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TOTAL	23,382	20	65	\$19,670	\$8,690	\$10,980	\$6,000	\$1,450	\$2,680	\$780	\$70
1* TRAUMATIC INJURIES, DISORDERS	19,359	23	64	\$18,280	\$8,140	\$10,140	\$5,730	\$1,250	\$2,330	\$760	\$60
11 Traumatic inj. to bones, nerves, spinal cord	2,057	42	83	\$29,610	\$14,300	\$15,310	\$7,490	\$2,770	\$4,370	\$450	\$230
111 Fractures	2,044	42	82	\$29,320	\$14,210	\$15,110	\$7,410	\$2,730	\$4,330	\$450	\$200
113 Trauma to nerves, except spinal cord	4	366	376	\$139,160	\$48,970	\$90,200	\$48,910	\$24,800	\$2,500	\$500	\$13,500
118 Multiple injuries to bones, nerves, spinal cord	9	71	81	\$45,770	\$19,390	\$26,390	\$8,750	\$3,190	\$14,440	\$0	\$0
12 Trauma to muscles, tendons, joints	13,012	28	71	\$19,470	\$8,350	\$11,120	\$6,460	\$1,250	\$2,420	\$930	\$60
120 Trauma to muscles, tendons, joints, uns	1	78	78	\$24,000	\$12,380	\$11,620	\$11,620	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
121 Dislocations	155	60	107	\$41,980	\$16,610	\$25,370	\$10,100	\$6,520	\$7,790	\$600	\$370
122 Cartilage fractures, tears	124	88	128	\$39,060	\$18,610	\$20,440	\$13,120	\$3,800	\$2,850	\$660	\$20
123 Sprains, strains, tears	11,874	26	64	\$16,890	\$7,230	\$9,660	\$5,700	\$890	\$2,100	\$930	\$40
124 Hernias, any type	227	31	50	\$16,000	\$9,890	\$6,110	\$5,240	\$20	\$840	\$10	\$0
128 Multiple injuries to muscles, tendons, joints	628	124	186	\$60,190	\$24,840	\$35,350	\$19,110	\$6,720	\$7,670	\$1,470	\$370
129 Injuries to muscles, tendons, joints, nec	3	8	15	\$7,540	\$6,210	\$1,330	\$1,330	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
13 Open wounds	1,271	7	26	\$9,220	\$4,810	\$4,410	\$2,440	\$820	\$1,070	\$60	\$10
131 Amputations, avulsions, enucleations	134	27	64	\$29,400	\$11,250	\$18,150	\$6,310	\$4,100	\$7,160	\$500	\$80
1310 Amputations, avulsions, enucleations, uns	4	71	235	\$90,890	\$26,110	\$64,780	\$22,050	\$2,730	\$40,000	\$0	\$0
1311 Amputations	97	36	73	\$33,670	\$13,630	\$20,030	\$7,340	\$5,400	\$6,490	\$690	\$110
1312 Avulsions, enucleations	33	6	17	\$9,390	\$2,460	\$6,940	\$1,350	\$440	\$5,150	\$0	\$0
132 Cuts, lacerations	883	7	20	\$6,120	\$3,680	\$2,440	\$1,890	\$410	\$130	\$10	\$0
133 Puncture wounds, except gunshot wounds	214	6	19	\$6,850	\$4,280	\$2,570	\$1,780	\$200	\$570	\$20	\$0
138 Multiple types of open wounds	40	19	58	\$22,700	\$11,110	\$11,590	\$5,100	\$2,370	\$4,110	\$10	\$0
14 Surface wounds, bruises	2,030	9	27	\$6,080	\$2,960	\$3,120	\$2,050	\$110	\$480	\$470	\$0
15 Burns, corrosions (incl. multiple codes 184*)	238	9	23	\$11,260	\$7,590	\$3,660	\$2,070	\$600	\$900	\$80	\$0
16 Intracranial injuries	228	8	36	\$9,040	\$4,330	\$4,710	\$3,280	\$300	\$810	\$310	\$20
160 Intracranial injury , uns	7	1	38	\$4,430	\$3,340	\$1,090	\$1,090	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
161 Cerebral, other intracranial hemorrhages	1	8	8	\$2,440	\$1,930	\$510	\$510	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
162 Concussions	216	8	36	\$9,210	\$4,340	\$4,870	\$3,360	\$310	\$850	\$330	\$20

