



OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PROTECTION

You Have a Right to a Safe
and Healthful Workplace.

IT'S THE LAW!

- You have the right to notify your employer or TOSHA about workplace hazards. You may ask TOSHA to keep your name confidential.
- You have the right to request a TOSHA inspection if you believe that there are unsafe and unhealthful conditions in your workplace. You or your representative may participate in the inspection.
- You can file a complaint with TOSHA within 30 days of discrimination by your employer for making safety and health complaints or for exercising your rights under the TOSHA Act or the Tennessee Hazardous Chemical Right-to-Know Act.
- You have a right to see TOSHA citations issued to your employer. Your employer must post the citations at or near the place of the alleged violation.
- Your employer must correct workplace hazards by the date indicated on the citation and must certify that these hazards have been reduced or eliminated.
- You have rights under the Tennessee Right to Know Law concerning hazardous chemicals in your work area. Your employer must provide training about health effects, protective measures, safe handling procedures, as well as information on interpreting labels and safety data sheets (SDS). You must be provided access to the safety data sheets and the workplace chemical list.
- You have the right to copies of your medical records or records of your exposure to toxic and harmful substances or conditions.
- Your employer must post this notice in your workplace.



The **Tennessee Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1972**, T.C.A. §§ 50-3-101 et seq., assures safe and healthful working conditions for working men and women throughout the state. The Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Occupational Safety and Health (TOSHA) has the primary responsibility for administering the TOSHA Act. The rights listed here may vary depending on the particular circumstances. To file a complaint, report an emergency or seek TOSHA advice, assistance or information, call 800-249-8510 or your nearest TOSHA office. • Chattanooga (423) 634-6424 • Jackson (731) 423-5640 • Kingsport (423) 224-2042 • Knoxville (865) 594-6180 • Memphis (901) 543-7259 • Nashville (615) 741-2793. To file a complaint online or obtain information on Federal OSHA and other state programs, visit OSHA's website at www.osha.gov. For additional information on TOSHA visit [www. http://tn.gov/workforce/section/tosha](http://www.tn.gov/workforce/section/tosha).

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RIGHT TO WORK

TENNESSEE RIGHT TO WORK LAW

Tennessee Code Annotated §50-1-201 et seq. states that it is unlawful for any employer or organization of any kind:

1. To deny or attempt to deny employment to any person by reason of the person's membership in, affiliation with, resignation from or refusal to join or affiliate with any labor union or employee organization of any kind.
2. To enter into any contract, combination or agreement, written or oral, providing for exclusion from employment of any person because of membership in, affiliation with, resignation from or refusal to join or affiliate with any labor union or employee organization of any kind.
3. To exclude from employment any person by reason of the person's payment of or failure to pay dues, fees, assessments or other charges to any labor union or employee organization of any kind.
4. Operating in this state to execute an agreement with a union or employee organization of any kind that includes a maintenance of membership clause prohibiting employees from withdrawing from a labor union or employee organization prior to the agreement's expiration. This section shall not apply to a city, town, municipality or county including a county having a metropolitan form of government.

An employer or organization of any kind violating any of the provisions of this part commits a Class A misdemeanor.

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NO SMOKING NOTICE



NO SMOKING

Individual Violation: \$50 fine
Business Violation: \$100 - \$500 fine

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION



UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE POSTER FOR EMPLOYEES



Your employer provides insurance to help protect you when you become unemployed through no fault of your own. Tennessee employers pay the full cost of unemployment insurance for their employees. Nothing is deducted from your pay to cover the cost of this insurance nor does any money come from State of Tennessee funds.

To be eligible for benefits you must

- Be separated from employment through no fault of your own.
- Have qualifying wages in the base period.
- Be able and available for work.
- Search for work by making a minimum of three tangible job contacts and documenting during weekly certification process. You may log in to www.Jobs4tn.gov to search for work online.

You must keep your address current with the Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

Go to www.Jobs4tn.gov to apply for unemployment benefits, to file a wage protest, to file an appeal of an agency decision, to view/update information, and to view and update your choice of type of unemployment benefit payment.

You may log in to www.Jobs4tn.gov to register and search for work by using services offered by our Tennessee American Job Centers. The Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development has staff available to help you find a job or pursue training opportunities.

You may go to the Department's website at <http://www.tn.gov/workforce/topic/find-local-help> to find the location of the most convenient Tennessee American Job Center.

Please post in a conspicuous place.

The TN Department of Labor and Workforce Development is committed to principles of equal opportunity, equal access, and affirmative action.
Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Tennessee Relay Service is 711.

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PAYDAY NOTICE & CHILD LABOR LAWS



TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

WAGE REGULATION ACT

It is unlawful for any employer to employ, permit or suffer to work any person without first informing the employee of the amount of wages to be paid (T.C.A. §50-2-101). All wages or compensation of employees in private employment shall be due and payable not less frequently than once per month. Notice of regular paydays shall be posted by each employer in at least two conspicuous places.

REGULAR PAYDAY POSTED AS FOLLOWS:

(T.C.A. §50-2-103).

Each employee must have a 30-minute unpaid rest break or meal period if scheduled to work 6 hours consecutively, except in workplace environments that by the nature of business provide for ample opportunity to rest or take an appropriate break. Such break shall not be scheduled during or before the first hour of scheduled work activity (T.C.A. §50-2-103).

No employer shall discriminate between employees in the same establishment on the basis of sex by paying any employee salary or wage rates less than he pays to any employee of opposite sex for comparable skill, effort, and responsibility, and which are performed under similar working conditions (T.C.A. §50-2-202).

