

Program Update

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Division of Compensation Analysis and Support

News Items

- Outreach activities –
 - West Valley, NY; Ashtabula, OH week of October 12, and Special Exposure Cohort (SEC) and Dose Reconstruction (DR) workshop in Cincinnati, OH
- Advisory Board on Toxic Substances and Worker Health membership
- Plain Writing training for DCAS staff in September



News Items - continued

- Joint Outreach Task Group plain writing work group (letters, brochures, trifold redesign)
- Mancuso data capture
- Budget items
- Hooker Electrochemical administrative review



Active Cases as of October 2015

- Total of **44,202*** sent to NIOSH for dose reconstruction (DR) from Department of Labor (DOL)
 - 1,278 in NIOSH DR
 - 741 administratively closed
- Total of **42,183** cases returned to DOL

*As of October 30, 2015



Active Cases as of October 30, 2015

- **1,278** with NIOSH
 - 221 in DR process
 - 288 initial draft DR reports with claimants awaiting OCAS-1 form
 - 769 cases in DR development



Cases Returned to DOL

- **37,400** completed DR reports
 - 1,411 pulled from DR by DOL
 - 3,372 pulled for SEC

Probability of causation (PoC) summary of completed DRs

- 10,567 PoC \geq 50%
- 26,833 PoC $<$ 50%



First 5,000 DRs

- **4,890** claims at DOL
 - 263 pulled for DOL issues
 - 392 pulled for SEC
 - 4,235 submitted with DR
- **91** claims at NIOSH
 - 83 administratively closed
 - 3 DRs with claimants
 - 5 DRs in process
- **19** claim numbers deleted



First 10,000 DRs

- **9,807** claims at DOL
 - 437 pulled for DOL issues
 - 1,026 pulled for SEC
 - 8,344 submitted with DR
- **163** claims at NIOSH
 - 147 administratively closed
 - 8 DRs with claimants
 - 8 DRs in process
- **30** claim numbers deleted



Department of Energy records requests

As of October 30, 2015

- **215** outstanding
- **8** more than 60 days



Submittals v. Production

