

Oregon Workers' Compensation Benefits for Accepted Fatal Injuries

New Benefit Levels effective July 1, 2022

*Benefits apply to Oregon injured workers subject to ORS Chapter 656 with
dates of injury on or after July 1, 2022.*

Benefits are not due until claim acceptance.

Final Disposition & Funeral expenses:

\$26,504.80 (unpaid balance paid to worker's estate)

Spouse = \$3,843.39 a month

Children: combined max = \$7,686.20 a month

Children (up to age 19) = \$1,441.20 a month

Children age 19 to 26 are allowed benefits while attending higher education or GED courses (48 month max) = \$1,441.20 a month*

* *Children (age 19 to 26) **without any living parent** = \$3,843.39 a month while attending higher education/GED courses.*

Other Dependents: combined max = \$576.48 a month

"Other Dependents" are named relatives who were dependent, in whole or in part, on the worker. Benefit is based on 50% of average monthly support actually received from the worker during the previous 12 months.

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