# Workers' Compensation Board Alberta

#### Alberta - All Industries and All Accounts

Assessable Earnings and Premiums - for Years: 2019 to 2024

Number of Employers with Rate Year **Newly Opened Total Assessable Earnings Estimated Total Workers\*** Net Premium\*\* Assessable Earnings Account 2019 186,213 18,115 \$103,852,023,607 1,871,493 \$1,112,844,215 2020 178,406 14,809 \$95,732,362,034 1,719,338 \$1,071,701,551 2021 \$100,035,547,337 \$1,154,304,827 177,477 15,013 1,798,336 2022 \$108,049,261,936 1,912,596 \$1,273,457,029 177,669 17,196 \$115,191,093,268 2023 179,431 17,412 2,009,989 \$1,432,726,799 2024 YTD 172,623 9,852 \$118,805,605,212 2,035,356 \$1,581,802,712

<sup>\*\*</sup> Net premium is premium paid by employers after pricing adjustments for experience rating plus Poor Performance Surcharge and PIR, where applicable

	Distribution of Accounts By Assessable Earnings (\$Thousands)											
Rate Year	<= \$500,000		\$500,000 > \$500,000 and <= \$1 Million		> \$1 Million and <= \$5 Million		> \$5 Million and <= \$20 Million		> \$20 Million			
	Accts	Total Ase Earn	Accts	Total Ase Earn	Accts	Total Ase Earn	Accts	Total Ase Earn	Accts	Total Ase Earn		
2019	165,777	\$13,194,284	8,588	\$6,047,650	9,075	\$18,888,701	2,151	\$19,714,840	622	\$46,006,548		
2020	159,672	\$12,939,354	7,936	\$5,574,846	8,331	\$17,353,469	1,926	\$17,911,413	541	\$41,953,280		
2021	157,582	\$13,227,434	8,551	\$6,013,284	8,756	\$18,342,086	2,024	\$18,913,758	564	\$43,538,985		
2022	156,027	\$13,507,517	9,202	\$6,468,403	9,555	\$20,017,903	2,245	\$20,778,224	640	\$47,277,215		
2023	156,580	\$13,691,266	9,562	\$6,749,356	10,200	\$21,499,238	2,406	\$22,289,649	683	\$50,961,584		
2024 YTD	149,472	\$14,044,981	9,672	\$6,919,545	10,252	\$22,017,439	2,519	\$23,430,647	708	\$52,392,993		

Note: The current year assessable earnings are based on estimates.

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<sup>\*</sup> Estimated number of full time equivalent workers based on average industry wage

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Claim Costs - for Years: 2019 to 2024

	Total Claims											
Accident Year	Number of Claims	Claim Costs	Number of LTCs	Total LTC Costs	TTD Days	Modified Work Ever Performed Claims	Medical Aid Claims	Disabling Injury Claims				
2019	98,902	\$375,749,804	28,313	\$312,206,093	716,262	36,552	70,589	48,730				
2020	81,760	\$336,354,872	28,244	\$289,082,966	807,879	27,874	53,516	42,841				
2021	91,766	\$355,368,354	32,317	\$302,907,825	886,666	31,618	59,449	48,611				
2022	100,777	\$375,237,422	36,780	\$318,203,982	913,164	33,905	63,997	54,378				
2023	94,471	\$377,605,963	28,652	\$314,514,228	892,498	33,752	65,819	46,666				
2024 YTD	45,428	\$104,268,834	12,411	\$80,056,834	250,329	14,746	33,017	21,210				

	Duration Bands - Total LTCs										
Accident Year	<= 8 Days	> 8 Days and <= 30 Days	> 30 Days and <= 60 Days	> 60 Days	Total Lost Time Claims						
2019	16,158	5,911	2,716	3,528	28,313						
2020	13,416	8,382	2,610	3,836	28,244						
2021	16,183	8,915	2,911	4,308	32,317						
2022	21,620	7,728	3,031	4,401	36,780						
2023	14,535	6,585	2,898	4,634	28,652						
2024 YTD	6,506	3,344	1,421	1,140	12,411						

