

## OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY LINKS AND QR CODES WSIB RATE FRAMEWORK CHANGES

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DESCRIPTION	INFORMATION – LINKS AND QR CODES
<p><b>Rate Framework: WSIB’s New Model:</b></p> <p>The WSIB is changing the way they set premium rates for the 300,000 Ontario businesses covered by workplace injury and illness insurance.</p> <p>The new model comes into effect January 1, 2020, changing the way businesses are classified, boosting fairness and increasing transparency in how premium rates are set and adjusted.</p> <p><b>What to expect in 2020?</b></p> <p>The new model will use a two-step approach to set and adjust premium rates for businesses.</p> <p><b>Step one</b> involves setting an average rate for each industry class based on their risk profile.</p> <p><b>Step two</b> looks at how your individual claim history compares to the rest of the businesses in your class.</p>	<p>Information on the Rate Framework Changes and the WSIB “New Model” can be found by following the link below. Information includes:</p> <p><b>The New Model</b> Learn more about the features of the new model and what to expect in 2020.</p> <p><b>Understanding your 2020 premium rate</b> Learn how 2020 premium rates are set under the new model and how the changes will affect your business.</p> <p><b>Changes to our experience rating programs</b> Learn more about why the MAP, NEER or CAD-7 experience rating programs are ending and what that means for you.</p> <p><b>Staying connected</b> Sign up for educational webinars, a newsletter and receive updates about the new premium rate setting model.</p> <p><b>Frequently asked questions</b> WSIB have compiled a list of the top questions businesses are asking about the new model.</p> <p><a href="https://www.wsib.ca/en/businesses/premiums-and-payment/rate-framework">https://www.wsib.ca/en/businesses/premiums-and-payment/rate-framework</a></p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>

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