court* 1.c Final Amount* 2. Interest Awarded (Due to failure to accept an offer or judgment) * 3. Total Award Paid to Injured Party (Line 1.c. plus line 2) * 4. Amount of Line 3 allocated to Economic Damages * 5. Amount of Line 3 allocated to non-Economic Damages * Submit 10. Court Award: Fill out the "Court Award" information and the claim submitting process will be finished. Court Award Court Award 1. Total Amount of Initial Award * 2. Interest Awarded (Due to a failure to accept an offer or judgment) * 3. Total Award Paid to Injured Party (line 1 plus line 2) 4. Amount of Line 3 allocated to Economic Damages* 5. Amount of Line 3 allocated to Non-economic Damages * Submit

11. Claim Detail screen

- Mark the claim as complete by clicking the "Mark as Complete" button
- Add any new claim by clicking the "New Claim" button
- To Add/Correct/Delete any part of the claim: click on the <u>Injured Party, Insured Party, Award Detail</u> tabs, or the <u>Delete</u> tab to delete that information of the claim. If you do chose to delete part of a claim, you will see a new tab appear prompting you to re-fill that information in.

Date of Injury or Loss Date Claim/Los				ss Report	s Reported Date Claim/Loss Closed					
01/01/2005 02/02/2005					03/03/2	008				
<u>Injured Party</u>							Delet	Α -	Add nsured	
llame		Jane	Doe	,	Age Group			Adult - Ages 18 to 64		
Gender	Gender F				llame of institution where loss/injury occurred			My Hospital Self- Insured Trust		
Type of Location where Critical		al Care Unit Severit		Seve	rity rating(HAIC)	Death				
Act or Omission Type Relate			cellaneous Act or (r Omission Description 60- Other		er			
Attorneys Law Firm		John	Doe							
Insured Information (1)								De	<u>elete</u>	
			My Hospital Self- Insured Trust		Address1	Address1		1 Main Street		
Address2						City		Har	rtford	
State C		CT			Zip Code		061	103		
Policy Number		06-11111			Category of Specialty		Hospital			
Specialty					Insured Policy Limits		20M			
Initial Indemnity and Expense Reserve \$1,0		\$1,000,	\$1,000,000		Final Indemnity and Expense Reserve		\$900,000			
Loss Adjustment Expenses paid to Defense Counsel \$600		\$600,0	\$600,000		All Other Allocated Loss Adjustment Expenses Paid		\$0			
Close Date 02/0		02/02/2	2/02/2008 Is		Is Insured/Entity		Primary			
Occurrence/Claim Claim		Claim-I	Made							
Judgment/Settlement Info	ormation ((1)						De	<u>elete</u>	
Settlement Code	Settlem	lement Before Litigation				Lawsuit Filed			No	
Date of Settlement	02/02/2	/2008				Were Other Companies Involved			Yes	
Award Detail (1)								D-	elete_	
Structured Settlement				No						
1. Total Settlement Paid to Injured Party			\$12,000		2. Estimated Amount of Line 1 allocated to Economic Damages			Jnknown		

Yearly Information Report

Commercial Insurer – if you have more than one specialty, click "New Yearly Information" to enter the next one.



Hospital – Self Insurer



Hospital – Captive with Voluntary Physicians



Hospital - Captive without Voluntary Physicians



Non-Hospital – Self Insurer



Non-Hospital – Captive with Voluntary Physicians



Non-Hospital – Captive without Voluntary Physicians

	Yearly Information	on
New Yearly Information	List of Yearly Information	
on Hospital - Captive with	out Voluntary Physicians Attending	
ar .		2007
P Professional Liability Premiu	m (No General Liability) *	
P Net Retained Paid Professio	nal Liability Losses *	
P Net Retained Incurred Profe	ssional Liability Losses *	
		Submit Cance