

85.60 Injuries while in work-based learning opportunity, employment training, or evaluation.

A person participating in a work-based learning opportunity referred to in [section 85.61](#), or receiving earnings while engaged in employment training or while undergoing an employment evaluation under the direction of a rehabilitation facility approved for purchase-of-service contracts or for referrals by the department of human services or the department of education, who sustains an injury arising out of and in the course of the work-based learning opportunity participation, employment training, or employment evaluation is entitled to benefits as provided in [this chapter](#), [chapter 85A](#), [chapter 85B](#), and [chapter 86](#). Notwithstanding the minimum benefit provisions of [this chapter](#), a person referred to in [this section](#) and entitled to benefits under [this chapter](#) is entitled to receive a minimum weekly benefit amount for a permanent partial disability under [section 85.34, subsection 2](#), or for a permanent total disability under [section 85.34, subsection 3](#), equal to the weekly benefit amount of a person whose gross weekly earnings are thirty-five percent of the statewide average weekly wage computed pursuant to [section 96.3](#) and in effect at the time of the injury.

[86 Acts, ch 1104, §1; 97 Acts, ch 37, §2; 2016 Acts, ch 1108, §14](#)

Referred to in [§85.61](#)

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