

GAA Injury Scheme
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GAA INJURY CLAIM FORM

As a minimum the First Two pages must be submitted to Willis within 60 days of injury. Claims reported outside the 60 days will NOT be processed.

HOW TO COMPLETE THIS FORM

MEDICAL EXPENSES > SECTIONS A, E, F

LOSS OF WAGES (EMPLOYED) > SECTIONS A, C, D, E, F

LOSS OF WAGES (SELF EMPLOYED) > SECTIONS A, B, D, E, F

Claim No. _____

Section A. TO BE COMPLETED IN ALL CASES. PLEASE USE BLOCK LETTERS

Claimant/Injured Person

Full Address of Claimant

Date of Birth

Contact Number

Occupation (if applicable)

Employment Status (tick as appropriate)

Student

Employed

Self Employed

Unemployed

Name of Club/County (or School/College etc.)

Full Address of Club

Type of Team (e.g. Football, Hurling, Handball or Rounders)

Grade of Team (e.g. Senior, U18 etc.)

Team

A

B

C

Medical Insurance Details

VHI? Yes No

Other Insurance? Yes No

Quinn Health Care? Yes No

Hibernian Aviva Health? Yes No

Please specify full name of your Medical Insurance Cover Plan

The Injury Scheme only provides cover for non-recoverable costs up to the limit specified under the scheme. If you have medical insurance, a claim must be made with your Medical Provider. Therefore you must supply a statement of account or letter confirming you are not covered for your medical costs from your Medical Provider.

Failure to supply same will delay the assessment of your claim

Section A. TO BE COMPLETED IN ALL CASES. PLEASE USE BLOCK LETTERS
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Nature of Possible Claim (tick as appropriate)

Loss of Wages

- Applicable to Adults/Youths who are in full time employment ('employment' means – permanent gainful employment of not less than 16 hours per week)
- Benefit is payable for full weeks only up to a maximum of 52 weeks **excluding** the first week.
- The maximum benefit payable is as follows –
Week 1 – €Nil.
Weeks 2 to 4 – Up to €200.
Weeks 5 to 52 – Up to €400.
- The Injury Scheme only provides cover for non-recoverable costs of nett basic wage (excluding overtime, bonuses, unsociable working hours, allowances etc). Social Welfare/Income Protection and/or other entitlements will be considered as recoverable income and will be deducted from the basic nett wage figure.

Medical Expenses

- If you have medical insurance eg VHI, Quinn Healthcare, a claim must be made with your medical provider. Otherwise unrecoverable medical expenses are covered up to a maximum of €5,000, excluding the first €60 of each and every claim.
- *Physiotherapy, Osteopathy, Chiropractic, Sports Massage, Acupuncture, Cryotherapy etc **must be medically prescribed** and are limited to €200 in total per claim. Medically prescribed post operative treatment is exempt from the limit of €200 and will be considered separately as part of medical expenses claim.

***Provisional Amendment**

Physiotherapy requires to be carried out by individuals with an appropriate third level qualification, who are members of a regulatory professional body in line with their qualifications and who have appropriate professional insurance/indemnity.

Dental Expenses

Non-recoverable dental expenses up to a limit of €5,000, **excluding** the first €60 of each and every claim

Supplementary Hospital Benefit

Benefit payable – €400 per days stay in hospital. Benefit only payable if stay is a minimum of 10 consecutive days up to a maximum of 15 days.

Permanent Disability

Lifetime Disability Benefit – €300,000 (A single identifiable occurrence on the field of play resulting in permanent total physical paralysis such that the Insured Person is confined to a wheelchair for life)

(i) Capital Benefits

- *Permanent Total Disablement – €100,000
- *Loss of sight – €100,000
- *Permanent Partial Loss of Sight – Up to €100,000
- *Loss of Limb(s) – €100,000
- *Complete and incurable paralysis – €100,000
- * All above benefits Less any Loss of Wages Benefit claimed.

Permanent Partial Disablement

A scale of benefits providing for benefits to a maximum of €50,000 for specified disabilities applies. Details available on request.

(ii) Death Benefit

- Adult (or Married Youth) – €50,000
- Youth – €25,000

The above is purely a summary of benefits payable for assistance when completing this claim form.

Date of Injury

Opposition

Nature of Injury

Brief Details of Circumstances

**Section B. LOSS OF WAGES CERTIFICATION -
FOR COMPLETION BY SELF EMPLOYED CLAIMANT**

Name of Company

Address

Business Description

Nature of Employment (e.g. farmer, sole trader, partnership)

Amount of average nett weekly income

€

Weekly nett wage paid to substitute worker(s) (if any)

€

Reason for loss of income

I declare that I am unfit for work following injury as a result of participating in Gaelic Football, Hurling, Handball or Rounders and unable to earn my average nett weekly income.