	Total Claims Costs									
Accident Year	Compensation	Medical Aid	Rehabilitation	Economic Loss	Total					
2019	\$149,592,419	\$182,337,903	\$7,060,081	\$36,759,400	\$375,749,804					
2020	\$154,991,998	\$136,273,405	\$6,886,632	\$38,202,837	\$336,354,872					
2021	\$162,690,113	\$150,985,486	\$4,754,932	\$36,937,823	\$355,368,354					
2022	\$167,534,576	\$162,558,272	\$6,477,460	\$38,667,115	\$375,237,422					
2023	\$165,230,387	\$177,667,928	\$6,168,884	\$28,538,764	\$377,605,963					
2024 YTD	\$41,791,415	\$51,986,168	\$117,762	\$10,373,489	\$104,268,834					

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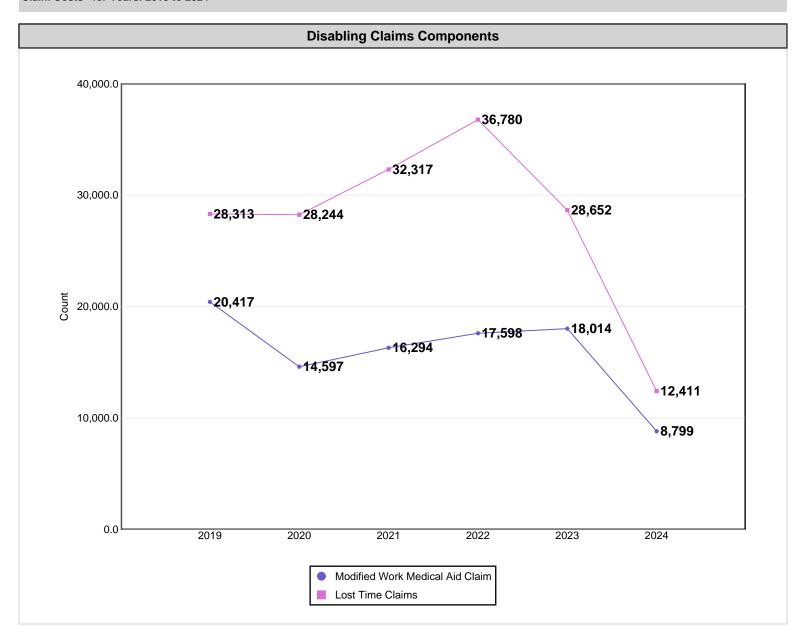
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Disabling Claims include Lost Time Claims or Medical Aid Claims with Modified Work

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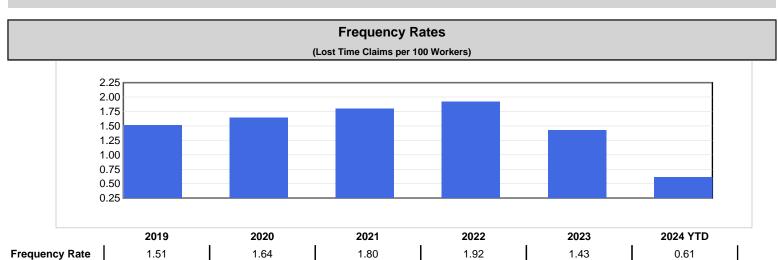
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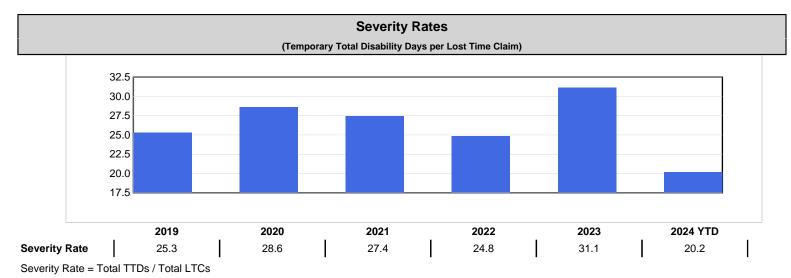
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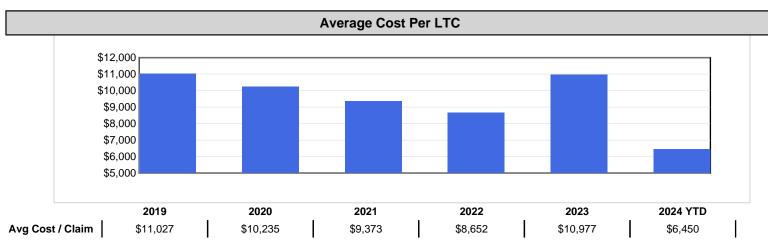
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Frequency Rate = (Total Lost Time Claims \* 100) / Person Years

