



**Office of the President  
University of Massachusetts**

## **NOTICE OF INJURY/ILLNESS REPORT**

**This form is intended for internal use for all Human Resources Division/Workers' Compensation Unit user agencies and must be completed in its entirety. All Notice of Injury Reports must be electronically filed within 48 hours of an Industrial Accident.**

Employee #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury/Illness: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: University of Massachusetts - President's Office

Agency mailing address: 333 South Street; 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Shrewsbury, MA 01545

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_ (Last) \_\_\_\_\_

Sex:  Male  Female

Employee Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

State Hire Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Department Hire Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Status:  Full Time Employee  Part Time Employee Work Hours/Wk: \_\_\_\_\_

Shift:  1<sup>st</sup>  2<sup>nd</sup>  3<sup>rd</sup> Number of scheduled days off per week: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: (Official Position Title) \_\_\_\_\_

Functional Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Payroll Funding Source:  State Payroll  Trust Funded  Federal Funded

Job Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Position Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Position #: \_\_\_\_\_ Union Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of event: \_\_\_\_\_  am  pm Date Reported: \_\_\_\_\_

Time work began on day of event: \_\_\_\_\_  am  pm

Event occurred:  Before  During  After Work shift

What was employee doing just before the event occurred, *describe the activity as well as any tools, equipment or material the employee was using. Be specific. Examples:* (Walking down the hallway carrying supplies. Restraining a patient. Pouring cleaning solution into a bucket in order to wash the floor.)

Third Party Claim:  Yes  No

How did the injury or illness occur: *Example:* (Employee tripped over an electrical cord and fell to the floor; Patient was flailing and hit the employee; Cleaning solution splashed while being poured.)

What was the source of the injury or illness? *Source means the object or substance that directly harmed the employee. What object or substance directly harmed the employee?" Example:* (The floor; A patient; Cleaning solution)

Nature of Injury or illness: *Describe the Nature of the injury.* Example: (strained back; contusion; disorders of the eye)

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Body part(s) affected, a narrative of *body parts affected.* Example: (low back; face, arm; eyes)

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Injury/Illness detail (Choose Only from the Attached List):

Select Body Part: \_\_\_\_\_

Select Injury/illness: \_\_\_\_\_

Select One or More Event Categories:

<input type="checkbox"/> Fall	<input type="checkbox"/> Lifting	<input type="checkbox"/> MVA (Motor Vehicle Accident)
<input type="checkbox"/> Assault	<input type="checkbox"/> Exposure to Harmful Substances	<input type="checkbox"/> Repetitive Use
<input type="checkbox"/> Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/> Moving/Walking	<input type="checkbox"/> Stress/Heart Attack
<input type="checkbox"/> Burn	<input type="checkbox"/> Cut	<input type="checkbox"/> Restraint
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Needlestick/Bloodborne Pathogen Exposure	

Severity of Injury or Illness:

(1) Minor injury; no likely lost time; no likely medical bills  
 (2) Small injury; no likely lost time; possible medical bills  
 (3) Moderate injury; possible lost time; probable medical bills  
 (4) Significant injury; probably 0 to 5 days of lost time and medical bills  
 (5) Severe injury; probably 5 plus days lost time and medical bills

Where The Injury Occurred:

Building: \_\_\_\_\_

Injury/Illness Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Was the event the result of a violent act?  Yes  No

Was the employee engaging in usual job activities?  Yes  No

If no, explain:

Injury reported to: \_\_\_\_\_

Did the injured/ill worker:

- a. Lose consciousness?  Yes  No
- b. Require medical treatment more than first aid?  Yes  No
- c. Have an injury from a contaminated needlestick or other sharp device?  Yes  No
- d. Have a significant work-related injury/illness diagnosed by a health care professional?  Yes  No
- e. Require transfer to another job or modified duty?  Yes  No

If employee died as a result of injury/illness, what was the date of death? \_\_\_\_\_

**Supervisor:** Are you satisfied that the injury occurred as stated?  Yes  No

If no, explain

**Manager:** Are you satisfied that the injury occurred as stated?  Yes  No

If no, explain:

Was the event witnessed?  Yes  No

**If Yes, provide the names of witnesses and ask that each prepare a witness statement in their own handwriting and fax those statements to your claims adjuster.**

Witness: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Tel \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Tel \_\_\_\_\_

Did the employee seek medical attention?  Yes  No

If so, where?

