

MSI INJURY STATS CONSTRUCTION NL 2017-2021



MSI IN CONSTRUCTION

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR 2017-2021



INJURED WORKERS

MSI's were responsible for 58.2% of all lost time injuries in the construction industry (equivalent to 893 injured workers).



COSTS

These injuries resulted in approximately \$77.4 million in claims costs.



TIME

MSI resulted in 121,062 weeks of lost work for employees and lost productivity for employers.

MSI BY OCCUPATION - CONSTRUCTION Top 5

Trades Helpers/Labourers	21.0%
Carpenters.....	19.9%
Heavy Equip. Operators (except crane).....	6.1%
Truck Drivers.....	4.5%
Plumbers	3.5%

MSI BY NATURE OF INJURY - CONSTRUCTION Top 5

Sprains, strains, tears	48.0%
Back pain, hurt back.....	10.8%
Soreness, pain, hurt, except the back.....	10.5%
Traumatic injuries to muscles,	4.7%
tendons, ligaments, joints, etc.	
Soft tissue injury (traumatic).....	4.2%

MSI BY BODY PARTS - CONSTRUCTION Top 5

Multiple body parts	22.4%
Knee(s).....	18.1%
Sacral region.....	14.6%
Lumbar region.....	10.5%
Shoulder, including clavicle, scapula.....	11.6%

MSI BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT - CONSTRUCTION Top 5

Overexertion in lifting	15.0%
Bending, climbing, crawling, reaching,..	10.8%
twisting.	
Fall to floor, walkway or other surface...	12.0%
Slip, trip, loss of balance - without fall...	10.0%
Bodily reaction and exertion.....	7.6%