

**PENNSYLVANIA COMPENSATION RATING BUREAU  
BENEFIT LEVEL CHANGE EXHIBIT**

The following table lists calculated effects of benefit changes by type of injury. **In most cases, the benefit changes reflected in this table measure only that portion of the annual changes in indemnity benefits attributable to annual changes in the maximum and minimum benefit levels made in accordance with changes in the statewide average weekly wage.** Other changes, some of which include effects on medical benefits, occasionally take place in conjunction with the enactment of specific legislation such as Act 44 of 1993, Act 57 of 1996, Act 184 of 2014 and Act 111 of 2018. Such changes are identified with specific footnotes in the following table.

The PCRБ does not use separate estimates of benefit changes (or “on-level factors”) in its loss cost filings, in compliance with a previous Insurance Department Order directing that these changes should be included in trend analysis rather than being separately stated. However, data of this type is often requested by insurers and other interested parties. The following table is provided for purposes of comparison to other jurisdictions and/or as a source for information that carriers may elect to use or refer to in the development of their own independent, competitive rating value filings.

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**HISTORY OF BENEFIT LEVEL CHANGES**

<u>Date of Amendment</u>	<u>Death</u>	<u>P.T.</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Minor</u>	<u>Temporary</u>	<u>Indemnity</u>	<u>Medical</u>	<u>Total</u>	
3/17/68								1.1840	
5/01/72	1.6790	1.3840	2.1890	1.8800	1.3840		1.0000	1.4600	
1/01/73	1.0360	1.0360	1.0360	1.0360	1.0360		1.0000	1.0260	
7/01/73	Occupational Disease Claims brought under W.C. Law								1.0350
1/01/74	1.0340	1.0340	1.0340	1.0340	1.0340		1.0000	1.0250	
1/01/75	1.0330	1.0330	1.0330	1.0330	1.0330		1.0000	1.0240	
2/03/75	1.2830	1.2330	1.2130	1.1800	1.2250		1.0300	1.1750	
7/01/75	1.0000	1.0020	1.0110	1.0470	1.1140		1.0000	1.0250	
1/01/76	1.0290	1.0290	1.0290	1.0290	1.0290		1.0000	1.0220	
1/01/77	1.0420	1.0420	1.0420	1.0420	1.0420		1.0000	1.0320	
1/01/78	1.0250	1.0250	1.0250	1.0250	1.0250		1.0000	1.0190	
1/01/79	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270		1.0000	1.0210	
1/01/80	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270	1.0270		1.0000	1.0200	
1/01/81	1.0303	1.0303	1.0303	1.0303	1.0303	1.0303	1.0000	1.0229	
1/01/82	1.0308	1.0308	1.0308	1.0308	1.0308	1.0308	1.0000	1.0221	
1/01/83	1.0490	1.0355	1.0133	1.0045	1.0355	1.0301	1.0000	1.0209	
1/01/84	1.0292	1.0202	1.0078	1.0027	1.0202	1.0170	1.0000	1.0125	
1/01/85	1.0066	1.0191	1.0070	1.0024	1.0191	1.0141	1.0000	1.0095	