- a. Facility: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Street: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Town: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Did the employee seek medical attention away from the worksite?  Yes  No

Was employee treated in an emergency room?  Yes  No

Was employee hospitalized overnight as an in-patient?  Yes  No

Is employee a disabled veteran or has any other known disability?  Yes  No  Unknown

Do you feel the employee would benefit from any referral to Rehabilitation?  Yes  No  Unknown

Do you feel the claim warrants further investigation?  Yes  No

Please attach any information you feel would be useful to HRDWC Unit in managing this claim.  
Please attach employee job description.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Attachment for Body Parts and Injuries

Body Parts		
<b>Head</b>	Hip/Buttocks/Groin (Buttocks)	<b>Upper Extremities</b>
Brain	Hip/Buttocks/Groin (Groin)	Arm(s), unspecified (Left)
Ear(s), unspecified	Hip/Buttocks/Groin (Hips)	Arm(s), unspecified (Right)
Ear(s), external	Shoulder(s) (Left)	Arm(s), unspecified (Both)
Ear(s), internal	Shoulder(s) (Right)	Arm(s), unspecified (Armpit)
Eye(s) (Left)	Shoulder(s) (Both)	Arm(s), upper (Left)
Eye(s) (Right)	Trunk, Multiple	Arm(s), upper (Right)
Eye(s) (Both)	<b>Lower Extremities</b>	
Face, unspecified	Leg(s), unspecified (Left)	Elbow(s) (Left)
Jaw, Chin	Leg(s), unspecified (Right)	Elbow(s) (Right)
Mouth & Throat (Lips)	Leg(s), unspecified (Both)	Elbow(s) (Both)
Mouth & Throat (Multiple)	Knee(s) (Left)	Arm(s), lower (forearm) (Left)
Mouth & Throat (Tongue)	Knee(s) (Right)	Arm(s), lower (forearm) (Right)
Mouth & Throat (Tooth/teeth)	Knee(s) (Both)	Arm(s), lower (forearm) (Both)
Mouth & Throat (Unspecified)	Leg(s), lower (e.g. calf, shin) (Left)	Arm(s), multiple (Left)
Mouth & Throat (Internal (e.g. vocal cords, larynx))	Leg(s), lower (e.g. calf, shin) (Right)	Arm(s), multiple (Right)
Nose	Leg(s), lower (e.g. calf, shin) (Both)	Arm(s), multiple (Both)
Face, multiple	Leg(s), multiple (Left)	Wrist(s) (Left)
Face (Cheeks)	Leg(s), multiple (Right)	Wrist(s) (Right)
Face (Forehead)	Leg(s), multiple (Both)	Wrist(s) (Both)
Scalp	Leg(s), upper (e.g. thigh, hamstring) (Left)	Hand(s), not wrist/fingers (Left)
Skull	Leg(s), upper (e.g. thigh, hamstring) (Right)	Hand(s), not wrist/fingers (Right)
Head, Multiple	Leg(s), upper (e.g. thigh, hamstring) (Both)	Hand(s), not wrist/fingers (Both)
Head	Ankle (Left)	Finger(s)
<b>Neck</b>	Ankle (Right)	Upper Extremities, multiple (Left)
Neck & cervical vertebrae	Ankle (Both)	Upper Extremities, multiple (Right)
<b>Trunk</b>	Foot or Feet, except ankle/toe (Left)	Upper Extremities, multiple (Both)
Trunk, UNS	Foot or Feet, except ankle/toe (Right)	<b>Other</b>
Abdomen, internal organs/hernia	Foot or Feet, except ankle/toe (Both)	Other (Body system)
Back	Toe(s)	Other (Multiple body parts)
Chest/Breastbone (Internal organs)	Lower Extremities, multiple (Left)	Non-Classifiable
Chest/Breastbone (Ribs, breastbone)	Lower Extremities, multiple (Right)	
	Lower Extremities, multiple (Both)	

