## Canadian Stunt Performer Accident Insurance Within Canada

The following is provided as a general overview and applies only when Canadian resident Stunt Performers are working in Canada.

Policies of provincial workers' compensation boards, AoS (Accident on Set) coverage or such other comparable coverage that may be provided can change from time to time. While every effort has been made to provide an accurate outline if any discrepancies occur the policies in place with the provider organization will apply.

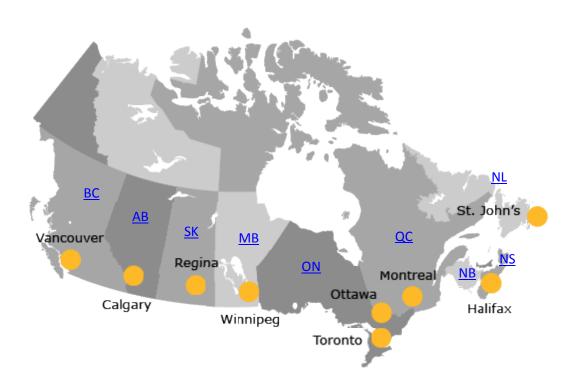
~ Check with Production to confirm the coverage that is in place for you ~

\*\*Don't forget every injury, no matter how minor, must be reported to Production as soon as you are able\*\*

Click on the Province on the interactive map below, in which you intend to work to see what program you may be covered by.

- Producers working under the IPA (Independent Production Agreement) must be registered with workers' compensation; or have arranged either Accident on Set coverage or other protection which the ACTRA branch has deemed sufficient.
- 2. NCA (National Commercial Agreement) engagers must register for workers' compensation in those provinces where coverage is mandatory. In all other provinces NCA engagers automatically participate in the Accident on Set program.

**IMPORTANT:** If you are working under a PSC (Personal Service Corporation) be sure to check the registration requirements of the applicable provincial workers' compensation board prior to accepting work. No registration is required under Accident on Set however; the availability of coverage is dependent on the above. Further, Accident on Set benefits will not be provided should you fail to register your PSC, as may be required, in those provinces where workers' compensation coverage is provided.



- Deferral projects that contract unpaid ACTRA/UBCP talent may apply for Accident on Set coverage across Canada.
- Student film project requirements are dependent on the province in which the shoot is occurring and whether ACTRA/UBCP talent is paid or unpaid.
- Mandatory provincial workers' compensation is required for Stunt Riggers, Stunt Coordinators and all other Performers, except Stunt Performers. Production may apply to cover Stunt Performers through Accident on Set or provide appropriate alternative coverage.

**PLEASE NOTE:** When Performers, including Stunt Performers, are residents of Canada and have extended health care coverage through AFBS, they also have access to Travel Emergency Medical Benefits which provide protection when traveling outside their province of residence. These benefits are provided through Industrial Alliance Insurance and Financial Services Inc. Check your AFBS Insurance Statement to determine if you have coverage and review your Travel Emergency Medical Benefit Summary prior to traveling to ensure that you have the protection you need. There are limitations and exclusions that you should be aware of.

- When Performers are without benefits or if alternative out-of-province/country emergency
  medical protection is required please ensure that coverage has been purchased before leaving
  home. Benefits cannot be put in place retroactively. One option available to AFBS Members is
  the Voluntary Travel Insurance provided by Ingle International which can be accessed through
  the Affinity Programs at afbs.ca.
- AoS (Accident on Set) does not replace the Production's requirement for liability insurance nor
  does it cover ambulance, medical and hospital bills or paramedical expenses directly related to
  any on set incident when an injury occurs outside your province of residence.

## **Useful Links**

Accident on Set <a href="http://accidentonset.com/">http://accidentonset.com/</a>

1-800-387-8897

Email: admin@accidentonset.com

AFBS (Actra Fraternal Benefits Society

http://www.afbs.ca

**Toronto Office** 

416-967-6600 or 1-800-387-8897

Email: Retirement & Savings finance@actra.ca

Email: Other inquiries benefits@afbs.ca

Western Office

Phone: 604-801-6550 or 1-800-801-6550

Email: <u>afbswest@afbs.ca</u>

MBT (Members Benefit Trust) http://www.mbt.ca/ 604-689-0727

Worksafe BC <a href="http://www.worksafebc.com/">http://www.worksafebc.com/</a> 1-888-922-8807

Workers Compensation Board - Alberta

http://www.wcb.ab.ca/ Edmonton: 780-498-3999 Calgary: 403-517-6000

Toll free in Alberta: 1-866-922-9221

Toll free outside Alberta: 1-800-661-9608 (in Canada)

The Manitoba Workers Compensation Board

http://www.wcb.mb.ca/

1-800-362-3340

Email: wcb@wcb.mb.ca

CSST (La Commission de la santé et de la sécurité du travail du Québec)

http://www.csst.qc.ca 1 866 302-CSST (2778)

Workplace Health, Safety & Compensation Commission of Newfoundland and Labrador <a href="http://www.whscc.nf.ca/">http://www.whscc.nf.ca/</a>

1-800-563-9000

Email: <a href="mailto:general.inquiries@whscc.nl.ca">general.inquiries@whscc.nl.ca</a>