

## 60954 Compensation Payouts

The number of compensation payouts made by Edinburgh Council in the last six financial years starting in 2019/2020, inclusive.

Please note that the City of Edinburgh Council do not record by the number of compensation payouts. Instead, we record the number of settled claims, as below:

### Settled Public Liability Claims Only

2019/20 - 184

2020/21 - 90

2021/22 - 119

2022/23 - 74

2023/24 - 94

2024/25 – 35

### Settled Employers' Liability Claims Only

2019/20 - 28

2020/21 - 13

2021/22 - 15

2022/23 - 16

2023/24 - 9

2024/25 – 15

Please specify whether each payout was made to an employee, a member of the public, or council tenant.

In the case of an employee, please provide the job title of the employee (including but not limited to councillor, cleaner, social care worker, administrative assistant, etc.)

We do not record information for claims in this way. Instead, we record public liability and employers' liability claims by claimant name only. Their job title is not recorded as part of the claims process.

Please specify the amount of compensation paid per case in pounds sterling. Please also provide the total amount of all cases during the time period.

We cannot provide details of individual settlements; claims are recorded with a total settlement figure. This is provided by financial year for Public Liability and Employers' Liability as below:

### Public Liability Claims

2019/20 - £630,738.02

2020/21 - £353,016.87

2021/22 - £408,918.09

2022/23 - £363,318.68

2023/24 - £225,043.39

2024/25 – £89,852.67

#### Employers' Liability Claims

2019/20 - £453,474.18

2020/21 - £329,243.16

2021/22 - £162,648.35

2022/23 - £207,325.80

2023/24 - £86,685.87

2024/25 – £73,441.76

Please specify the reason for the compensation paid per case (such as vehicle accident claims, employer liability and employment tribunal, public liability claims, property claims, etc.)

All cases settled were due to liability attached to the Council. We have specified above the split of claims by policy.