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2026 NEBRASKA RATE CHART

Workers' Compensation Table of Benefits

Injury Occurring Between	Minimum	Maximum
1/01/15 – 12/31/15	$49.00	$761.00
1/01/16 – 12/31/16	$49.00	$785.00
1/01/17 – 12/31/17	$49.00	$817.00
1/01/18 – 12/31/18	$49.00	$831.00
1/01/19 – 12/31/19	$49.00	$855.00
1/01/20 – 12/31/20	$49.00	$882.00
1/01/21 – 12/31/21	$49.00	$914.00
1/01/22 – 12/31/22	$49.00	$983.00
1/01/23 – 12/31/23	$49.00	$1,029.00
1/01/24 – 12/31/24	$49.00	$1,094.00
1/01/25 – 12/31/25	$49.00	$1,130.00
1/01/26 – 12/31/26	$49.00	$1,166.00

BURIAL EXPENSES

9/12/97 to 7/18/12: $6,000.00
7/19/12 to 6/30/21: $10,000.00
7/1/21 to 6/30/23: $11,000.00
7/1/23 to 7/1/24: $11,300.00
7/1/24 to 7/1/25: $11,600.00
7/1/25 to 7/1/26: $11,900.00
7/1/26 to Present: $12,200.00

Mileage			
1/1/17 – 12/31/17	**$0.535**	7/1/22 – 12/31/22	**$0.625**
1/1/18 – 12/31/18	**$0.545**	1/1/23 – 12/31/23	**$0.655**
1/1/19 – 12/31/19	**$0.58**	1/1/24 – 12/31/24	**$0.670**
1/1/20 – 12/31/20	**$0.575**	1/1/25 – 12/31/25	**$0.70**
1/1/21 – 12/31/21	**$0.56**	1/1/26 – 7/1/26	**$0.725**
1/1/22 – 7/1/22	**$0.585**	7/1/26 – Present	**$0.76**

*Medical & hospital allowance is pursuant to NE Fee Schedule.

CALCULATION OF AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE*

Continuous employment: Include wages earned for same employer over 26 weeks preceding injury; include overtime hours at the straight time rate. Weeks with abnormally low earnings should be excluded.

When calculating PPD rate, if employee averaged less than 40 hrs/ week recalculate AWW based on 40 hours.

Seasonal employment: One fiftieth of total of all wages earned over year preceding accident.

Week Expressed as Decimal	
1 day =	.143 x weekly rate
2 days =	.286 x weekly rate
3 days =	.429 x weekly rate
4 days =	.571 x weekly rate
5 days =	.714 x weekly rate
6 days =	.857 x weekly rate

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SCHEDULED MEMBER BENEFITS	Weeks Payable
Thumb	60
Index finger	35
Middle finger	30
Ring finger	20
Little finger	15
FINGER AMPUTATIONS Amputation of ½ first phalange = ¼ of finger. Amputation of first phalange = ½ of finger Amputation of over 1 phalange = whole finger	
Big toe	30
Any other toe	10
TOE AMPUTATIONS Amputation of first phalange = ½ of toe Amputation of over 1 phalange = whole toe	
Hand	175
Arm	225
Foot below knee joint	150
Leg above knee joint	215
Eye	125
Ear	25
Hearing, one ear	50
Nose	50

COMPUTATION OF PERMANENT BENEFITS

Wrist Injury Example

Date of accident	2/1/18
Hand injury, weeks	175
Percent of disability	10%
Average weekly wage	$900.00
Maximum TTD rate	$831.00

$900.00	Average Weekly Wage
x .6667	
$600.03	TTD & PPD Rate (*Does not reach max of $831.00 so use $600.03*)
175	Weeks, hand injury
x 10%	Percent of disability
17.50	Weeks due for PPD
17.50	PPD weeks
x $600.03	PPD rate
$10,500.53	Gross value

Body Injury Example

Date of accident	2/1/18
Body injury, weeks	300
Percent of LOEP	25%
Average weekly wage	$1,200.00
(Maximum TTD rate	*$831.00)*

$1,200.00	Average Weekly Wage
x .6667	
$800.04	
$800.04	Rate (2/3 of AWW)
x 25%	Percent of LOEP (Loss of Earning Power)
$200.01	LOEP rate
300	LOEP weeks
- 91	Less combined weeks paid in TTD, TPD
209	LOEP weeks due
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x $200.01	Rate
$41,802.09	Gross Value

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