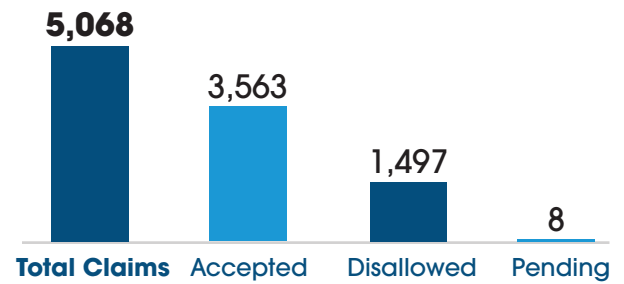


COVID-19 Claims Distribution by Adjudication Status

January 15, 2023

Total Claims	Accepted	Disallowed	Pending
5,068	3,563	1,497	8

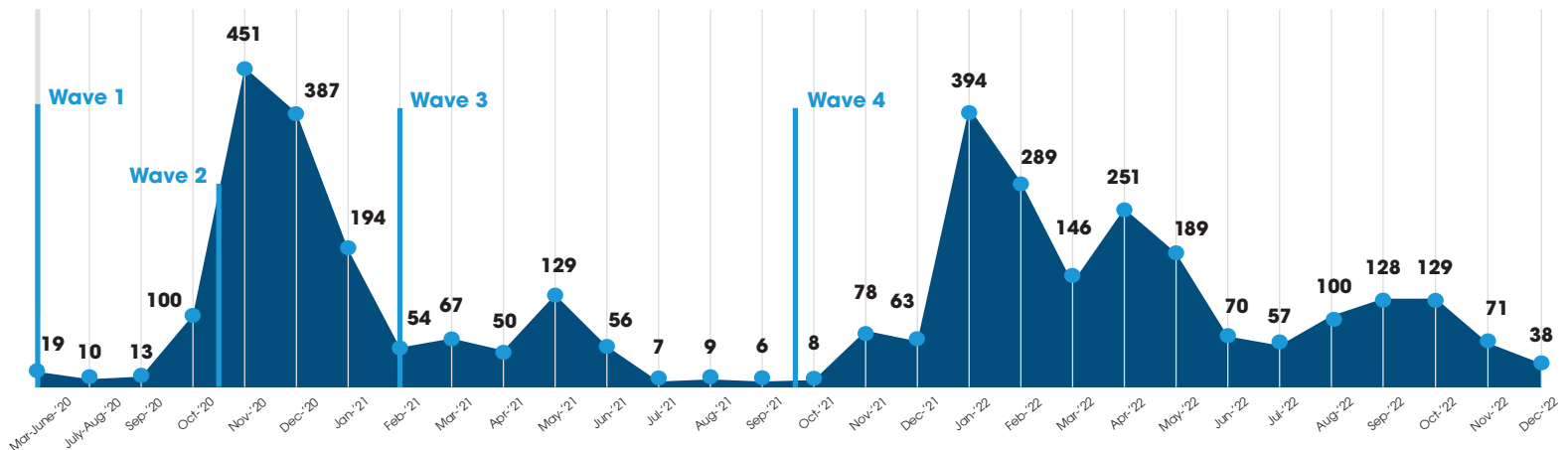


Accepted COVID-19 Claims by Industry Sector

March 15, 2020 – December 31, 2022

Industry Sector	Accepted COVID-19 Claims
Healthcare	2,134
Public Administration	759
Service	166
Manufacturing	130
Construction	121
Transportation	95
Trade	93
Natural Resources	65
Total	3,563

Accepted COVID-19 Claims by Month



Notes:

- Data is for the period of March 15, 2020 to December 31, 2022 with adjudication status current to January 15, 2023.
- 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.

Glossary:

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.