




# LAW ENFORCEMENT CLAIMS AWARENESS REVIEW



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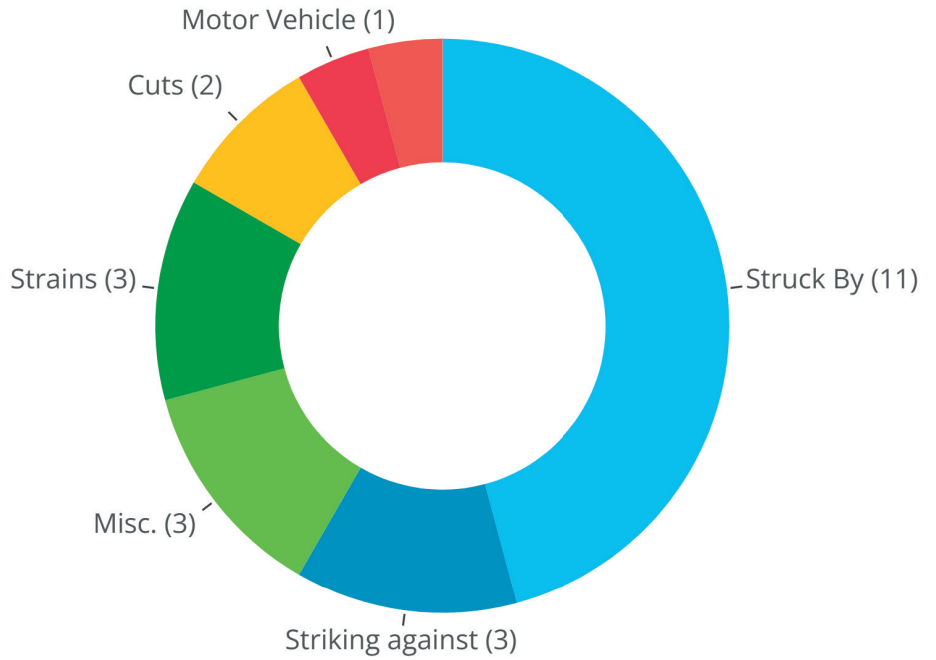
Total Claims

### LAW ENFORCEMENT WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS

- 10/4/2024 On an emergency call for a choking woman, placed hand inside closing door injuring L hand and wrist.
- 10/9/2024 Employee was bitten by a dog and the bite did not penetrate his bodysuit, but dog bit him on his rt forearm, which started causing numbness in his fingers.
- 10/10/2024 Foot pursuit with suspect, fell to ground injuring L hand, R elbow, and both knees.
- 10/10/2024 Scraped L ring finger, L elbow, and both knees during a physical altercation with subject.
- 10/10/2024 Scraped R elbow during altercation taking juvenile to ground.
- 10/10/2024 Employee was fighting a suspect on the roadway. While doing so he received lacerations to his fingers on L hand and R knee.
- 10/11/2024 Arrest altercation, twisted R knee.
- 10/12/2024 Arrest altercation, injury to right knee.
- 10/13/2024 Employee was driving and looking for a vehicle when he struck a concrete post, cutting the top of his head.
- 10/14/2024 R ring finger injury after carrying a resisting subject on stretcher.
- 10/16/2024 Arrest altercation, took suspect to ground causing L knee pain.
- 10/18/2024 Employee started to feel chest pain, flushed face, and became sweaty while driving.
- 10/23/2024 Sudden stop due to vehicle in front and was rear ended, causing headache and neck pain.
- 10/23/2024 Clearing homeless people from a building and was exposed to mold, animal and human feces, and urine. Inhalation of noxious fumes and gases.
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- 10/23/2024 Arrest altercation, struck multiple times in chest. L wrist twisted as it caught in cuffs, causing pain from middle of forearm down to fingers, with tingling sensation.
- 10/25/2024 Slipped off curb during recruit run, rolled L ankle.
- 10/25/2024 Car pursuit and then foot pursuit, tripped over the suspect and received multiple injuries.
- 10/25/2024 Trying to put handcuffs on a suspect, tripped over the officer on the ground, fell and injured R knee.
- 10/29/2024 Assisting EMS on a fire, moving people back, and debris fell on L upper arm causing pain and blister.
- 10/30/2024 Pulled wires on taser after administering on suspect, poked R thumb with barb. Possible bodily fluid exposure.
- 10/31/2024 Arrest altercation, possible Hep C exposure w/ multiple injuries.

