ReedGroup®

The publisher of MDGuidelines™, Reed Group is highly regarded for thought leadership in the field of absence management and workplace productivity.

The software and services division of Reed Group provides fully outsourced and co-sourced absence management and medical disability services to many Fortune 500 companies including 63 of the Fortune 100.

Our flagship property, MDGuidelines™, is used to improve workplace productivity by more than 30,000 professionals in 47 countries and is adopted as a standard of care and return to work for Workers' Compensation injuries and illnesses in multiple States in U.S.

MDGuidelines™ Fact Sheet

MDGuidelines is the premier health and workplace productivity solution offering the gold standard for trustworthy evidence-based clinical practice guidelines and a condition-based drug formulary.

	MDG™	Others
ReedGroup acquired the ACOEM Treatment Guidelines in 2013. The gold standard for treatment is fully integrated throughout MDGuidelines.		

Treatment

MDGuidelines meticulously adheres to the National Academy of Medicine (formerly IOM) "Standards for Developing Trustworthy Clinical Practice Guidelines".

The National Academies of SCIENCES ENGINEERING MEDICINE

	MDG	Others
Standard 1: Transparent and Reproducible Processes	✔	
Standard 2: Management of Conflict of Interest	✔	
Standard 3: Guideline Development Group Composition	✔	✔
Standard 4: Guideline Systematic Reviews	✔	
Standard 5: Establishing Evidence Foundations and Rating Strength of Recommendations	✔	
Standard 6: Articulation of Recommendations	✔	✔
Standard 7: External Reviews	✔	
Standard 8: Updating Content Process	✔	✔

Additional Reed Group Measures

	MDG	Others
University-trained research professionals	✔	
Provider education content	✔	
Prevention, diagnostic, follow-up and treatment content	✔	

Drug Formulary

MDGuidelines' ACOEM-based drug formulary changed the way prescription drugs are prescribed in the workers' compensation industry.

	MDG	Others
Condition appropriate drug recommendations	✔	
Drug recommendations specific to Phase of Care (Acute or Chronic)	✔	
List of preferred and non-preferred drugs	✔	✔
Visibility to strength of evidence rating for prescriber confidence	✔	
Nationally recognized and adopted for use in workers' compensation in multiple States	✔	✔
Comments for Prescribers and Claims Professionals for improved clinical decision-making	✔	
Based to trustworthy evidence-based medicine treatment guidelines	✔	
Clear link to evidence-based medicine treatment guideline	✔	
Transparent literature review and guideline development process are the foundation	✔	
Pharmacy and medical expertise are combined	✔	

Analytics and Reporting

For more than 40 years ReedGroup's MDGuidelines has been used for managing and benchmarking medical disability and absence by and for many of the world's largest companies.

	MDG	Others
Measures return-to-activity performance against population database of 15MM claims	✔	
Provides benchmark against physiological "optimum" durations	✔	
Calculates financial impact of your case durations	✔	
Segments case composition by diagnostic category	✔	
Custom reporting and analytics	✔	

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