

Standardized Percentage Calculation:

- WCAs should determine wages based on 52-weeks prior to injury. In most cases, the WCA will determine the gross paid by going back 52-weeks.
- For example: Employee is injured 7/1/2015. To calculate 52-weeks of gross pay, WCA will calculate the weeks covering 7/3/14 - 7/1/15 (this is 52 full weeks). You may have to pro-rate portions of payments to determine breaks in months.
- Once 52-weeks of gross pay is determined, the WCA must then determine what percentage of pay is state and what percentage of pay is local. This is determined from the various codes found in your payroll system.
- When the state or local gross amounts are determined, one is subtracted from the other; divided by gross and percentage is determined.
- For example: \$30,000 is calculated as gross paid, of the \$30k, \$400 was paid from local funds, as determined by WCA when reading the "bucket" codes and adding up the dollars.
- $\$30,000 \text{ gross} - \$400 \text{ local} = \$29,600 \text{ state}$
- $\$29,600 / \$30,000 = 98.66$
- 98.66% - State funded
- 1.34% - Locally funded