

New Jersey State Labor Law Postings

Family Leave Act



The New Jersey Family Leave Act (NJFLA) entitles certain employees to take up to 12 weeks of family leave in a 24-month period without losing their jobs

Employers generally must provide NJFLA leave if

- ▶ The EMPLOYER has at least 30 employees worldwide OR is a government entity, regardless of size;
- ▶ The EMPLOYEE has worked for that employer for at least 1 year, AND has worked at least 1,000 hours in the past 12 months; and
- ▶ The LEAVE is being taken to:
 - ▶ Care for or bond with a child within 1 year of the child's birth or placement for adoption or foster care;
 - ▶ Care for a family member, or someone who is the equivalent of family, who has a serious health condition, or who has been isolated or quarantined because of suspected exposure to a communicable disease (including COVID-19) during a state of emergency; or
 - ▶ Provide required care or treatment for a child during a state of emergency if their school or place of care is closed due to an epidemic of a communicable disease (including COVID-19) or other public health emergency.

Remedies may include money damages, an order to stop violating the Act, adoption of new policies and procedures, attorney's fees, and more.

To get more information or file a complaint, contact the Division on Civil Rights



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No one can retaliate against you for attempting to take or taking NJFLA leave, reporting NJFLA violations, or exercising other rights under the NJFLA

All entities subject to the New Jersey Family Leave Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11B-1 et seq., shall display this official poster in places easily visible to all employees and applicants for employment.

Fair Employment



The Law Against Discrimination (LAD) Prohibits Discrimination and Harassment in Employment Based on Actual or Perceived

- Race or color
- Sex
- Religion or creed
- Gender identity or expression
- Disability
- Liability for military service
- Age
- Sexual orientation
- National origin, nationality, or ancestry
- Pregnancy or breastfeeding
- Marital or domestic partnership or civil union status
- Atypical cellular or blood trait, genetic information including the refusal to submit to genetic testing

The law means people cannot be treated differently, harassed, or otherwise discriminated against at work based on their membership in a protected class

The law applies to all employers (including labor unions, apprenticeship and training programs, and employment agencies) and in all aspects of employment, including but not limited to:

- Recruitment and job postings
- Compensation, including salary and benefits
- Interviews and hiring decisions
- All terms, conditions, or privileges of employment
- Promotion or transfer
- Membership in a union
- Termination or demotion

Remedies may include money damages, an order to stop discrimination or harassment, adoption of new policies and procedures, attorney's fees, and more.

If you believe you have experienced discrimination, contact the Division on Civil Rights



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No one can retaliate against you for reporting LAD violations, filing a discrimination complaint, or exercising other rights under the LAD

All employers, employment agencies, and labor organizations shall display this official poster in places easily visible to all employees and applicants for employment. N.J.A.C. 12:8-1.2.

Gender Equity Notice

Right to be Free of Gender Inequity or Bias in Pay, Compensation, Benefits or Other Terms and Conditions of Employment

New Jersey and federal laws prohibit employers from discriminating against an individual with respect to his/her pay, compensation, benefits, or terms, conditions or privileges of employment because of the individual's sex.

FEDERAL LAW

Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 prohibits employment discrimination based on, among other things, an individual's sex. Title VII claims must be filed with the United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) before they can be brought in court. Remedies under Title VII may include an order restraining unlawful discrimination, back pay, and compensatory and punitive damages.

The Equal Pay Act of 1963 (EPA) prohibits discrimination in compensation based on sex. EPA claims can be filed either with the EEOC or directly with the court. Remedies under the EPA may include the amount of the salary or wages due from the employer, plus an additional equal amount as liquidated damages.

Please be mindful that in order for a disparity in compensation based on sex to be actionable under the EPA, it must be for equal work on jobs the performance of which requires equal skill, effort, and responsibility, and which are performed under similar working conditions.

There are strict time limits for filing charges of employment discrimination. For further information, contact the EEOC at 800-669-4000 or at www.eeoc.gov.

NEW JERSEY LAW

The New Jersey Law Against Discrimination (LAD) prohibits employment discrimination based on, among other things, an individual's sex. LAD claims can be filed with the New Jersey Division on Civil Rights (NJDCR) or directly in court. Remedies under the LAD may include an order restraining unlawful discrimination, back pay, and compensatory and punitive damages.

