

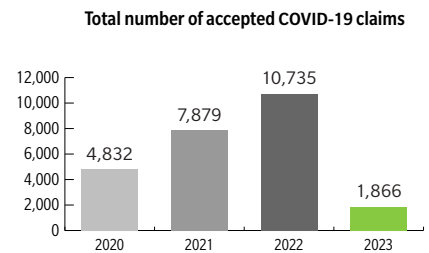
# COVID-19 claim data

January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2023

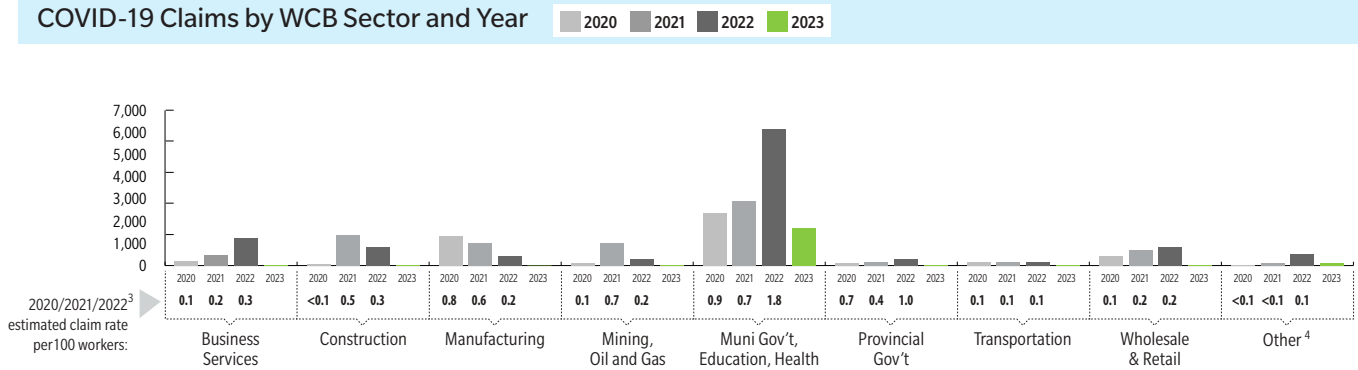


## COVID-19 Claims by Claim Decision and Year

Claim decision	2020	2021	2022	2023
Accepted	4,832	7,879	10,735	1,866
Not accepted <sup>1</sup>	656	1,573	2,543	468
Other <sup>2</sup>	89	5	2	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,577</b>	<b>9,457</b>	<b>13,280</b>	<b>2,366</b>



## COVID-19 Claims by WCB Sector and Year



January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2023

Average time away from work				Return-to-work outcomes				Accepted fatality claims <sup>5</sup>				Acceptance rate <sup>6</sup>			
2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023	2020	2021	2022	2023
20.9 days	20.9 days	8.4 days	5.3 days	99.4%	97.8%	99.0%	99.8%	<5	31	8	0	88.0%	83.4%	80.8%	79.9%

<sup>1</sup> Not accepted claims include:

- illness not arising out of/in course of employment
- not covered under *Workers' Compensation Act*

<sup>2</sup> Other claims include:

- pending (a decision has not been made yet)
- processed (a claim has been registered and medical costs are being paid, but the claim has not been reviewed for a decision)
- medical investigation (further medical assessments are required before a decision can be made)

<sup>3</sup> 2023 claim rates not yet available

<sup>4</sup> Other includes accepted claims from other sectors as well as claims not yet assigned a sector

<sup>5</sup> Categories with fewer than five claims are masked to protect individual privacy

<sup>6</sup> Based on confirmed COVID-19 claims where an entitlement decision has already been made