

LOSS OF EARNING POWER (LEP) CALCULATIONS

Injured Worker	Claim Number
Payment Period From _____ Through _____	Number of Calendar Days

See next page for calculation information.

Wages at the Date of Injury ① _____

Current Wages ② _____

Time-Loss Rate ③ _____

State's Average Wage x 1½ ④ _____

Method A (Complete for all claims):

(1) $\frac{\text{Current Wages} \text{ ②}}{\text{DOI Wages (Updated Wages/Earning Capacity) } \text{ ①}} = \text{Percent of Wages at the Time of Injury}$

(2) $1.00 - \text{Percent of Wages at the Time of Injury} = \text{Loss of Earning Power Percent}$

(3) $\text{Loss of Earning Power Percent} \times \text{Time-Loss Compensation Rate } \text{ ③} = \text{Method A LEP Entitlement}$

Method B (Complete for all claims with a Date of Injury (DOI) on or after 05/07/93):

(4) $\text{DOI Wages (Updated Wages/Earning Capacity) } \text{ ①} - \text{Current Wages } \text{ ②} = \text{"Difference"}$

(5) $\text{"Difference"} \times .80 = \text{Method B LEP Entitlement}$

If Method A is the higher entitlement, stop and pay Method A.
If Method B is the higher entitlement, there are 3 additional rules to apply:

- **The injured worker's current wages plus the Method B LEP entitlement may not exceed 1.5 times the state's average monthly wage.** To see if this cap applies, use the following formula:

(6) $\text{Current Wages } \text{ ②} + \text{Method B LEP} = \text{_____}^*$

* If this amount exceeds 1.5 times the state's average wage (see calculation ④, above) , it must be capped as follows:

(7) $\frac{\text{State's Average Wage Multiplied by 1.5} \text{ ④}}{\text{Current Wages } \text{ ②}} = \text{Capped Amount for Method B}$

- **The worker may not receive more than the full time-loss rate for this period.** If the Method B entitlement is higher than the time-loss rate for this period (see calculation ③, above), it must be capped by changing the Method B LEP entitlement to the time-loss rate (see calculation ③, above).
- **The worker must receive the highest benefit amount between Method A and your final amount for Method B (whether capped or not).** Compare the Method A entitlement to the Method B entitlement and pay the higher amount.

Compensation paid this period:

From	Through	Number of Calendar Days	Amount LEP Paid
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Which method was used? _____

LOSS OF EARNING POWER INFORMATION

Wages at the Date of Injury: The date of injury wage must be updated to reflect the wages the worker would have been earning had the injury not occurred. This is referred to as earning capacity.

Current Wages: Actual wages earned this payment period.

Time-Loss Rate and State's Average Wage x 1½ (see table below): Calculate for the calendar days in the payment period.

To be eligible for loss of earning power benefits, the injured worker:

- (1) Must be working at earnings less than at the time of injury.
- (2) Must have a loss of earning capacity in excess of 5%,
- (3) Must have medical certification that loss of earning is due solely to the industrial injury or condition.

1.5 TIMES THE STATE'S AVERAGE WAGE

Payment Period	Monthly Rate	Daily Rate
7-1-23 through 6-30-24	\$10,520.86	\$350.69
7-1-22 through 6-30-23	\$10,313.49	\$343.78
7-1-21 through 6-30-22	\$9,592.62	\$319.75
7-1-20 through 6-30-21	\$8,712.49	\$290.41
7-1-19 through 6-30-20	\$8,162.62	\$272.09
7-1-18 through 6-30-19	\$7,735.87	\$257.86
7-1-17 through 6-30-18	\$7,369.62	\$245.65
7-1-16 through 6-30-17	\$7,034.11	\$234.47
7-1-15 through 6-30-16	\$6,853.62	\$228.45
7-1-14 through 6-30-15	\$6,579.38	\$219.31
7-1-13 through 6-30-14	\$6,449.37	\$214.98
7-1-12 through 6-30-13	\$6,236.75	\$207.89
7-1-11 through 6-30-12	\$6,020.25	\$200.68
7-1-10 through 6-30-11	\$5,894.12	\$196.47
7-1-09 through 6-30-10	\$5,781.99	\$192.73
7-1-08 through 6-30-09	\$5,590.13	\$186.34
7-1-07 through 6-30-08	\$5,322.99	\$177.43
7-1-06 through 6-30-07	\$5,048.12	\$168.27
7-1-05 through 6-30-06	\$4,879.74	\$162.66
7-1-04 through 6-30-05	\$4,849.25	\$161.64
7-1-03 through 6-30-04	\$4,742.49	\$158.08
7-1-02 through 6-30-03	\$4,653.62	\$155.12
7-1-01 through 6-30-02	\$4,611.12	\$153.70
7-1-00 through 6-30-01	\$4,451.25	\$148.38
7-1-99 through 6-30-00	\$4,107.75	\$136.93
7-1-98 through 6-30-99	\$3,809.87	\$127.00
7-1-97 through 6-30-98	\$3,574.25	\$119.14
7-1-96 through 6-30-97	\$3,395.79	\$113.19
7-1-95 through 6-30-96	\$3,257.25	\$108.58
7-1-94 through 6-30-95	\$3,188.63	\$106.29