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OREGON STATE

UNEMPLOYMENT COST FACT SHEET



\$930

Average SUTA Cost
per Employee

Factors used in calculating employer state unemployment rates have increased; therefore increasing the average unemployment tax cost per employee by 82% since 2009.

UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIM STATS

\$15,340

Total Maximum Benefits

A claimant can collect up to a maximum of \$15,340 on a single claim.

\$38,400

2017 Taxable Wage Base

Oregon's unemployment wage base increased from \$36,900 in 2016 to \$38,400 in 2017, therefore increasing the wages on which employers pay SUTA on.

2015: \$35,700
2014: \$35,000

\$66 Million

Unemployment Claim
Overpayments

Oregon's 3rd quarter 2015 through 2nd quarter 2016 unemployment claim overpayment rate was 13.431%, equaling over \$66 million.

What do state unemployment tax (SUTA) costs, claims costs and wage base amounts mean to your organization?

These factors could mean less money for your cause.

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