Person Years = Total Assessable Earnings / (Avg Hourly Wage \* 2000 Hours)





Average Cost Per LTC = Total LTC Costs / Total LTCs

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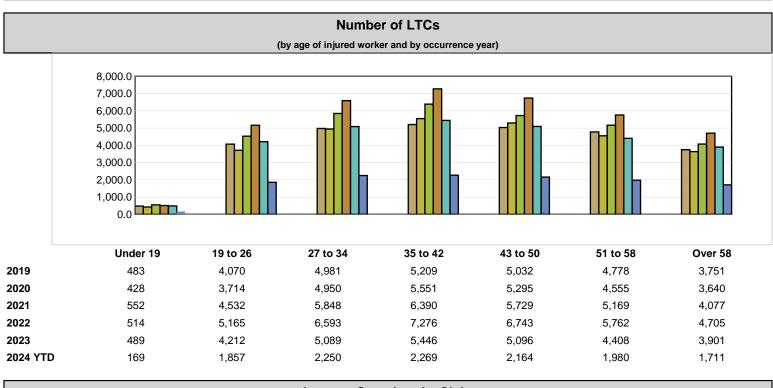
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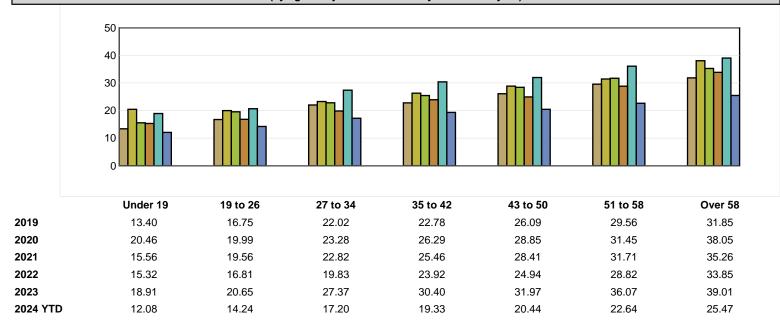
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Injured Worker's Age - for Years: 2019 to 2024

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### Average Severity of a Claim **Temporary Total Disability Days per Lost Time Claim** (by age of injured worker and by occurrence year)



LTCs with no birthdate recorded are not included in band subtotals

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1,107

13,110

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Top 5 Comparison - for Years: 2019 to 2024

Struck by Object

	Type of Accident										
	Top 5 by Total LTCs										
Type of Accident	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD	Totals				
Exposure to Harmful Substances	1,292	6,443	7,678	10,503	2,871	889	29,676				
Overexertion	5,732	4,613	5,448	5,332	5,179	2,243	28,547				
Falls	5,508	4,663	4,727	5,683	5,095	2,611	28,287				
Bodily Reaction and Exertion	4,055	3,431	4,106	4,147	4,419	1,666	21,824				

