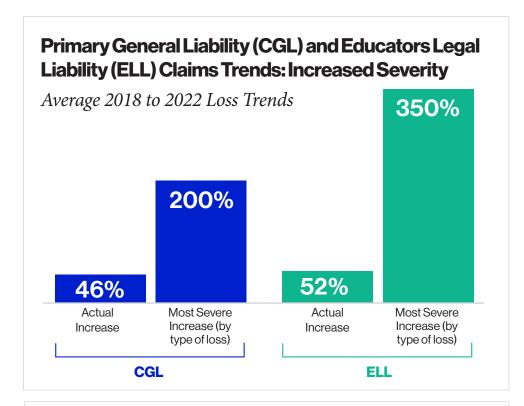
The Rising Cost of Claims: By the Numbers

United Educators (UE), like other insurance companies, has been affected by issues of social inflation and other societal factors that are drastically increasing the cost of claims. Average personal injury awards jumped 137% from \$1 million in 2014 to \$2.4 million in 2020. Educational institutions are facing rising jury awards across all liability lines.



Sexual Misconduct

Excluding employment-related harassment and high-profile claims related to mass serial abusers, UE saw sexual misconduct claims:



Grow **3x faster** than all other claims types over the last 15 years



Comprise **nearly 29%** of total incurred GL losses

Increase in Large Losses by Incurred Dollar Value From 2018 to 2022



99% increase in **total incurred for CGL losses** over \$1 million



77% increase in **total incurred for ELL losses** over \$1 million



98% increase in **total incurred for GLX losses** over \$5 million

Defense Costs

The charts below identify the portion of claims costs attributable to legal defense from 2020 to 2022.





Members partnering with UE on claims resolution, including identifying the right fit for defense counsel, is helping mitigate the rising cost of legal defense.