Another State Law, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.1 et seq., prohibits discrimination in the rate or method of payment of wages to an employee because of his or her sex. Claims under this wage discrimination law may be filed with the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (NJLWD) or directly in court. Remedies under this law may include the full amount of the salary or wages owed, plus an additional equal amount as liquidated damages.

Please be mindful that under the State wage discrimination law a differential in pay between employees based on a reasonable factor or factors other than sex shall not constitute discrimination.

There are strict time limits for filing charges of employment discrimination. For more information regarding LAD claims, contact the NJDCR at 609-292-4605 or at www.njcivilrights.gov. For information concerning N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.1 et seq., contact the Division of Wage and Hour Compliance within the NJLWD at 609-292-2305 or at <http://lwd.state.nj.us>.

This notice must be conspicuously displayed.

Safe Act

New Jersey SAFE Act

The New Jersey Security and Financial Empowerment Act ("NJ SAFE Act"), P.L. 2013, c.82, provides that certain employees are eligible to receive an unpaid leave of absence, for a period not to exceed 20 days in a 12-month period, to address circumstances resulting from domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. To be eligible, the employee must have worked at least 1,000 hours during the immediately preceding 12-month period. Further, the employee must have worked for an employer in the State that employs 25 or more employees for each working day during each of 20 or more calendar workweeks in the then-current or immediately preceding calendar year.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken by an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, as that term is defined in N.J.S.A. 2C:25-19, or a victim of a sexually violent offense, as that term is defined in N.J.S.A. 30:4-27.6. Leave may also be taken by an employee whose child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner is a victim of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act may be taken for the purpose of engaging in any of the following activities as they relate to an incident of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense:

- (1) Seeking medical attention for, or recovering from, physical or psychological injuries caused by domestic or sexual violence to the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (2) Obtaining services from a victim services organization for the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner
- (3) Obtaining psychological or other counseling for the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (4) Participating in safety planning, temporarily or permanently relocating, or taking other actions to increase the safety from future domestic violence or sexual violence or to ensure the economic security of the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner or civil union partner
- (5) Seeking legal assistance or remedies to ensure the health and safety of the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner, including preparing for or participating in any civil or criminal legal proceeding related to or derived from domestic violence or sexual violence; or
- (6) Attending, participating in or preparing for a criminal or civil court proceeding relating to an incident of domestic or sexual violence of which the employee or the employee's child, parent, spouse, domestic partner, or civil union partner was a victim.

Leave under the NJ SAFE Act must be used in the 12-month period immediately following an instance of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense. The unpaid leave may be taken intermittently in intervals of no less than one day. The unpaid leave shall run concurrently with any paid vacation leave, personal leave, or medical or sick leave that the employee elects to use or which the employer requires the employee to use during any part of the 20-day period of unpaid leave. If the employee requests leave for a reason covered by both the NJ SAFE Act and the Family Leave Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11B-1 et seq., or the federal Family and Medical Leave Act, 20 U.S.C. 2601 et seq., the leave shall count simultaneously against the employee's entitlement under each respective law.

Employees eligible to take leave under the NJ SAFE Act must, if the necessity for the leave is foreseeable, provide the employer with written notice of the need for the leave. The employer must provide the employer with written notice as far in advance as reasonable and practicable under the circumstances. The employer has the right to require the employee to provide documentation of the domestic violence or sexually violent offense that is the basis for the leave. The employer must retain any documentation provided to it in this manner in the strictest confidentiality, unless the disclosure is voluntarily authorized in writing by the employee or is authorized by a federal or State law, rule or regulation.

The NJ SAFE Act also prohibits an employer from discharging, harassing or otherwise discriminating or retaliating or threatening to discharge, harass or otherwise discriminate against an employee with respect to the compensation, terms, conditions or privileges of employment on the basis that the employee took or requested any leave that the employee was entitled to under the NJ SAFE Act, or on the basis that the employee refused to authorize the release of information deemed confidential under the NJ SAFE Act.

To obtain relief for a violation of the NJ SAFE Act, an aggrieved person must file a private cause of action in the Superior Court within one year of the date of the alleged violation.

This notice must be conspicuously displayed.

