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**Re: Antonio Sedillo**

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**Sent:** Tuesday, 21 April 2020 5:26 PM  
**To:** Jorge Haddad; David Berlusconi; Pi Claims [piclaims@icare.nsw.gov.au]  
**Attachments:** Antonio Sedillo MRI.pdf (25 KB); EML Antonio Sedillo 21.04.~1.pdf (113 KB)

Hi Everyone,

Today I reviewed Mr Antonio Sedillo, who is complaining of worsening of right shoulder and elbow pain for 2 weeks because of his injured left shoulder and elbow with compensatory use of his right arm.

I have ordered a MRI of his right shoulder and elbow.

I have kept his restrictions the same.

He is due for a review in 2 weeks.

Kind regards,

Dr Andrew Foong  
8 Patrick St, Blacktown NSW 2148.

On Sat, Apr 4, 2020 at 4:54 AM Andrew Foong <dr.andrew.foong@gmail.com> wrote:  
Dear Jorge and David,

I poke with Antonio Sedillo yesterday and he complains of both shoulders being quite sore with the worst being the left shoulder.

He clarified his recent absences from work as follows:  
on the 17th March, (Tuesday) he had chest pain and was short of breath and he thought he was having a heart attack.

I had seen him 5th of March with asthma with 3 days' chest pain and shortness of breath. He was visibly unwell and short of breath.  
My colleague Dr Alcantara saw him on the 11th March with chest pain and shortness of breath for 4 days and again on the 18th with the same problem. He did not go to hospital but I understand he saw another GP and got certificate.

He told me he has not been to work since the 16th March and is worrying about getting the COVID virus from work. He said he got a certificate for the first week and has stayed home.

To complicate matters, he informed me that he lost his mobile phone (hence you could not contact him) and he only got a new phone today.

He has a specialist appointment on the 9th April.

He is taking celebrex. He is due for a review on the 20th April, 2020.

His current certificate is attached again.

I don't think he will be able to perform all the inherent requirements of his role in the foreseeable future.

Yours sincerely,  
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P.S. In answer to your email:

**Jorge Haddad** <[jhaddad@cumberlandford.com.au](mailto:jhaddad@cumberlandford.com.au)>  
to me, David, Pi

Hi Andrew

Thank you for your email .

My understanding is that Antonio has never been paid sick leave, during periods of workers compensation.

Having said that, I am aware of situations where Antonio did not turn up to work as roasted and did not inform me of his absence until the follow simply told me he did not feel well however there was never any mention of workers compensation appointments. He was spoken to a number o warnings for failing to follow company policy. In those event's his timesheets would have marked him as being sick.

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Please provide details of the days in question and I will be more than happy to revisit the timesheets for those periods and have our payroll department adjustments if required. If you can also provide certificates (not backdated) confirming this, that would be appreciated.

On an associated issue, I note Antonio has been on light duties for quite some time. Can you also confirm whether in your medical opinion, if Antonio's inherent requirements of his role in the foreseeable future?

I can write the following consultations were for his shoulder injury and when you see "wcc";  
a workcover/Icare certificate was supplied: at other times a medicare certificate was supplied  
e.g. the first 2 medicare certificates were for the left shoulder and the third for the left elbow  
but before lodgement of a workcover claim:

Date, certificate and description  
wcc means Icare/workcover certificate  
25/10/2017 medicare certificate –left shoulder  
30/10/2017 medicare certificate rotator cuff tear  
07/03/2018 medicare certificate – left elbow pain  
Sore right shoulder for a year-01/06/2018  
12/06//2018: shoulder sometimes sore on left; left elbow sore all the time  
tender left forearm; good rom left shoulder; Assessment: lateral epicondylitis  
left supraspinatus tear  
Plan: goanna cream tds

09/07/2018: Shoulder claim was initiated under workcover officially but reported earlier on 25/10/2017

9/07/2018 wcc-note date of injury 09/10/2017 and first seen 25/10/2017 on certificate

Subjective:

painful left shoulder esp in am  
repetitive heavy lifting 10kg  
In October last year developed  
left shoulder and elbow pain  
from  
-from work  
-putting toe bar in car 25kg  
-someone helped him  
-felt sudden pain in left shoulder-radiating to left elbow  
-told his boss as soon as it happened  
and showed him the xray request results 2 weeks later

27/07/2018 wcc  
11/09/2018 wcc  
16/10/2018 wcc  
05/11/2018 wcc  
21/3/19 wcc  
12/4/19 wcc  
16/07/19 wcc  
20/08/19 wcc  
22/10/19 wcc  
25/10/19 wcc  
01/11/19 wcc  
03/12/2020 wcc and medicare certificate  
17/12/19 WCC and medicare certificate  
06/01/2020 wcc  
20/02/2020 wcc  
25/02/2020 wcc Occ health doctor saw him::  
Left shoulder Oct 2017  
Working on tow bar  
Injured left shoulder whilst lifting tow bar  
felt sharp pain  
had difficulty lifting arm after incident  
initially managed with medication, no physio, scans of left shoulder, no operation  
cortisone injection two injections  
Symptoms have worsened  
Off and on pain in shoulder  
Pain with movement  
has difficulty with lifting arm above shoulder  
reduced rom  
no clicking with movt  
no dislocation  
no neck pain  
no shooting pain from neck down  
but gets pain radiating down from left shoulder to elbow  
gets and pins and needles in his finger  
occasionally gets pins and needles in middle fingers

Getting pain in right shoulder and elbow due to compensating for his left shoulder

chest pain on 17th March; got a certificate from home doctor for last work  
lost phone; thought he had a heart attack

20/03/2020 WCC

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