

**Statistics on occupational safety and health
from the four major procuring departments**

Types and cases of occupational injuries and deaths of outsourced non-skilled workers in 2022-23

Type	Number of cases			
	Security services	Cleansing services	Property and facility management services	Total
Trip, slip or fall	141	176	56	373
Striking against or struck by object	24	68	10	102
Injured whilst lifting or carrying object	9	67	5	81
Injured by violence or animal	11	13	1	25
Injured by heat or harmful substance	3	4	-	7
Injured by tool or machinery	-	1	-	1
Fall from height	-	3	-	3
Others	17	36	10	63
Total	205	368	82	655

Types and cases of occupational injuries and deaths of outsourced non-skilled workers in 2023-24

Type	Number of cases			
	Security services	Cleansing services	Horticultural maintenance, property and facility management services	Total
Trip, slip or fall	166	191	46	403
Striking against or struck by object	20	78	27	125
Injured whilst lifting or carrying object	13	73	9	95
Injured by violence or animal	13	18	2	33
Injured by heat or harmful substance	3	5	1	9
Injured by tool or machinery	1	6	4	11
Fall from height	-	1	-	1
Others	11	19	8	38
Total	227	391	97	715

Types and cases of occupational injuries and deaths of outsourced non-skilled workers in 2024-25 (as at 28 February 2025)

Type	Number of cases			
	Security services	Cleansing services	Horticultural maintenance, property and facility management services	Total
Trip, slip or fall	122	175	52	349
Striking against or struck by object	20	63	31	114
Injured whilst lifting or carrying object	9	64	5	78
Injured by violence or animal	5	17	5	27
Injured by heat or harmful substance	3	4	2	9
Injured by tool or machinery	1	6	3	10
Fall from height	1	4	1	6
Others	11	32	9	52
Total	172	365	108	645

Supplementary information

- (i) The above statistics include cases of occupational injuries and deaths of non-skilled workers reported to the Labour Department by contractors of the four major procuring departments in the past three years. There was no case of industrial accident¹ and occupational disease recorded by the said contractors in the past three years.
- (ii) Among the above statistics, there were two cases involving fatality of three non-skilled workers in 2022-23. One case involved a traffic accident resulting in the death of two workers. As for the other case, the cause of death of an employee was related to his/her underlying disease.
- (iii) The four major procuring departments do not compile statistics on the average number of days of sick leave taken by outsourced non-skilled workers due to work injury in the past three years.

¹ Industrial accident refers to injury and death arising from industrial activities in industrial undertakings as defined under the Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance.