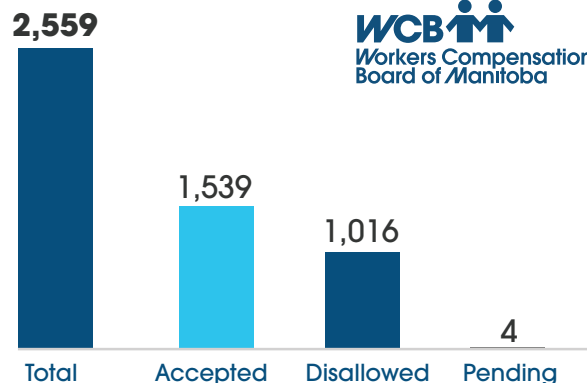


COVID-19 Claims by Adjudication Status

March 15, 2020 – August 31, 2021



Total Claims	Accepted	Disallowed	Pending
2,559	1,539	1,016	4

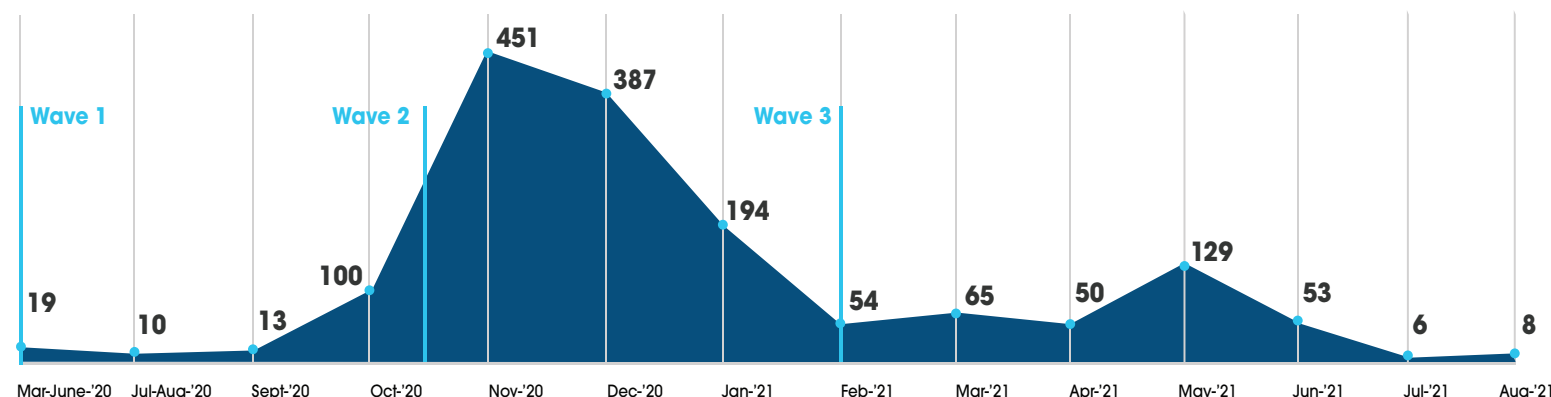


Accepted COVID-19 Claims by Industry Sector

March 15, 2020 – August 31, 2021

Industry Sector	Accepted COVID-19 Claims
Healthcare	1,010
Public Administration	221
Service	76
Construction	58
Manufacturing	52
Trade	52
Transportation	42
Natural Resources	28
Total	1,539

Accepted COVID-19 Claims by Month



Notes:

- Data is for the period of March 15th, 2020 to August 31st, 2021 with adjudication status current to August 14th, 2021.
- Some of the months are combined in Figure 1 to meet the confidentiality requirements threshold of minimum count of five.
- Table 1 data includes claims with potential COVID-19 exposure that have not yet been diagnosed. A claim is created as a COVID-19 claim when the claimant indicates that there was potential COVID-19 exposure.
- Adjudication Status: The WCB adjudication decision (accepted, disallowed) or current adjudication status (pending).
- Accepted Claim: A claim is accepted when the WCB determines the worker has suffered a work-related injury or illness.

- Disallowed Claim: A claim that is not accepted by the WCB is counted as disallowed. Some reasons that lead to a disallowed claim include:
 - the worker did not sustain an injury or illness, including self-isolation with no symptoms;
 - the injury or illness was not the result of an accident (as defined under The Workers Compensation Act) arising out of and in the course of the worker's employment;
 - the worker had no WCB coverage;
 - the worker elected to file a claim under another insurance carrier (when the right of election was applicable);
 - there was insufficient information to adjudicate the claim;
 - the worker decided not to pursue the claim.