<b>Injuries</b>	
<b>Acute Injuries</b>	<b>Mental disorders</b>
Amputation, enucleation	Mental disorders (Anxiety attacks)
Asphyxia, suffocation	Mental disorders (Other mental disorder or syndrome)
Burn, heat	Mental disorders (Stress)
Burn, chemical	<b>Other Work-related diseases/disorders</b>
Concussion	Other occupational disease
Contusion, crushing, bruise	Diseases of central nervous system
Cut, laceration, puncture (Except needlestick injury)	Diseases of peripheral nerves and ganglia
Cut, laceration, puncture (Needlestick/sharp injury )	Disease of the blood and blood forming organs
Cut, laceration, puncture (Splinter, chip (foreign body))	Disease of the gastro-intestinal tract
Dislocation	Carpal tunnel syndrome
Fracture	<b>Poisoning and toxic effects</b>
Effects of exposure to low temperature	Other poisoning due to toxic materials
Effects of environmental heat	Effects of lead
Hernia, rupture	<b>Respiratory conditions</b>
Effects of radiation	Other respiratory condition
Scratches, abrasion	Upper respiratory condition (e.g. allergic rhinitis)
Sprains, strains	Asthma
Multiple injuries	Asbestosis
Effects of atmospheric pressure	Silicosis
Bite/Burn/Other Injury (Bite, animal)	Influenza/Pneumonia (Influenza)
Bite/Burn/Other Injury (Bite, human)	Influenza/Pneumonia (Pneumonia)
Bite/Burn/Other Injury (Bite, insect)	<b>Skin conditions</b>
Bite/Burn/Other Injury (Burn, other)	Dermatitis
Bite/Burn/Other Injury (Other injury)	Infections of the skin
Electric shock/electrocution	Other skin conditions
<b>Heart/Circulatory System Conditions</b>	<b>Tumor, cancer</b>
Heart/Circulatory System (Heart condition/attack)	Tumor, unspecified
Heart/Circulatory System (High blood pressure)	Malignant Tumor
Heart/Circulatory System (Stroke or other circulatory condition)	Benign Tumor
<b>Hearing and eye disorders</b>	<b>Symptoms, ill defined conditions</b>
Hearing loss or impairment	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Back pain, hurt back)
Conjunctivitis	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Chest pains)
Other diseases of the eye	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Dizziness)
<b>Infectious or parasitic diseases</b>	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Headaches, migraine)
Tetanus	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Nausea, vomiting)
Tuberculosis	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Pain/Soreness, except back or chest)
Infectious/Parasasitic Diseases (Lyme disease)	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Sick building syndrome)
Infectious/Parasasitic Diseases (Other infectious or parasitic diseases)	Symptoms, ill defined conditions (Other symptoms and ill defined conditions)
Hepatitis - viral	<b>Other</b>
<b>Inflammation of the joints or tendons</b>	No injury or illness
Joint Inflammation, etc. (Arthritis)	Damage to prosthetic devices
Joint Inflammation, etc. (Bursitis)	Non-classifiable (Exposure to saliva/body fluids)
Joint Inflammation, etc. (Other Inflammation of the joints)	Non-classifiable (Non-classifiable)
Joint Inflammation, etc. (Sciatica)	Complications peculiar to medical care
Joint Inflammation, etc. (Tendonitis)	



## **WORKER'S COMPENSATION AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL RECORDS**

Employee's name \_\_\_\_\_

Employee ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

### **EMPLOYING AGENCY AND LOCATION:**

University of Massachusetts - President's Office  
333 South Street; 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Shrewsbury, MA 01545  
774-455-7568

DATE OF INJURY: \_\_\_\_\_

I am filing a claim for workers' compensation benefits and hereby authorize any hospital or other medical provider to release to the Human Resources Division (HRD), Workers' Compensation Section, *any and all information relative to my claim for benefits, including, but not limited to, psychiatric records, records pertaining to HIV (AIDS) or other records especially those protected by law*. I understand that HRD may share this information with my employer, medical and or vocational rehabilitation consultants, utilization review consultants, physicians and other medical care providers and other state agencies involved in the workers' compensation process and I hereby authorize such release to the other persons and entities described.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_