

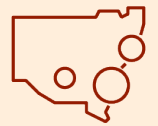
NSW Young Workers Fatalities

Worker fatalities Australia/State, 2021*

Work-related injury data fatalities Key WHS statistics Australia 2022| Safe Work Australia



Australian Total:
169 fatalities (1.3 per 100,000 workers)



NSW Total:
46 fatalities (1.1 per 100,000 workers)



Machinery operators and drivers
8.2 fatalities per 100,000 workers



Labourers
2.9 fatalities per 100,000 workers

Worker fatalities by age group, Australia, 2021

Age group (years)	Number of fatalities	Fatality rate (fatalities per 100,000 workers)
Under 25	16	0.9

Serious claims by age group, Australia, 2020 - 21

Age group (years)	Claims	Frequency rates (serious claims per million hours worked)	Incidence rates (serious claims per thousand employee)
Under 20	4,581	7.5	6.5
20-24	11,905	6.9	9.7

NSW Young Workers 2020-2023*

State Insurance Regulatory Authority (SIRA)| SafeWork NSW



Construction
19% of claims from young workers in NSW.



Trades
95% of occupations are technicians, trades workers or labourers.



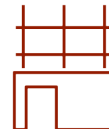
Compensation
The cost to the industry to date is **\$115m** in worker compensation claims between 2020 - 2023.



Mechanism of Incident
71% of claims were for the following mechanism of incident; falls, trips and slips, hitting objects or being hit by objects.



Plumbing and Electrical
Across the construction industry, plumbing and electrical services account for **27%** of claims for workers ages between 15 - 24 years old.



Carpentry
Across the construction industry, carpentry account for **13%** of claims for workers ages between 15 - 24 years old.

Injury types to young construction workers in NSW

- **4** Deaths have occurred to young workers
- **80** Permanent partial disability
- **2** Permanent total disability
- **9,976** Temporary disability

Breakdown Agency

The most common injuries for under 25 year olds are:

- Cutting, slicing and sawing machinery
- Power and handheld tools
- Trips
- Muscular stress

* Workers compensation claims data from the last 4 years in construction industry.

* Fatalities are presented according to the state or territory where the fatality occurred not the jurisdiction under which the fatality fell.

* Reportable claims between 1 January 2020 - 30 June 2023 by Industry, where the claimant's age when the injury occurred or when the disease was first reported to the employer is between 15-24 years old (includes both minor and major claims) in the construction sector.