

ANTI FRAUD GUIDES FOR ETHICAL BUSINESS CONDUCT

The Collision Industry Conference "Anti Fraud" Committee, a group comprised of insurers, repairers, vendors and appraisers has produced a set of guidelines that can be benefit the entire industry.

These guidelines will help everyone work together for the benefit of the industry and consumer, using good business practices, creating mutual respect.

The Collision Industry Conference requests that all responsible entities: insurers, repairers, adjusters, and vendors endorse and adopt these common sense practices.

- Never intentionally misrepresent any information in the claims/repair process
- Disclose all information that they have a duty to be made known
- Never conspire with anyone in the claims/repair process to defraud or cheat anyone
- Never accept anything in exchange for acting against the best interest of their employer or to compete unfairly with the employer's competitor
- Always fulfill agreements made and not hinder any party from completing their agreement
- All parties need to be absolutely clear as to the authority they possess
- Never engage in the practice of cost shifting
- Clearly communicate with all parties involved during claims/repair process
- Maintain documentation to support all actions in the claim/repair process