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480-5-5-.12 PHYSICIAN OF RECORD.

(1) The employer's authorized treating physician (other than emergency medical
services) shall be the physician of record for attending or referral purposes. All referrals
shall be pre-approved by the employer/agent. The employer/agent shall keep all
interested parties involved in the compensable case informed of any authorized change of
treating physician.

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