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168 Multiple intracranial injury	4	19	18	\$9,770	\$6,300	\$3,470	\$3,470	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
17 Effects of environmental conditions	25	3	6	\$3,200	\$2,750	\$450	\$450	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
171 Effects of reduced temperature	3	6	5	\$1,650	\$1,350	\$310	\$310	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
1711 Frostbite	3	6	5	\$1,650	\$1,350	\$310	\$310	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
172 Effects of heat, light	21	3	6	\$3,360	\$2,870	\$490	\$490	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
1721 Heat stroke	1	14	14	\$14,160	\$13,870	\$290	\$290	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
1725 Heat exhaustion, prostration	19	3	5	\$2,560	\$2,040	\$520	\$520	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
1729 Effects of heat, light, nec	1	1	1	\$7,720	\$7,640	\$70	\$70	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
179 Effects of environmental conditions, nec	1	6	6	\$4,590	\$4,350	\$240	\$240	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
18 Multiple trauma, disorders	313	17	63	\$20,510	\$9,170	\$11,340	\$5,260	\$1,260	\$3,870	\$940	\$20
181 Cuts, abrasions or bruises	89	8	20	\$6,510	\$3,840	\$2,670	\$1,840	\$120	\$560	\$150	\$0
189 Multiple trauma, disorders, nec	224	26	80	\$26,070	\$11,280	\$14,790	\$6,620	\$1,720	\$5,180	\$1,250	\$20
19 Other trauma, disorders	185	17	78	\$22,980	\$8,880	\$14,100	\$7,060	\$2,000	\$3,490	\$1,530	\$20
193 Electrocutions, electric shocks	3	34	50	\$5,390	\$3,850	\$1,530	\$1,530	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
195 Dermatitis, skin reactions, acute	23	6	25	\$6,120	\$2,270	\$3,850	\$2,150	\$0	\$1,700	\$0	\$0
196 Poisoning, toxic, or allergenic effect	23	5	23	\$9,280	\$3,700	\$5,570	\$2,200	\$300	\$1,300	\$1,770	\$0
197 Nonspecified inj., disorders	130	21	99	\$27,750	\$10,190	\$17,560	\$9,010	\$2,470	\$4,220	\$1,860	\$0
1971 Crushing inj.	51	20	42	\$12,000	\$4,930	\$7,070	\$3,970	\$1,090	\$1,370	\$630	\$0
1972 Soreness, pain, hurt-nonspecified injury	53	75	183	\$51,740	\$17,940	\$33,810	\$16,020	\$4,940	\$8,900	\$3,940	\$0
1973 Swelling, inflammation, irritation	24	4	40	\$10,190	\$4,940	\$5,260	\$4,810	\$120	\$270	\$60	\$0
1978 Multiple nonspecified inj., disorders	2	19	19	\$3,990	\$1,950	\$2,040	\$2,040	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
199 Other traumatic injuries, disorders, nec	6	47	61	\$45,700	\$28,090	\$17,610	\$5,110	\$7,250	\$4,670	\$0	\$590
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2* SYSTEMIC DISEASES, DISORDERS	627	35	93	\$23,720	\$9,130	\$14,590	\$8,350	\$2,840	\$2,490	\$790	\$120
20 Systemic diseases, disorders, uns	6	155	218	\$64,950	\$23,720	\$41,230	\$18,880	\$0	\$9,940	\$12,420	\$0
22 Nervous system, sense organs diseases	167	26	90	\$27,070	\$8,620	\$18,460	\$7,770	\$6,080	\$3,960	\$590	\$60
222 Degenerative diseases of central nervous system	1	178	178	\$32,810	\$9,850	\$22,960	\$22,960	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
224 Disorders of the peripheral nervous system	82	64	141	\$28,790	\$11,260	\$17,530	\$11,710	\$750	\$3,880	\$1,080	\$120

