

Comp Laude® Award: Medical Professional

Jodi Loud

Jodi specializes in the most complex claims. Having been a nurse and in the work comp arena for 20+ years, she is extremely competent in her clinical skills and has a broad knowledge base and experience. She is skilled at working with families in crisis and gives selflessly, drawing from her personal experiences with brain and spinal cord injuries.

Jodi is a registered nurse, with a Bachelors of Science in Nursing. She holds credentials as a certified case manager (CCM), certified life care planner (CLCP), certified for Medicare Set-Asides (MSCC), and has an active CT adjuster's license. She has experience with utilization review, quality assurance, independent medical exams, peer review, job site evaluations, contract negotiations, medical management, and corporate leadership.

Since 2009, Jodi has served as a consultant for The Hartford on catastrophic cases, collaborating with injured workers who suffer from brain and spinal cord injuries, their families and the carrier to ensure the best care with the goal of improving quality of life and to obtain the best possible outcomes.

She is wildly effective in this role because of her ability to quickly understand the intricacies of the case (both medical and psychosocial), quickly gain the trust of all parties, and creatively formulate a plan that results in the best possible outcome. In an industry rife with malingering, legal interpretation and ulterior motives, Jodi keeps a steely-eyed focus on the grand view, considering not only the end goal but the process in which to get there.

As evidenced by her high standards and willingness to lead by example, Jodi is a role model who has established herself as a leader who will continue to make an impact industry-wide.

When asked what winning a Comp Laude® Award means to her she remarked, "It's humbling. I'm doing what is really important to me and to see that it's impacting other people and people recognize it - it's humbling."