Gender Equity Notice

Derecho a estar exento de desigualdad o discriminación de género con respecto al pago, la remuneración, los beneficios o cualquier otro término o condición de empleo

Las leyes de New Jersey y federales prohíben a los empleadores discriminar contra cualquier persona con respecto a su pago, remuneración, beneficios o cualquier otro término, condición o privilegio de empleo debido a su género.

LEYES FEDERALES

El Título VII de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964 prohíbe la discriminación laboral debido al género de la persona, entre otras cosas. Las reclamaciones acordes al Título VII deben ser presentadas ante la Comisión de Igualdad de Oportunidades en el Empleo de los Estados Unidos (EEOC, por sus siglas en inglés) antes de que puedan ser presentadas ante un tribunal. Entre los recursos legales conforme al Título VII están: una orden que prohíba los actos ilícitos de discriminación, que se pague remuneración con carácter retroactivo, y que se pague por daños compensatorios y punitivos.

La Ley de Igualdad Salarial de 1963 (EPA, por sus siglas en inglés) prohíbe la discriminación con respecto a la remuneración basado en el género de la persona. Las reclamaciones acordes a EPA se pueden presentar ante la EEOC o directamente ante los tribunales. Entre los recursos legales conforme a EPA están: la reintegración de las sumas de salarios o sueldos que el empleador debe, además de una suma adicional equivalente por daños y perjuicios liquidados.

Se le ruega tener en cuenta que para que una reclamación por desigualdad de remuneración basado en el género prosiga conforme a la EPA, tiene que ser por el mismo tipo de trabajo en empleos en los que su rendimiento exija las mismas destrezas, el mismo esfuerzo y las mismas responsabilidades, las cuales se realizan en las mismas condiciones de trabajo.

Existen estrictos límites en cuanto al plazo de tiempo del que se dispone para presentar reclamaciones por discriminación laboral. Para mayor información, comuníquese con la EEOC, llamando al 800-669-4000 o en www.eeoc.gov.

LEYES DE NEW JERSEY

La Ley contra la Discriminación en New Jersey (LAD, por sus siglas en inglés) prohíbe la discriminación laboral debido al género de la persona, entre otras cosas. Las reclamaciones conforme a LAD se pueden presentar a la División de Derechos Civiles de New Jersey (NJDCR, por sus siglas en inglés) o directamente ante los tribunales. Entre los recursos legales conforme a LAD están: una orden que prohíba los actos ilícitos de discriminación, que se pague remuneración con carácter retroactivo, y que se pague por daños compensatorios y punitivos.

Otra ley estatal, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.1 y siguientes, también prohíbe la discriminación respecto a la tasa salarial o el método de pago de salarios al empleado debido a su género. Las reclamaciones conforme a esta ley contra la discriminación con respecto a los salarios se pueden presentar ante el Departamento de Trabajo y Desarrollo de la Fuerza Laboral de New Jersey (NJLWD, por sus siglas en inglés) o directamente ante los tribunales. Entre los recursos legales conforme a esta ley están: la reintegración de las sumas de salarios o sueldos que le deben, además de una suma adicional equivalente por daños y perjuicios liquidados.

Se le ruega tenga en cuenta que conforme a la ley estatal contra la discriminación con respecto a los salarios, no se considera discriminación el hecho de que exista un diferencial salarial entre los empleados basado en otros factores razonables que no sean el género de la persona.

Existen estrictos límites en cuanto al plazo de tiempo del que se dispone para presentar reclamaciones por discriminación laboral. Para mayor información relacionada con las reclamaciones conforme a LAD, comuníquese con NJDCR, llamando al 609-292-4605 o en www.njcivilrights.gov. Para obtener información acerca de N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.1 y siguientes, comuníquese con la División de Cumplimiento de Horarios y Salarios (DVHC), del NJLWD, llamando al 609-292-2305 o en <http://lwd.state.nj.us>.

Este aviso se debe exponer a la vista de todos.

Payment of Wages

Display this poster in a conspicuous place

Chapter 173, Laws of New Jersey, 1965: Relating to Payment of Wages

All Employers Must Pay Wages to All Employees in Full at Least Twice a Calendar Month.

Executive and supervisory employees, however, may be paid at least once a calendar month.

