

## Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4123-17-12 Catastrophe claims.

Effective: September 4, 2014

- (A) A "catastrophe" is defined as an occurrence in which two or more employees of one employer are killed or receive injuries resulting in permanent and total disability.
- (B) "Catastrophe cost" is defined as the total medical, compensation, and other costs, including reserves for future compensation costs, as a direct result of a catastrophe.
- (C) Catastrophe cost in excess of two hundred fifty thousand dollars shall not be included in the experience of a classification or of an employer.
- (D) Catastrophe cost in excess of two hundred fifty thousand dollars for a retrospective policy year as defined in rule 4123-17-41 of the Administrative Code, shall not be included in the annual evaluation or final settlement of that retrospective policy year.
- (E) Notwithstanding the provisions of this rule, the administrator may consider any special circumstances which may affect the determination of a catastrophe.