

AFTER HOURS WORK-RELATED INJURIES

Workers' compensation medical care coverage applies to all employees who are authorized to perform their assigned job duties - no matter what time of day or what day of the week it is. University of Florida employees in the Gainesville area who are injured on the job are still able to seek treatment even if First Care or the Student Health Care Center is closed.

The University's Workers' Compensation Office has an arrangement with the Emergency Physicians Medical Center (off Tower Rd) and the Emergency Medical Center (across from Oaks Mall) to provide UF employees with workers' compensation medical care during normal business hours and also on most dates and times when First Care and the Student Health Care Center are closed.

If you are injured while performing your assigned job duties after hours, these two facilities are available to you. **Simply identify yourself as a UF employee who was injured on the job and show them your Gator 1 Card and personal insurance card.** After you have been treated, please immediately contact the Workers' Compensation Office at (352) 392-4940 and follow the directions given.

Emergency Physicians Medical Center

2445 SW 76th St, Suite 110

At the intersection of Tower Road and SW 24th Avenue. For directions, call 872-5111.

OPEN FOR AFTER HOURS CARE:

Monday - Friday 5 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Saturday 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Sunday 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Emergency Medical Center

6121 NW 1st Place

Across from Sears at the Oaks Mall. For directions, call 331-4357.

OPEN FOR AFTER HOURS CARE:

Saturday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

An emergency room should only be used for life-threatening injuries or for after-hour care of injuries that require immediate attention, such as burns, eye injuries, chemical exposures, head injuries, and similar traumatic injuries. Simple sprains, strains, bumps, bruises, minor lacerations, etc., should not normally require that an employee go to the emergency room.

Please go to the nearest emergency room or medical facility if you sustain a life-threatening or traumatic injury requiring immediate care.