Payment must be made on regular paydays designated in advance.

When a payday falls on a non-work day, payment must be made on the immediately preceding work day, unless a collective bargaining agreement states otherwise.

Pay periods must not end more than 10 working days before payday, when payment is made on a regular payday. If payment is by check, arrangements must be made to allow employees to cash the full check without difficulty.

- Employees leaving or terminated for any reason, including labor disputes, must be paid all wages due not later than the regular payday for the period in which employment ended.
- An additional 10 days may be allowed when a labor dispute involves payroll employees.
- Employees paid on an incentive system must be paid a reasonable estimate of wages due until exact amounts are known.

Payment may be made through regular pay channels or by mail if requested by the employee.

It is unlawful to make any agreement for payment other than as provided in this act, except to pay at shorter intervals or to pay wages in advance.

Wages due a deceased employee may be paid to the survivors in the order of preference as outlined in the statute.

No Deductions from Employees' Wages are Permitted Except:

Amounts authorized by New Jersey or United States Law or payments to correct payroll errors.

Contributions or payments authorized by employees either in writing or under a collective bargaining agreement for:

- Employee welfare - insurance - hospitalization - medical or surgical or both - pension - retirement - profit-sharing plans
- Plans to provide the employee with direct employee-owned retirement accounts at any state or federally chartered bank, savings bank, or savings and loan association • company-operated thrift plans • security option or security purchase plans to buy marketable securities • corporate personal savings accounts such as a credit union, savings fund society, savings and loan or building funds • purchase of Christmas, vacation or other savings funds • purchase of company products or employee loans in accordance with the payment schedule contained in the original purchase or loan agreement • safety equipment • U.S. government bonds • costs and fees to replace employee identification for

The Commissioner may, after giving the employee or successor firm notice and an opportunity for a hearing in accordance with the "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et seq.), issue a written determination directing any appropriate agency to suspend any one or more licenses that are held by the employer or successor firm, for a period of time determined by the Commissioner.

Note: The Division of Wage and Hour Compliance applies New Jersey's labor laws without regard to a worker's legal status. The Division does not investigate or inquire into the legal status of any worker. The Division does not share information with "Immigration."

Enforced by: Division of Wage and Hour Compliance
NJ Department of Labor and Workforce Development
PO Box 389, Trenton, NJ 08625-0389 • 609-292-2305
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Conscientious Employee

Conscientious Employee Protection Act “Whistleblower Act”

Employer retaliatory action; protected employee actions; employee responsibilities

1. New Jersey law prohibits an employer from taking any retaliatory action against an employee because the employee does any of the following:
 - a. Discloses, or threatens to disclose, to a supervisor or to a public body an activity, policy or practice of the employer or another employee, with whom there is a business relationship, that the employee reasonably believes is in violation of a law, or a rule or regulation issued under the law, or, in the case of an employee who is a licensed or certified health care professional, reasonably believes constitutes improper quality of patient care;
 - b. Provides information to, or testifies before, any public body conducting an investigation, hearing or inquiry into any violation of law, or a rule or regulation issued under the law by the employer or another employee, with whom there is a business relationship, or, in the case of an employee who is a licensed or certified health care professional, provides information to, or testifies before, any public body conducting an investigation, hearing or inquiry into quality of patient care; or
 - c. Provides information involving deception of, or misrepresentation to, any shareholder, investor, client, patient, customer, employee, former employee, retiree or pensioner of the employer or any governmental entity.
 - d. Provides information regarding any perceived criminal or fraudulent activity, policy or practice of deception or misrepresentation which the employee reasonably believes may defraud any shareholder, investor, client, patient, customer, employee, former employee, retiree or pensioner of the employer or any governmental entity.
 - e. Objects to, or refuses to participate in, any activity, policy or practice which the employee reasonably believes:
 - (1) is in violation of a law, or a rule or regulation issued under the law or, if the employee is a licensed or certified health care professional, constitutes improper quality of patient care;
 - (2) is fraudulent or criminal; or
 - (3) is incompatible with a clear mandate of public policy concerning the public health, safety or welfare or protection of the environment. N.J.S.A. 34:19-3.
2. The protection against retaliation, when a disclosure is made to a public body, does not apply unless the employee has brought the activity, policy or practice to the attention of a supervisor of the employee by written notice and given the employer a reasonable opportunity to correct the activity, policy or practice. However, disclosure is not required where the employee reasonably believes that the activity, policy or practice is known to one or more supervisors of the employer or where the employee fears physical harm as a result of the disclosure, provided that the situation is emergency in nature.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Your employer has designated the following contact person to receive written notifications, pursuant to paragraph 2 above (N.J.S.A. 34:19-4):

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

This notice must be conspicuously displayed.

