



Health Care Partnerships Get Kansans Back to Work

**RETAIN
WORKS** | Retaining
Employment
and Talent After
Injury/Illness
Network

Early Medical Intervention is Key to Preventing Long-Term Disability

Many ill and injured workers are able to remain in their jobs or the workforce when they receive timely, coordinated employment support and medical services as part of a stay-at-work or return-to-work program. RETAINWORKS focuses on the supporting the continued employment of individuals who experience illness or injury that will potentially result in a work disability.

Healthcare Providers Play a Crucial Role in RETAINWORKS

A healthcare provider's primary goal is their patient's recovery. A coordinated effort with the patient and their employer helps achieve that goal. By assisting the patient's return to work under medical supervision as soon as possible, employment becomes an important health outcome. Healthcare providers can get involved by referring eligible patients within 12 weeks of illness or injury and collaborating with the RETAINWORKS network to improve their employment outcomes.

Join RETAINWORKS

You and your eligible patients will work with a team of RETAINWORKS Navigators to treat the entire person, not just their illness or injury. Together, our focus will be on the patient staying at or returning to work, while considering all of their needs, including mental health services, physical and occupational rehabilitation services, pain management services, motion therapy, and employment goals. While you manage your patient's care, RETAINWORKS will provide support services to enhance recovery and work outcomes. We'll simply be there to augment your treatment plan, not interfere with it.

For more information on program benefits, qualifying measures for patients, and how to participate, visit:

retainworks.org

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