



## Todd M. Sheehan

Partner/Inland Empire and Southern California workers' compensation defense attorney | Manager, Riverside office

As a Senior Partner at Siegel, Moreno & Stettler Mr. Sheehan brings extensive experience litigating Workers' Compensation claims from discovery through trial and the appellate process. A trusted advisor to public entities and self-insured employers, Mr. Sheehan is known for his strategic approach to complex claims, strong negotiation skills, and commitment to controlling medical costs while defending against abusive practices within the Workers' Compensation system.

### Professional History

- Successfully litigates complex Workers' Compensation claims before the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board.
- Defends municipalities with a primary focus on public safety claims, including matters involving sworn personnel.
- Regularly represents cities, hospitals, school districts, and large self-insured employers.
- Successfully litigated Labor Code Section 139.3 issues, addressing improper self-referrals and abusive medical practices.
- Focuses on medical cost containment and litigation strategies that reduce unnecessary treatment and exposure.
- Experienced in presenting and addressing Workers' Compensation matters before City Council members and public entity leadership.
- Provides guidance on Workers' Compensation issues involving Collective Bargaining Agreements and Industrial Disability Retirement.
- Regular speaker at CJPIA conferences and frequent trainer for clients on Workers' Compensation risk, compliance, and cost drivers.
- Formerly worked with the State of California Department of Corporations, gaining experience in corporate law and organizational structure.

### California Practice Specialties

- Defense of Workers' Compensation claims
- Serious and Willful Misconduct and 1232(a) discrimination claims
- Medical cost of Workers' Compensation claims litigation

### Education

- J.D. - Western Sierra Law School, San Diego (1995)

### Professional Memberships

- California Bar Association