Once each year, employers with 10 or more employees must distribute notice of this law to their employees. If you need this document in a language other than English or Spanish, please call (609) 292-7832.

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Family Leave Insurance

New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Your employer is subject to the Family Leave Insurance provisions of the New Jersey Temporary Disability Benefits Law

New Jersey law provides up to 6 weeks of family leave insurance benefits. Beginning July 1, 2020, the law will allow up to 12 weeks of continuous family leave or 56 days of intermittent leave. Employees who are covered by family leave insurance can apply for benefits to:

- bond with a child within 12 months of the child's birth or placement by adoption or foster care. The applicant, or the applicant's spouse or domestic or civil union partner, must be the child's biological, adoptive or foster parent, unless a surrogate carried the child.

- care for a family member with a serious health condition. Supporting documentation from a health care provider is mandatory.

- care for a victim of domestic violence or a sexually violent offense or for a victim's family member.

"Family member" means a child, parent, parent-in-law, sibling, grandparent, grandchild, spouse, domestic partner, civil union partner, and any other person related by blood to the employee or with whom the employee has a close association that is the equivalent of a family relationship.

"Child" means a biological, adopted, or foster child, stepchild or legal ward of a parent. A child gained by way of a valid written contract between the parent and a surrogate (gestational carrier) is included in this definition.

State Family Leave Insurance Plan ("state plan")

You can get program information and an application for family leave benefits (form FL-1) online at myleavebenefits.nj.gov, by phone at 609-292-7060, or by mail: Division of Family Leave Insurance, P.O. Box 387, Trenton, NJ 08625-0387.

New Mothers who receive temporary disability benefits through the state plan for their pregnancy will get instructions on how to file for family leave benefits after the child is born.

Private Family Leave Insurance Plan ("private plan")

An employer may provide family leave insurance through a private insurance carrier, if this Division approves the plan. If your employer has an approved private plan, your employer must provide information about coverage and provide the forms to apply for benefits.

Who pays for Family Leave Insurance?

Payroll contributions from employees finance this program. Family leave insurance coverage under the state plan will require contributions to be deducted from employee wages. The deductions must be noted on the employee's pay envelope, paycheck, or on some other form of notice. In 2018, the taxable wage base for family leave insurance benefits is the same as the taxable wage base for unemployment and temporary disability insurance.

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Division of Temporary Disability Insurance, PO Box 387, Trenton, NJ 08625-0387

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The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development is an equal opportunity employer with equal opportunity programs. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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Conscientious Employee

La Ley de protección al empleado consciente “Ley de protección del denunciante”

