

SHOREWORKER BENEFIT FUND:

WEEKLY INDEMNITY (WAGE LOSS)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Eligibility: worked a total of 120 hours in the plant

Payable for loss of earnings due to

- a) illness,
- b) injury not covered by EI, WCB or ICBC
- c) maternity- 27th week of pregnancy until 15 weeks after the date of birth.

Benefits:

Supplement**70%** of lost straight time earnings
Maximum**\$500** per week

15 weeks per claim for illness or injury or maternity, depending on your “WI Bank”.
Waiting period of three days.

Supplemental Unemployment Benefit (SUB)

Payable as a top up of EI benefits for lost earnings due to illness, injury or maternity.

WCB or ICBC reimbursement – you could be eligible for Weekly Indemnity (WI) Benefits as a “top-up” to the level you would have received on regular WI. You must contact the Union office or the SWBF office to receive the proper re-imbusement forms.

Supplement**70%** of lost straight time earnings less EI, WCB or ICBC benefits.
Maximum**15** weeks

TO FILL OUT FORM:

1. Member fills out top of page 1 and signs it and signs bottom of page 2
2. Doctor fills out page 2
3. Company fills out bottom of page 1. Company will send the form to the Benefit Fund.

The above is a general description, If you need help or more information:

SHOREWORKERS' BENEFIT FUND: 604 519-3634

First Floor - 326 12th Street, New Westminster, BC V3M 4H6

UFAWU-Unifor New Westminster: 604 519 3630

UFAWU-Unifor Prince Rupert: 250 624 6048 or 1-888 624 6625



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WEEKLY INDEMNITY CLAIM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CLAIMANT

Please fill out and sign this portion of the claim form and sign the patient authorization on the reverse side. Your doctor and your employer must also complete the form. Mail the completed form to the Shoreworkers' Benefit Fund at the address listed above.

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ POSTAL CODE _____

M _____ D _____ Y _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER _____ MALE _____ FEMALE _____

DATE YOU LAST WORKED _____ DATE OF DISABILITY _____

GIVE CAUSE OF DISABILITY (if due to an accident, please provide details): _____

IF YOU HAVE RETURNED TO WORK, PLEASE GIVE DATE: _____

IF YOU HAVE NOT RETURNED TO WORK, WHEN DO YOU EXPECT TO? _____

HAVE YOU FILED, OR DO YOU INTEND TO FILE A CLAIM FOR BENEFITS FROM:

EI WCB _____ ICBC _____
CLAIM NUMBER CLAIM NUMBER

IF HOSPITALIZED, PLEASE INDICATE DATES OF CONFINEMENT: _____

DATED _____ FROM _____ TO _____
SIGNED _____

EMPLOYER'S STATEMENT

NAME OF CLAIMANT _____ PAYROLL # _____ AGE _____

JOB CLASSIFICATION/S _____ WAGE RATE _____

HAS THE CLAIMANT ACCUMULATED 120 HOURS OF WORK? _____ 400 HOURS OF WORK? _____

DATE OF HIRE: M _____ D _____ 20 _____ DATE CLAIMANT LAST WORKED _____

DATE RETURNED TO WORK: M _____ D _____ 20 _____ FIRST DAY WORK WAS MISSED
AFTER DATE LAST WORKED _____

IF CLAIMANT IS LAID OFF, APPROXIMATE RECALL DATE: _____

CLAIM IS DUE TO: INJURY SICKNESS MATERNITY

HAS RECORD OF EMPLOYMENT BEEN ISSUED IN THE PAST 52 WEEKS? _____

IS THERE ANY POSSIBILITY OF WCB OR ICBC LIABILITY IN THIS CASE? _____

DO YOU, WITHOUT RESERVATION, RECOMMEND PAYMENT OF THIS CLAIM? _____

EMPLOYER _____ SIGNED BY MANAGEMENT _____ DATE _____

PLANT _____ SIGNED BY SHOP STEWARD _____ DATE _____

ATTENDING PHYSICIAN'S STATEMENT

Please complete this form and return it to your patient. Any fees for completion of this form are not the responsibility of the Shoreworkers' Benefit Fund.

PATIENT'S NAME _____ AGE _____

DID THIS INJURY OF ILLNESS ARISE OUT OF THE PATIENT'S EMPLOYMENT OR MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT? IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN: _____

IF REFERRED TO YOU, PLEASE GIVE NAME OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN _____

IS THIS CLAIM A RESULT OF PREGNANCY? _____ IF YES, WHAT IS ESTIMATED DATE OF DELIVERY? _____

DIAGNOSIS (DESCRIBE COMPLICATIONS, IF ANY) _____

IF HOSPITALIZED, GIVE NAME OF HOSPITAL _____

INDICATE ANY SURGICAL PROCEDURES _____

DATE: _____

DATES OF MOST RECENT VISITS REGARDING THIS DISABILITY

PLACE	MONTH	YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
AT OFFICE																																		
AT HOSPITAL																																		

THIS PATIENT HAS BEEN CONTINUOUSLY DISABLED (UNABLE TO WORK) FROM: _____ TO _____ (incl.)

IF STILL DISABLED, PLEASE GIVE APPROXIMATE DATE PATIENT SHOULD BE ABLE TO RETURN TO WORK: _____

IS THE PATIENT SCHEDULED FOR RE-ASSESSMENT? _____ IF YES, DATE _____

REMARKS THAT MAY BE HELPFUL _____

NAME OF PHYSICIAN _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

DATED _____ SIGNED _____

AUTHORIZATION OF PATIENT

I hereby authorize the release to the Shoreworkers' Benefit Fund of any information requested in respect of this claim.

DATED _____ SIGNATURE OF PATIENT _____