I attach

- (i) **Confirmation of my loss of nett weekly wages from my Accountant (include Chartered Accountants Registration No.)**
- (ii) **Details of my claim with the Department of Social and Family Affairs or the Social Security Agency.**
- (iii) **Details (if applicable) of any benefit received from my Income Protection policy.**

Signed

Date

Section C. LOSS OF WAGES CERTIFICATION -FOR COMPLETION BY CLAIMANT'S EMPLOYER
Continued overleaf

Employer's Name

Phone Number

Company Registration Number

Address

Employee's Name

Employee's RSI No

Employee's RSI Class

Date employment commenced

Date last worked

Date of notification of loss of wages

Section C. LOSS OF WAGES CERTIFICATION -
Continued FOR COMPLETION BY CLAIMANT'S EMPLOYER

Reason for loss of wages

Date returned to work

**Amount of loss of Basic Nett weekly wages
(excluding overtime, allowances etc.)**

€

(Please attach 3 recent payslips or a letter from employer stating your nett weekly wage)

Is the above employee contributing to a company VHI or equivalent scheme?

Yes No

I hereby certify that the employee is at a loss of nett weekly wages and was in permanent employment of at least 16 hours on average per week prior to the loss and no sick pay scheme is in operation.

Personnel Officer's/Manager's Name (block capitals)

Personnel Officer's/Manager's Signature

Date

Employer's Stamp

(if no stamp available
please attach a letter
on company headed
paper confirming the
above details)

Section D. (i) SOCIAL WELFARE BENEFIT - FOR COMPLETION BY SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICE
(A claim must be made with your local Social Welfare Office)
(ii) STATUTORY SICK PAY CERTIFICATION (FOR RESIDENTS OF NORTHERN
IRELAND ONLY) - FOR COMPLETION BY CLAIMANT'S EMPLOYER

I certify that the above named has been in receipt of Illness Benefit for the period

to

at a rate of € per week

I certify that the above named is not entitled to Illness Benefit for the period

to

as (please state reason)

Official's Name (block capitals)

Official's Signature

Date

Official Stamp

Section E. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION - FOR COMPLETION IN ALL CASES BY THE DOCTOR/ DENTIST ONLY WHO ATTENDED THE CLAIMANT. IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT AS SET OUT ON GAA INJURY SCHEME BROCHURE UNDER 15(1) ALL TREATMENT MUST BE MEDICALLY PRESCRIBED

Patient's Name

Patient's Date of Birth

Patient's Address

Please state specific diagnosis

Cause of disability and details of treatment administered/prescribed

Date of diagnosis / / Date patient first consulted you for this disability / /

Date from which unfit for work / / Date fit to return to work (if known) / /

If unknown, please give estimate

Has the claimant ever had this or a similar disability / treatment before? If Yes, please give date and detail Yes No

Please Indicate if this injury is GAA related

Yes No

Doctor's / Dentist's Declaration

I declare that to the best of my knowledge, the above information is accurate and correct and that the disability has been continuous as stated above.

Name (block capitals)

Signature

Telephone No

Stamp

(if no stamp available a business card or confirmation on the qualified practitioners headed paper must be submitted)

Date / /

Section F. TO BE COMPLETED IN ALL CASES BY CLAIMANT, CLUB SECRETARY AND COUNTY SECRETARY

Claimant's Declaration

I declare that to the best of my knowledge, the foregoing statements are true in every respect. I hereby authorise the doctor / dentist / physiotherapist / hospital / employer / VHI / Quinn Health Care / Hibernian Aviva Health / Dept. of Social Welfare to supply any information requested. I understand that any deliberate misstatement will void the claim in it's entirety.

I consent for the purposes of the Data Protection Acts, 1988 and 2003 to the information I give on this claim form and any other form issued to me in connection with this claim and to any other information that I give in relation to this claim being held and assessed by Willis and the GAA.

I give my authorisation that any information pertaining to this claim may be provided to any persons deemed relevant by Willis and/or GAA in assessment of this claim.

Signature

Date / /

Club Secretary's Declaration

I declare that the above named claimant was injured as a result of participating in an officially sanctioned Game.

Yes No

I declare that the above named claimant was injured as a result of participating in an officially sanctioned Training Session

Yes No

Name (block capitals)

Signature

Date / /

Passed by County Secretary

I declare that this was an officially sanctioned Game Yes No

I declare that this was an officially sanctioned Training Session Yes No

Name (block capitals)

Date / /

Signature

(Please forward this completed form to Willis, Grand Mill Quay, barrow Street, Dublin 4, within 60 days of the date of injury).