Acciones de represalia del empleador; protección de las acciones del empleado

1. La ley de New Jersey prohíbe que los empleadores tomen medidas de represalia contra todo empleado que haga lo siguiente:
 - a. Divulgue o amenace con divulgar, ya sea a un supervisor o a una agencia pública toda actividad, directriz o norma del empleador o de cualquier otro empleador con el que exista una relación de negocios y que el empleado tiene motivos fundados para pensar que violan alguna ley, o en el caso de un trabajador licenciado o certificado de la salud y que tiene motivos fundados para pensar que se trata de una manera inadecuada de atención al paciente;
 - b. Facilite información o preste testimonio ante cualquier agencia pública que conduzca una investigación, audiencia o indagación sobre la violación de alguna ley, regla o reglamento que el empleador o algún otro empleador con el que exista una relación de negocios; o en el caso de un trabajador licenciado o certificado de la salud que facilite información o preste testimonio ante cualquier agencia pública que conduzca una investigación, audiencia o indagación sobre la calidad de la atención al paciente; o
 - c. Ofrezca información concerniente al engaño o la tergiversación con accionistas, inversionistas, usuarios, pacientes, clientes, empleados, ex empleados, retirados o pensionados del empleador o de cualquier agencia gubernamental.
 - d. Ofrezca información con respecto a toda actividad que se pueda percibir como delictiva o fraudulenta, toda directiva o práctica engañosa o de tergiversación que el empleado tenga motivos fundados para pensar que pudieran estar a accionistas, inversionistas, usuarios, pacientes, clientes, empleados, ex empleados, retirados o pensionados del empleador o de cualquier agencia gubernamental.
 - e. Se opone o se niega a participar en alguna actividad, directriz o práctica que el empleado tiene motivos fundados para pensar que:
 - (1) viola alguna ley, o regla o reglamento que dicta la ley o en el caso de un empleado licenciado o certificado en cuidado de la salud que tiene motivos fundados para pensar que constituya atención inadecuada al paciente;
 - (2) es fraudulenta o delictiva; o
 - (3) es incompatible con un claro mandato establecido por las directrices públicas relacionadas con la salud pública, la seguridad o el bienestar o la protección del medio ambiente. Artículo 34:19-3 de las Leyes comentadas de New Jersey de protección del empleado consciente (N.J.S.A., por sus siglas en inglés).
2. No se puede acoger a la protección contra la represalia, cuando se hace una divulgación a un organismo público a no ser que el empleado le informe al empleador de tal actividad, política o norma a través de un aviso por escrito y le haya dado al empleador una oportunidad razonable para corregir tal actividad, política o norma. Sin embargo, no es necesaria la divulgación en los casos en que el empleado tenga indicios razonables para creer que un supervisor o más de un supervisor del empleador tienen conocimiento de tal actividad, política o norma o en los casos en los que el empleado teme que tal divulgación pueda traer como consecuencia daños físicos a su persona siempre y cuando la naturaleza de la situación sea la de una situación de emergencia.

Información del Contacto

Su empleador ha designado a la siguiente persona para recibir notificaciones de acuerdo al parafó 2, de la ley (N.J.S.A. 34:19-4):

Nombre: _____

Dirección: _____

Número de teléfono: _____

Este aviso se debe exponer a la vista de todos.

Anualmente, patronos con 10 o más empleados, deberán distribuir notificación de esta ley a todos sus empleados. Si necesita este documento en algún otro idioma que no sea inglés o español, sírvase llamar al (609) 292-7832.

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Minimum Wage



New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development Wage and Hour Law Abstract N.J.S.A. 34:11-56a et seq.

STATUTORY MINIMUM WAGE RATE

Employees are to be paid not less than the New Jersey minimum wage in accordance with the schedule below.

Date	Most Employees	Seasonal Employees	Agricultural Employees	Cash Wage for Tipped Employees	Wage for Long-Term Care Facility Direct Care Staff Members
1-1-20	\$11	\$10.35	\$10.35	\$2.13	\$11.54 as of 11/1/20
1-1-2021	\$12	\$11.10	No Change	\$2.13	\$15
1-1-2022	\$13	\$11.90	No Change	\$2.13	\$16
1-1-2023	\$14	\$12.70	\$11.70	No Change	\$17
1-1-2024	\$15	\$13.50	\$12.50	No Change	\$18
1-1-2025	TBD	\$14.30	\$13.40	TBD	TBD
1-1-2026	TBD	\$15.00	\$14.20	TBD	TBD
1-1-2027	TBD	TBD	\$15	TBD	TBD

Under the law, the "effective minimum wage rate" for any given year covered by this chart is the highest of the federal minimum wage rate, the minimum wage rate set by New Jersey statute, or a minimum wage rate adjusted to account for increases in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). The minimum wage rates listed in the chart through 2022 are the true effective minimum wage rates for those years. However, the minimum wage rate and the minimum wage rate for agricultural employees are not less than the federal minimum wage rate. The minimum wage rate for tipped employees is not less than the federal minimum wage rate. The minimum wage rate for long-term care facility direct care staff members is not less than the federal minimum wage rate.

As of 11/1/2020, Long-Term Care Facility Direct Care Staff Members are paid \$3.00 above the State minimum hourly wage and increases accordingly until the State minimum wage increases.

Effective at the time and a half regular rate is due with the exception of certain train drivers, loaders, helpers and mechanics involving railroad operating in compliance of 1