

## FONDS VOOR ARBEIDSONGEVALLEN FONDS DES ACCIDENTS DU TRAVAIL

## **Occupational Accidents Fund**

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1.	Basis principle	Royal Decree No. 66 of 10 November 1967 established the Fund. The area of occupational accidents, although it is an integral part of social security since the Act of June 29, 1981, is unique because it is based, firstly, on the principle of management by accidents the private sector, through private insurance companies and, secondly, on the control of branch ensured by a public body, in this case, the Occupation Accidents Fund.
2.	Financial compensation	First of all the private insurance companies are responsible. The FAT is responsible on second behalf.
3.	Medical treatment responsibilities	Yes
4.	Prevention responsibilities	Yes (statistics, studies and coordination)
5.	Research in OS&H issues responsibilities	No
6.	Rehabilitation of victims of occupational injuries responsibilities	No
7.	Specific insurance against accidents at work and occupational diseases	Yes
8.	Is this insurance compulsory?	Yes
9.	Contributions	Insurance premiums
10.	People covered	All workers (private and public)
11.	Is the insurance different for accidents at work and for occupational diseases?	Yes (see FMP)
12.	Risks covered	Accidents at work, commuting accidents

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