

Workplace injuries, diseases & fatalities in Alberta

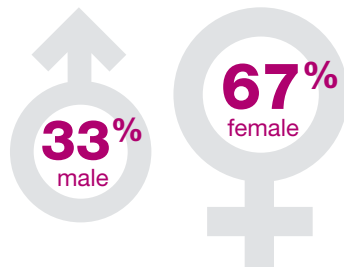
Provincial & municipal government, education & health sector overview 2018

11,953

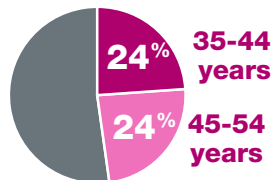
Injury claims by workers in 2018

Approximately 3 in 100
workers were injured

Injuries by gender



Age with highest injury claims

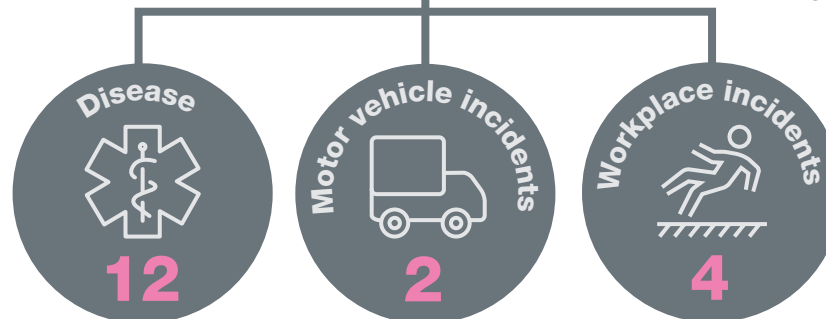


Common types of injuries

Sprains / Strains / Tears	57%
Superficial wounds	10%
Fractures/ Dislocations/ Nerve damage	5%

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Number of
workers
who died¹



Occupations with higher injuries

Nurse aides,
orderlies, etc.
19%



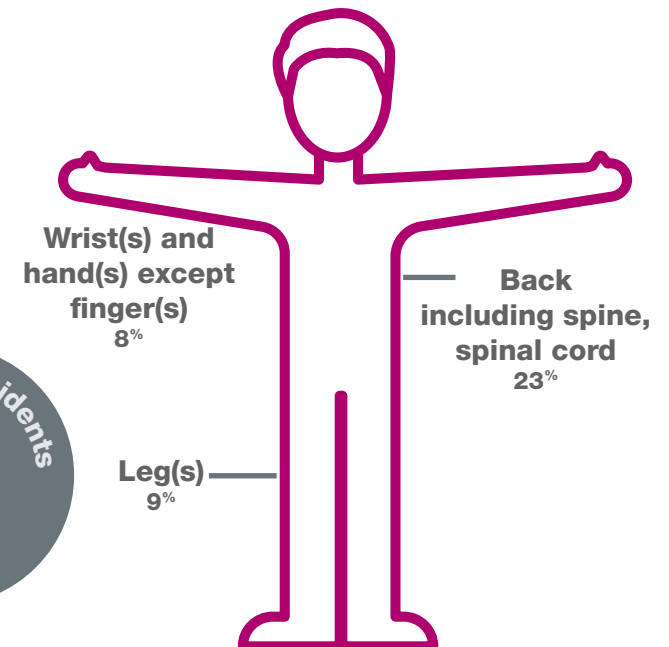
Registered nurses
& registered
psychiatric nurses
7%



Social &
community
service workers
6%



Commonly injured parts of the body



Top three causes of injuries among workers

Overexertion	24%
Falls	19%
Bodily reaction	13%

Data reflects 2018 injury, disease and fatality statistics as accepted and reported by the Workers' Compensation Board of Alberta.

¹All numbers are based on the year of the fatality.

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