

HSC Injury Benefit Scheme Death Benefits Payable – Factsheet

The death benefits that are payable are based on a percentage of the deceased's pensionable pay. The percentages are shown in the table below.

Dependents	Amount of average pay to be provided following death
	45%
Widow/Widower only	10% if there is a widow/widower or 20% if there is no widow/widower
Each dependent incapacitated adult or child (i.e. someone who, regardless of age is permanently unable to earn a living due to ill health or handicap)	20% if there is a surviving parent or 45% if there is no surviving parent
	20% if there is a widow/widower or
One dependent parent	45% if there is no widow/widower

The total amount of allowances cannot be more than 100% of the deceased's HSC pay. If more information is required, contact the Injury Benefit scheme administrator at the HSC Pension Service.