

40115 Landscaping

PAYROLL

2024 PAYROLL	PAYROLL PERCENTAGE OF CLASSIFICATIONS	2024 REBATE	PROPORTION OF PAYROLL CERTIFIED
\$87.6M	4%	\$48K	28%

SEVERE INJURIES	TIMELOSS INJURIES	RATE RISK CATEGORY												
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TOP THREE INJURIES

PRIMARY CAUSE OF THE INJURY	PRIMARY SOURCE OF THE INJURY	NATURE OF THE INJURY	BODY PART INJURED
1. Struck by falling object	1. Dislocations	1. Bodily motion or position of worker	1. Fingers
2. Overexertion in lifting	2. Sprains, strains, tears	2. Chainsaw	2. Shoulders
3. Bending, climbing, crawling	3. Open wounds	3. Logs, limbed or unlimbed	3. Ankles

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This classification continues to see significant payroll growth from \$79.7M in 2023 to \$87.6M in 2024. Approximately 28% of the payroll is safety certified.

This growth may explain the significant increase in Severe Injuries, 15 in 2023 to 25 in 2024, of which 16 took place in a non certified work environment.

The classification had been recently moved to a higher Risk Category 200%. It continues to incur claims costs reflective of the assigned category.

Please refer to the cover page to identify the top 3 drivers of Severe Injuries in the Landscaping Industry over the past 5 years.

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Rate Risk Category

150%

Included	Similar but Classified Elsewhere
<p>✓ Landscape construction, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soil contouring, shaping and moving • Laying sod • Planting trees, shrubs and flowers • Pruning/cutting trees and shrubs <p>Includes incidental activities, like construction of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fences • Decks • Concrete or interlocking brick work <p>Also includes snow removal when performed by a landscaping contractor.</p>	<p>✗ Landscape architecture and design is found under 703-02, "Architects & Engineers".</p> <p>✗ Custom construction of wooden fences or decks is found under 401-02, "Building Construction".</p> <p>✗ Custom installation of metal fencing is found under 401-04, "Installing Metal Products".</p> <p>✗ Custom installation of interlocking bricks or concrete is found under 401-10, "Concrete Work".</p> <p>✗ Custom snow removal is found under 501-03, "Waste Management, Snow Removal & Towing".</p> <p>✗ Yard and lawn maintenance is found under industry code 706-05, "Yard Maintenance & Pest Control".</p>
<p>✓ Installation, repair and servicing of underground automatic water sprinkler systems.</p>	<p>✗ Installation, service & repair of indoor automatic sprinkler systems is found under 402-04, "Plumbing, Insulating & Mechanical".</p>
<p>✓ Installation of continuous extruded-concrete curbing and borders for driveways, walkways, patios, flower beds, shrubbery, etc.</p>	<p>✗ Constructing curbs where forming and rebar are involved is found under 401-10, "Concrete Work".</p>

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✓ Operation of a sod farm – grow, strip, roll and haul sod. Includes placing the sod.	✗ Agricultural crop farming is found under 102-02, "Farming - Crop Production".
✓ Supply of soil mixes and aggregates for landscaping purposes. Includes incidental delivery.	✗ Operation of a sand or gravel pit is found under 408-06, "Stone & Gravel Pits". ✗ Custom hauling of soil or gravel is found under 501-02, "Local & Long-Haul Trucking".
✓ Golf course construction	✗ Golf course design is found under 703-02, "Architects & Engineers". ✗ Coverage for the operation of a private golf course is optional and is found under 901-04, "Arcades, Billiards, Bowling, Recreational Clubs & Rinks". Operation of a municipal golf course is found under 801-02, "Municipal Operations".
✓ Reforestation activities – planting young trees to reclaim forest destroyed by logging activities or fire. ✓ Silviculture – similar to reforestation, this activity involves regeneration surveys (post harvesting analysis in the bush) and pre-harvesting work. ✓ Arborist operations related to landscaping, pruning, thinning and removing trees.	✗ Tree farms and nurseries are found under 103-05, "Greenhouses, Nurseries & Market Gardening".

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