



THE TOP TWENTY IN 2018
 Highest Count of Workplace Violence Events
 in PSHSA Occupations Resulting in Lost Time Injuries

Occupations	2014	2018
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHER ASSISTANTS	272	635
CORRECTIONAL SERVICE OFFICERS	145	345
POLICE OFFICERS (EXCEPT COMMISSIONED)	269	322
NURSE AIDES AND ORDERLIES	236	294
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS	87	261
COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICE WORKERS	197	241
REGISTERED NURSES	150	240
OTHER AIDES AND ASSISTANTS IN SUPPORT OF HEALTH SERVICES	21	213
BUS DRIVERS AND SUBWAY AND OTHER TRANSIT OPERATORS	65	161
AMBULANCE ATTENDANTS AND OTHER PARAMEDICAL OCCUPATIONS	31	61
SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS	33	55
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS	25	54
FAMILY, MARRIAGE AND OTHER RELATED COUNSELLORS	24	49
SOCIAL WORKERS	12	48
SECURITY GUARDS AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS	12	44
REGISTERED NURSING ASSISTANTS	83	43
SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND ADMINISTRATORS OF ELEMENTARY AND SECON	14	36
PROGRAM LEADERS AND INSTRUCTORS IN RECREATION AND SPORT	2	19
VISITING HOMEMAKERS, HOUSEKEEPERS AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS	30	17
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Data Source: The Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) Enterprise Information Warehouse (EIW) Claim Cost Analysis Schema, June 2019 data snapshot. Retrieved by Public Services Health and Safety Association, November 2019.

Measuring the financial costs of Lost Time Injuries in Ontario

Why is Safe At Work Ontario so important?

Safe At Work Ontario is important because:

- more than 250,000 people are injured in Ontario workplaces each year,
- the direct cost (WSIB premiums) of a new lost time injury (LTI) (in 2007) was, on average, \$21,300, and
- the indirect cost of each LTI (in 2007), including re-hiring, re-training, lost productivity, etc., was \$85,200.

“Safe At Work Ontario aims to improve workplace health and safety practices through Ministry of Labour enforcement of provincial legislation.”

Ontario Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development. Frequently Asked Questions.
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