

# Report of Occupational Injury

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West Virginia Workers' Compensation Division  
 P.O. Box 3151  
 Charleston, WV 25332

**SECTION I - TO BE COMPLETED BY THE INJURED WORKER (please print with ballpoint pen or type.) ALL BLOCKS MUST BE COMPLETED.**

|  |                        |  |                                      |   |                     |
|--|------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| 1. Claimant's Full Name  |                        |  | 2. Claimant's Social Security Number |   |                     |
| 3. Claimant's Complete Mailing Address   |                        |  | 4. Date and Time of Injury           |   |                     |
| Street or P O Box _____  |                        | City _____   | State _____                          | Zip Code _____  |                     |
| 5. Claimant's Telephone No. _____  | 6. Date of Birth _____ | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Male<br><input type="checkbox"/> Female  | 8. Marital Status _____              | 9. County In Which You Live _____   | 10. Job Title _____ |
| 11. Name and Address of Company for Whom You Work _____  |                        | 12. Did Injury Occur on Employer's Property?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If No, Where? _____ |                                      | 13. If You Worked for Present Employer Less Than One Year, List Prior Employer(s). _____  |                     |
| 14. Time You Began Work on the Day Injury Occurred<br><input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM  |                        | 15. Date and Time You Stopped Work Due to this Injury.<br><input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM            |                                      | 16. Date You First Went to Doctor/Hospital _____  |                     |
| 17. Name and Address of Doctor/Hospital Where You Were First Treated for this Injury. _____  |                        | 18. List Name(s) of witness(es) if Any, to the Accident _____  |                                      | 19. Have You Ever Had Any Previous Accidents or Conditions Affecting Part Body Affected by this Injury? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Give Date(s) Details of the Injuries/Conditions. _____ |                     |
| 20. Describe Exact Nature of Injury and Specific Part(s) of Body Affected, (Specify Right or Left if Applicable.) _____  |                        | 21. How Did Injury Occur? (Specify the cause, what you were doing, and equipment/objects involved.) _____                    |                                      | 22. What Was Your Average Rate of Pay(Gross) on the Date of Injury? _____<br>What is the average number of hours you work per week? _____ hours   |                     |
|  |                        |  |                                      | 23. State and County Where Accident Occurred _____  |                     |
| 24. I hereby certify that the statements and answers set forth above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I am aware that the law provides for severe penalties if I knowingly and with fraudulent intent withhold a material fact or make a false statement in order to obtain or increase a benefit to which I am not entitled. By signing this application, I authorize the West Virginia Workers' Compensation Division to examine medical records and have verbal discussions with physicians, on any medical information pertaining to this injury and any condition for which I have previously received medical attention; and, I acknowledge the provisions of Code 23-4-7 providing authorization for release of medical information by a physician to my employer or employer representative. |                        |  |                                      |   |                     |
| Claimant's Signature _____   |                        |  | Date _____                           |   |                     |

**FOR DIVISION USE ONLY**  
 ICD9-CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 County \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature \_\_\_\_\_  
 Body \_\_\_\_\_  
 Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Source \_\_\_\_\_  
 Agent \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION II TO BE COMPLETED BY THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN (Please print with ballpoint pen or type.) ALL BLOCKS MUST BE COMPLETED.**