*The above descriptions are a sample of claims from the month. Not all claims are included.*

Struck By	11	45.8%
Striking against	3	12.5%
Misc.	3	12.5%
Strains	3	12.5%
Cuts	2	8.33%
Motor Vehicle	1	4.17%
Arrests	1	4.17%



Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	TOTAL
Arrests	46	68	70	69	87	30	370
Struck By	50	52	57	53	66	26	304
Strains	38	55	55	66	65	26	305
Misc.	58	51	33	43	42	12	239
Exposure	11	15	12	14	13	10	75
Motor Vehicle	25	28	26	24	27	10	140
Striking against	16	8	5	8	10	7	54
Falls/Slips/Trips	30	52	38	33	27	7	187
Cuts	20	23	13	13	11	4	84
Caught between	3	5	1	2	4	2	17
Burn	0	1	2	2	1	2	8
Covid-19	59	52	28	1	0	0	140
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>1,923</b>



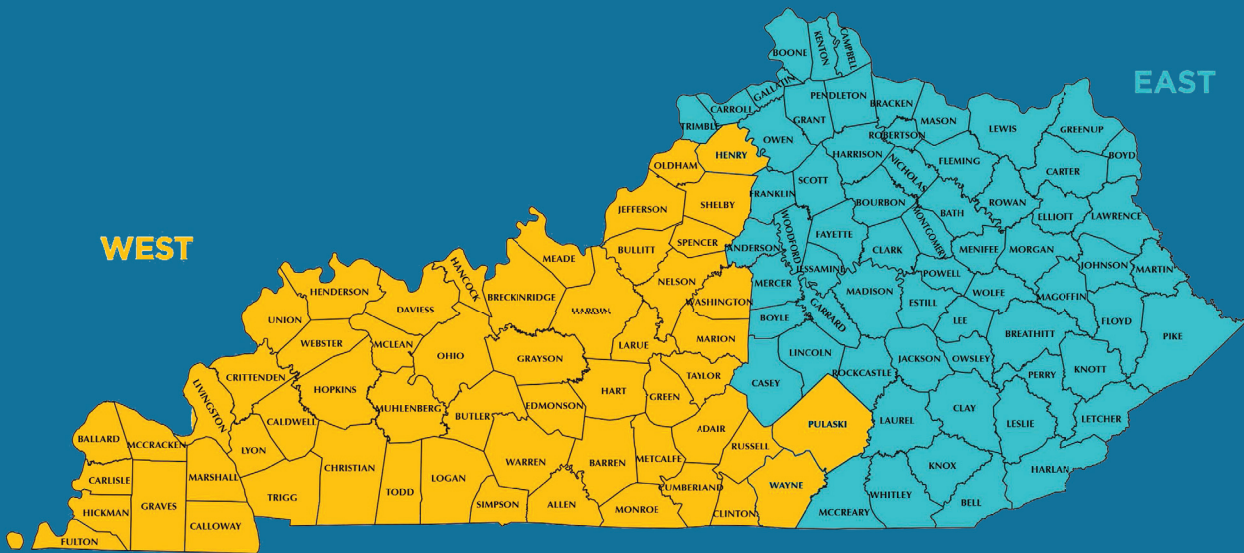
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BELOW 100**

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WEAR YOUR SEATBELT,  
& SLOW DOWN!**



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