CHILD LABOR ACT

Minors 14 and 15 years of age may not be employed (T.C.A. §50-5-104):

1. During school hours;
2. Between 7:00 pm and 7:00 am;
3. More than 3 hours a day on a school day;
4. More than 18 hours a week during school weeks;
5. More than 8 hours a day on non-school days;
6. More than 40 hours a week during non-school weeks.

BREAK OR MEAL PERIOD (T.C.A. §50-5-115)

A minor must have a 30-minute unpaid break or meal period if scheduled to work 6 hours consecutively. Such break shall not be scheduled during or before the first hour of scheduled work activity.

OCCUPATIONS PROHIBITED FOR MINORS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 (T.C.A. §50-5-106)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. In or about plants or establishments manufacturing or storing explosives or articles containing explosive components;2. Motor vehicle driving occupations;3. Coal mine occupations;4. Logging and sawmill operations;5. Operation of power-driven woodworking machines;6. Exposure to radioactive substances and ionizing radiation;7. Operation of elevator and other power-driven hoisting apparatus;8. Operation of power-driven metal forming, punching and shearing machines;9. Mining elements other than coal;10. Slaughtering, meat packing, processing or rendering;11. Operation of power-driven bakery machines;12. Operation of power-driven paper products machines;13. Manufacture of brick, tile and kindred products;14. Operation of circular saws, band saws and guillotine shears; | <ol style="list-style-type: none">15. Wrecking, demolition and ship-breaking operations;16. Roofing operations;17. Excavation operations;18. In any place of employment where the average monthly gross receipts from the sale of intoxicating beverages exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total gross receipts of the place of employment, or in any place of employment where a minor will be permitted to take orders for or serve intoxicating beverages regardless of the amount of intoxicating beverages sold in the place of employment;19. Occupations involved in youth peddling.20. Posing or modeling alone or with others while engaged in sexual conduct for the purpose of preparing a film, photograph, negative, slide or motion picture;21. Any occupation which the commissioner shall by regulation declare to be hazardous or injurious to the life, health, safety and welfare of minors; |
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DUTIES OF EMPLOYERS (T.C.A. §50-5-111)

Employers of minors shall:

1. Maintain a separate file record for each minor employed which shall be kept at the minor's place of employment and shall include the following:
 - a. Employment application;
 - b. Copy of minor's birth certificate, driver's license, state issued ID or passport, as evidence of age by statute;
 - c. Accurate daily time record for all minors subject to the provisions of this Act;
 - d. Any records qualifying a minor for exemption under T.C.A. §50-5-107 (8)-(13).
2. Allow the department to inspect all premises where minors are or could be employed and the contents of the individual file records; and
3. Post in a conspicuous place on the business premises a printed notice of the provisions of the Child Labor Act furnished by the department;
4. Furnish the department with records relative to the employment of minors. Post in a conspicuous place on the business premises a printed notice of the provisions of the Child Labor Act furnished by the department;
5. If a minor is 16 or 17 years of age and is home schooled, the file must include documentation from the Director of the LEA, the home school, or church-related school that confirms the minor's enrollment and authorization to work (T.C.A. §50-5-105).

For information on state laws contact the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development Labor Standards Unit
Toll Free (844) 224-5818 **REGULATIONS** www.tn.gov/workforce

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WORKERS' COMPENSATION

TENNESSEE WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE

POSTING NOTICE

How to Report Work-Related Injuries

What should be done if injured at work?

Employee

1. Immediately **report the injury** to the employer representative named below.
2. **Select a treating physician** from a panel provided by your employer.
3. If you have questions or problems, contact the employer representative or the Bureau of Workers' Compensation.

Employer

1. Complete your company's internal "Workplace Injury form" and **notify your workers' compensation insurance company** immediately, even if you have concerns about the validity of the claim.
2. **Offer a panel of physicians** to the employee via Form C-42 available on the Bureau's website. *In cases of emergency, call an ambulance and provide this form as soon as the injured employee has stabilized.*

*Printed **name and title** of the employer representative to be notified in the event of a work-related injury**Printed name of an **alternative employer representative** to be notified in the event of a work-related injury****Telephone number** of employer representative to notify in event of a work-related injury****Address** of employer representative to notify in event of a work-related injury*

The Tennessee Bureau of Workers'
Compensation is available to help both
employees and employers.



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800-332-2667615-532-4810 TTD: 800-332-2257
tn.gov/workerscomp

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Workers' Compensation law requires this notice to be posted in a conspicuous place at the work site at all times.

DISCRIMINATION

TENNESSEE LAW PROHIBITS DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

IT IS ILLEGAL TO DISCRIMINATE AGAINST ANY PERSON BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, CREED, RELIGION, SEX, AGE, DISABILITY, OR NATIONAL ORIGIN IN RECRUITMENT, TRAINING, HIRING, DISCHARGE, PROMOTION, OR ANY CONDITION, TERM OR PRIVILEGE OF EMPLOYMENT.

If you feel that you have been discriminated against, contact the Tennessee Human Rights Commission in your region.**LA LEY DE TENNESSEE PROHIBE LA DISCRIMINACIÓN EN EL EMPLEO**

ES EN CONTRA DE LA LEY DISCRIMINAR EN CONTRA DE CUALQUIER PERSONA DEBIDO EN BASE A LA RAZA, COLOR, CREDO, RELIGIÓN, SEXO, EDAD, INCAPACIDAD U ORIGEN EN EL SELECCIÓN, ENTRENAMIENTO, EMPLEO, AL DESPEDIR, PROMOVER O CUALQUIER CONDICIÓN, TÉRMINO O PRIVILEGIO DE EMPLEO.

*Si usted cree que ha sido víctima de discriminación, comuníquese con la Comisión de Derechos Humanos de Tennessee.***CONTACT US/ PARA MAS INFORMACIÓN:**

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