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|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Physician's Name and Address _____   |  | 2. Physician's Telephone No. _____   |  | 4. Is Condition Result of:   |  |
|   |  | 3. Physician's FEIN or Social Security No. _____   |  | Occupational Injury <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   |  |
|   |  |  |  | Occupational Disease <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No  |  |
|   |  |  |  | Nonoccupational Condition <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   |  |
| 5. Diagnosis Code(s) (ICD9-CM) in Order of Severity _____   |  |  | 6. Description of Injury (fracture, burn, etc.) and Part(s) of Body Injured/Affected _____ |  |  |
| 7. Date You Were First Consulted for this Condition _____   |  | 9. List Claimant's Complaints and How they Affect the Ability to Work. _____   |  | 11. Does Claimant Have a Chronic or Prior Injury/Disease Which Was Aggravated by this injury and Which May Delay Recovery from this Injury? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Please Explain: _____ |  |
| 8. Date Claimant Stopped Work Due to this Condition _____   |  | 10. Will Claimant Need Physical or Vocational Rehabilitation Services? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                  |  |  |  |
| 12. Estimated Period of Temporary Total Disability (Do not answer undetermined or unknown.)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Less than 4 days <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Weeks<br><input type="checkbox"/> 1 Week <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Weeks<br><input type="checkbox"/> 4 Weeks or More |  | 13. Have You Referred Claimant to Another Physician?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Give Name & Address of Physician. _____ |  | 14. Was Claimant Hospitalized Due to this Injury?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Give Name and Address of Hospital _____  |  |
| 15. Were any Office Notes Made or Diagnostic Studies Carried Out in Relation of the Current Incident? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>If Yes, Please Forward a Copy to Workers' Compensation as Soon as Possible.   |  | 16. Date Claimant Was (Will Be) Able to Return to Full-time Work _____   |  | 18. In Your Opinion, Is the Current Period of Disability a Direct Result of the Injury/Disease Described by the Claimant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If No, Please explain: _____                    |  |
|   |  | 17. Is Claimant Able to Return to Modified Work?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   |  |  |  |
| 19. Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information provided in Section II is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Physician's Written Signature _____   |  |  | Date _____   |  |  |

**Employer sign here as acknowledgement of receipt of Sections I and II \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_**

**SECTION III - TO BE COMPLETED BY THE EMPLOYER (Please print with ballpoint pen or type.) ALL BLOCKS MUST BE COMPLETED.**

|  |  |  |   |   |  |
|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| 1. Employer's Name, Address & Telephone No. _____  |  | 2. Name and Address of Operation Where Accident Occurred _____ |   | 3. County Where Accident Occurred _____             |  |
|  |  |  |   | 4. Employer's FEIN or Social Security No. _____     |  |
|  |  |  |   | 5. _____<br>Fisk Number _____<br>Class Number _____ |  |
| 6. What Was the Gross Average Daily Rate of Pay on the Date of Injury If Part-time Employee, Give Hourly Wage and Average Number of Hours Worked.<br>Hourly Rate: _____ Average No. of Hours Per Week: _____   |  |  | 7. Do You Disagree With Any of the Information Provided in Section I or II, or Do You Have Any Reason to Question this Injury? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, You Must Attach a Specific Explanation. _____       |   |  |
| 8. Date Employee Was First Employed By You _____<br>Amount of Time in Present Job _____<br>Occupation (DOT) Code _____   |  |  | 9. Is Claimant an Owner, Part Owner, or Officer of the Business? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>If Yes, Do You Include His/Her Wages on Your Quarterly Report <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |   | 10. Date Claimant Returned to Work _____ |
| I hereby certify that the statements and answers set forth above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I am aware that the law provides for severe penalties if I knowingly certify a false report or statement respecting any information requested by the Commissioner. |  |  |   |   |  |
| Employer's Written Signature _____   |  |  | Title _____   |   | Date _____                               |

## General Instructions For Completing Form WC- 1 23 REPORT OF OCCUPATIONAL INJURY

The Report of Occupational Injury, form WC-1 23, is divided into three sections which must be completed by the injured worker, the treating physician, and the employer. It is very important that all three parties complete the form correctly as the information on this form is the basis upon which benefits are paid or denied. Benefits may be delayed if incorrect or incomplete information is given.

It is the responsibility of the injured worker to complete Section I of this form and have the attending physician complete Section II. After Sections I and II have been completed, the gold copy of the form should be kept by the doctor or hospital and the remaining copies returned to the injured worker. The pink copy of the form should be kept by the injured worker when the form is given to the employer for completion of Section III. The employer is responsible for sending the form to the Workers' Compensation Division after completing Section III.

**INJURED WORKER:** If you do not receive a decision on your claim within 14 days after the form was given to your employer, you should contact the Workers' compensation Division.

**EMPLOYER:** The gross average daily rate of pay of the injured employee on the date of the injury, as requested in Section III - question #6, is determined by dividing the employee's gross pay for the past three months (90 days), by the number of days worked by the employee for that period. Please be sure to add any overtime pay earned during the three-month period to the gross pay for that period when calculating the gross average daily rate of pay.

*All parties completing this form may attach a separate sheet if additional space is needed.*