1/01/86	1.0044	1.0133	1.0048	1.0018	1.0133	1.0103	1.0000	1.0065	
1/01/87	1.0036	1.0099	1.0036	1.0014	1.0099	1.0075	1.0000	1.0048	
1/01/88	1.0054	1.0160	1.0059	1.0020	1.0160	1.0113	1.0000	1.0077	
1/01/89	1.0067	1.0192	1.0070	1.0026	1.0192	1.0138	1.0000	1.0082	
1/01/90	1.0083	1.0238	1.0090	1.0032	1.0238	1.0172	1.0000	1.0108	
1/01/91	1.0075	1.0188	1.0073	1.0025	1.0188	1.0124	1.0000	1.0075	
1/01/92	1.0080	1.0202	1.0077	1.0027	1.0202	1.0120	1.0000	1.0068	
1/01/93	1.0062	1.0183	1.0066	1.0024	1.0183	1.0100	1.0000	1.0053	
9/01/93	a	1.0035	0.9907	1.0000	1.0000	0.9907	0.9943	0.7082	0.8729
1/01/94		1.0059	1.0161	1.0064	1.0023	1.0161	1.0090	1.0000	1.0054
1/01/95		1.0048	1.0117	1.0048	1.0017	1.0117	1.0066	1.0000	1.0040
1/1/96		1.0054	1.0151	1.0060	1.0021	1.0151	1.0088	1.0000	1.0059
6/24/96	b	0.9383	0.4310	0.9383	0.9382	0.9383	0.8799	1.0000	0.9296
1/1/97		1.0039	1.0097	1.0040	1.0014	1.0097	1.0052	1.0000	1.0026
1/1/98		1.0055	1.0151	1.0061	1.0021	1.0151	1.0081	1.0000	1.0041
1/1/99		1.0064	1.0204	1.0082	1.0029	1.0204	1.0113	1.0000	1.0056
1/1/00		1.0061	1.0166	1.0066	1.0024	1.0166	1.0092	1.0000	1.0048
1/1/01		1.0086	1.0207	1.0086	1.0030	1.0207	1.0122	1.0000	1.0063
1/1/02		1.0040	1.0098	1.0041	1.0015	1.0098	1.0059	1.0000	1.0029
1/1/03		1.0024	1.0060	1.0025	1.0009	1.0060	1.0036	1.0000	1.0017
1/1/04		1.0028	1.0072	1.0031	1.0011	1.0072	1.0043	1.0000	1.0022
1/1/05		1.0058	1.0160	1.0065	1.0023	1.0160	1.0091	1.0000	1.0045
1/1/06		1.0064	1.0172	1.0070	1.0024	1.0172	1.0093	1.0000	1.0047
1/1/07		1.0073	1.0194	1.0078	1.0027	1.0194	1.0098	1.0000	1.0050
1/1/08		1.0055	1.0153	1.0061	1.0022	1.0153	1.0074	1.0000	1.0036
1/1/09		1.0055	1.0153	1.0060	1.0022	1.0153	1.0072	1.0000	1.0033
1/1/10		1.0017	1.0032	1.0017	1.0006	1.0032	1.0018	1.0000	1.0009
1/1/11		1.0024	1.0048	1.0025	1.0009	1.0048	1.0027	1.0000	1.0014
1/1/12		1.0069	1.0082	1.0048	1.0017	1.0082	1.0050	1.0000	1.0026
1/1/13		1.0069	1.0137	1.0064	1.0023	1.0137	1.0070	1.0000	1.0035
1/1/14		1.0026	1.0067	1.0027	1.0010	1.0067	1.0032	1.0000	1.0015
12/26/14	c	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	0.9908	0.9949
1/1/15		1.0036	1.0100	1.0036	1.0013	1.0100	1.0045	1.0000	1.0021
1/1/16		1.0052	1.0120	1.0048	1.0017	1.0120	1.0059	1.0000	1.0027
1/1/17		1.0028	1.0076	1.0031	1.0011	1.0076	1.0039	1.0000	1.0018
1/1/18		1.0062	1.0136	1.0052	1.0018	1.0136	1.0066	1.0000	1.0032
10/24/18	d	1.0140	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0000	1.0002
1/1/19		1.0042	1.0107	1.0037	1.0013	1.0107	1.0049	1.0000	1.0023
1/1/20		1.0062	1.0135	1.0052	1.0018	1.0135	1.0065	1.0000	1.0031
1/1/21		1.0077	1.0201	1.0075	1.0026	1.0201	1.0093	1.0000	1.0044

a Act 44 of 1993  
b Act 57 of 1996  
c Act 184 of 2014  
d Act 111 of 2018