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Pat Crawford is the Employer Return to Work Education Coordinator for the Division of Workers Compensation of the Texas Department of Insurance.

Prior to joining the Division, she was a Workers' Compensation Specialist and H R Manager for Levi Strauss & Co. She managed workers' compensation claims and issues, including legislative and regulatory matters, in 13 different states. For 9 years, she served on the Board of Directors of the Texas Workers' Compensation Insurance Fund. Her extensive Human Resource background and understanding of workers' compensation have made her a valuable participant on numerous committees and task forces addressing workers' compensation and labor concerns across the country.

She brings practical "hands on" experience in developing and implementing effective return to work procedures. She has dealt with the difficulties often faced by employers in controlling workers' compensation costs and helping injured workers get back into a productive work environment.