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2241 Carpal tunnel syndrome, any type	77	62	132	\$26,730	\$10,460	\$16,270	\$11,300	\$800	\$2,890	\$1,150	\$130
2242 Inflammatory, toxic neuropathy	2	211	211	\$37,510	\$13,530	\$23,980	\$16,480	\$0	\$7,500	\$0	\$0
2249 Disorders of the peripheral nervous system, nec	3	434	330	\$75,920	\$30,290	\$45,630	\$18,960	\$0	\$26,670	\$0	\$0
225 Disorders of the eye, adnexa, vision	17	3	38	\$9,300	\$3,180	\$6,120	\$4,380	\$1,360	\$380	\$0	\$0
2251 Conjunctivitis-non-viral	7	2	10	\$2,680	\$1,670	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2252 Inflammation except conjunctivitis	6	6	22	\$7,380	\$3,410	\$3,970	\$2,520	\$360	\$1,080	\$0	\$0
2259 Disorders of the eye, adnexa, vision, nec	4	2	111	\$23,760	\$5,470	\$18,290	\$13,070	\$5,220	\$0	\$0	\$0
226 Disorders of the ear, mastoid process, hearing	67	0	39	\$29,390	\$6,740	\$22,650	\$3,580	\$13,890	\$5,030	\$150	\$0
2261 Deafness, hearing loss, impairment	65	0	37	\$28,920	\$6,480	\$22,440	\$3,090	\$14,020	\$5,180	\$150	\$0
2262 Tinnitus	2	134	134	\$44,660	\$15,180	\$29,490	\$19,580	\$9,900	\$0	\$0	\$0
23 Circulatory system diseases (heart disease, etc)	8	17	26	\$38,500	\$29,680	\$8,820	\$3,360	\$5,470	\$0	\$0	\$0
24 Respiratory system diseases (pneumonia, etc)	11	22	27	\$23,260	\$18,090	\$5,170	\$4,370	\$760	\$50	\$0	\$0
26 Genitourinary system diseases (infertility, etc)	1	11	11	\$5,210	\$3,110	\$2,100	\$2,100	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
27 Musculoskeletal system, connective tissue diseases	411	41	100	\$22,530	\$8,800	\$13,730	\$9,020	\$1,740	\$2,040	\$780	\$160
28 Disorders of the skin, subcutaneous tissue	23	8	12	\$5,780	\$3,860	\$1,910	\$1,860	\$50	\$0	\$0	\$0
3* INFECTIOUS, PARASITIC DISEASES	1,731	8	12	\$6,780	\$5,220	\$1,560	\$1,440	\$30	\$50	\$40	\$0
4* MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS, TUMORS	3	42	83	\$133,490	\$85,280	\$48,200	\$22,090	\$26,110	\$0	\$0	\$0
5* SYMPTOMS, SIGNS, ILL-DEFINED CONDITIONS	42	7	24	\$9,590	\$3,320	\$6,270	\$2,460	\$420	\$3,400	\$0	\$0
6* OTHER DISEASES, CONDITIONS	55	45	89	\$50,290	\$8,430	\$41,860	\$10,250	\$2,630	\$27,770	\$1,210	\$0
7* EXPOSURE TO DISEASE, NO ILLNESS OCCURRED	655	6	9	\$5,450	\$4,250	\$1,190	\$1,130	\$0	\$20	\$50	\$0
8* MULTIPLE ILLNESSES	57	57	134	\$45,340	\$14,540	\$30,790	\$16,060	\$7,500	\$5,990	\$930	\$320
9* INJURY, ILLNESS COMBINATION	837	145	223	\$82,200	\$31,060	\$51,140	\$22,550	\$8,550	\$16,270	\$3,260	\$510
9999 NONCLASSIFIABLE OR UNKNOWN	16	146	189	\$59,390	\$21,340	\$38,050	\$17,320	\$1,740	\$17,380	\$1,610	\$0

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Accepted disabling claims are occupational injury or disease claims accepted by insurers that entitle workers to compensation for disability or death.

Claims are reported by the year of claim resolution, which is the year of the latest notice of claim closure, determination order, or claim disposition agreement for initial claim openings. This may be different than the year of injury or claim acceptance. Death benefit and permanent total disability claims, as well as their indemnity costs, are excluded from this analysis. Worker, employer, and insurer reimbursements from the Workers Benefit Fund are also generally excluded.

Claim cost is the composite of medical and indemnity costs. Indemnity includes temporary disability (TD), permanent partial disability (PPD), claim disposition agreement (CDA), disputed claim settlement (DCS), and vocational assistance. Indemnity incurred after claim closure as of the report date is also included in this table: primarily PPD modified by dispute resolution, CDA, DCS, and vocational assistance.

Cost statistics are means unless otherwise specified. Aside from temporary disability days, costs have been rounded, and components may not sum to composite averages. Some medical and indemnity are estimated, primarily TD days and costs and medical and vocational assistance costs for initial claims resolved by CDA, about which the department does not require regular cost reports.

Conclusions should not be drawn for rows with a small number of claims. Claim counts will change as claims are reopened and resolved in future years, and if past trends continue, then TD days and costs for the most recent year will decline. Post-closure costs will increase over time.

Claims are listed according to the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System (OIICS Version 2.01), 2012 edition.

Unk. = unknown, uns. = unspecified, nec = not elsewhere classified

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