2,324

2,525

2,505

1,945

2,704

Type of Accident	Total LTCs (2019 to date)	Percentage of LTCs	Average Duration	Total TTD	Average LTC Costs	Total LTC Costs
Exposure to Harmful Substances	29,676	17.8%	16.3	482,934	\$5,447	\$161,645,751
Overexertion	28,547	17.1%	23.3	663,920	\$7,778	\$222,029,852
Falls	28,287	17.0%	35.4	1,000,903	\$11,965	\$338,453,084
Bodily Reaction and Exertion	21,824	13.1%	28.0	611,573	\$9,655	\$210,701,053
Struck by Object	13,111	7.9%	21.4	281,049	\$8,009	\$105,000,164
All Others	45,273	27.2%	28.9	1,309,931	\$12,792	\$579,128,120
Totals	166,718	100.0%	26.1	4,350,310	\$9,699	\$1,616,958,024

Part of Body									
Top 5 by Total LTCs									
Part of Body	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD	Totals		
Back	6,220	4,992	5,733	5,721	5,521	2,569	30,756		
Body System(s)	1,382	6,521	7,824	10,561	2,968	821	30,077		
Trunk	3,209	2,660	2,969	3,160	3,084	1,253	16,335		
Foot(Feet)/Ank(s)/Toe(s)	2,441	2,088	2,517	2,671	2,590	1,174	13,481		
Hand(s)/Wrist(s)	2,203	1,816	2,076	2,240	2,207	950	11,492		

Part of Body	Total LTCs (2019 to date)	Percentage of LTCs	Average Duration	Total TTD	Average LTC Costs	Total LTC Costs
Back	30,756	18.4%	21.8	671,220	\$7,346	\$225,935,099
Body System(s)	30,077	18.0%	22.1	663,484	\$6,848	\$205,981,988
Trunk	16,335	9.8%	30.9	503,950	\$12,304	\$200,992,436
Foot(Feet)/Ank(s)/Toe(s)	13,481	8.1%	28.6	386,153	\$8,358	\$112,676,631
Hand(s)/Wrist(s)	11,492	6.9%	26.4	303,249	\$8,243	\$94,729,262
All Others	64,577	38.7%	28.2	1,822,254	\$12,027	\$776,642,607
Totals	166,718	100.0%	26.1	4,350,310	\$9,699	\$1,616,958,024

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Top 5 Comparison - for Years: 2019 to 2024

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Nature of Injury										
	Top 5 by Total LTCs									
Nature of Injury	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD	Totals			
Sprains/Strain	13,826	11,223	12,886	13,316	13,035	5,677	69,963			
Oth Traumatic Injuries	2,712	2,343	2,688	3,068	3,263	1,572	15,646			
Superficial Wounds	2,550	1,942	2,220	2,537	2,303	1,083	12,635			
Fracture/Dislocation/Nerve Damage	2,361	2,058	2,131	2,379	2,158	1,078	12,165			
Systems Disease - Covid 19	0	5,467	6,607	9,453	1,730	419	23,676			

Nature of Injury	Total LTCs (2019 to date)	Percentage of LTCs	Average Duration	Total TTD	Average LTC Costs	Total LTC Costs
Sprains/Strain	69,963	42.0%	24.8	1,738,461	\$8,265	\$578,261,632
Systems Disease - Covid 19	23,676	14.2%	11.0	260,422	\$2,682	\$63,491,200
Oth Traumatic Injuries	15,646	9.4%	27.5	429,711	\$13,543	\$211,887,972
Superficial Wounds	12,635	7.6%	17.7	224,255	\$5,715	\$72,211,902
Fracture/Dislocation/Nerve Damage	12,165	7.3%	53.7	653,122	\$18,398	\$223,817,203
All Others	32,633	19.6%	32.0	1,044,339	\$14,319	\$467,288,113
Totals	166,718	100.0%	26.1	4,350,310	\$9,699	\$1,616,958,024

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