



NIOSH Program Update

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Advisory Report on Radiation and Worker Health, 136th Meeting

Virtual

December 8, 2020

Contracts, Staffing

- In process of hiring a health physicist due to retirement

Workshops, Town halls, Outreach

- **Since August 2020**
 - None finalized at this point
- **Upcoming outreach, workshop**
 - None finalized at this point

Records to Department of Energy

- **117** outstanding
- **18** more than 60 days

Case status report (current as of December 3, 2020)

- **52,933** cases to NIOSH from DOL
- **51,040** returned to DOL
 - **939** at NIOSH for DR
 - **954** administratively closed
- **45,808** submitted DOL with DR
 - **1,679** pulled from DR by DOL
 - **3,553** pulled for Special Exposure Cohort (SEC)

Probably of Causation Summary

- **45,808*** DRs sent for final adjudication
 - **12,454** greater than 50 percent
 - **33,354** less than 50 percent

*as of 12/3/2020

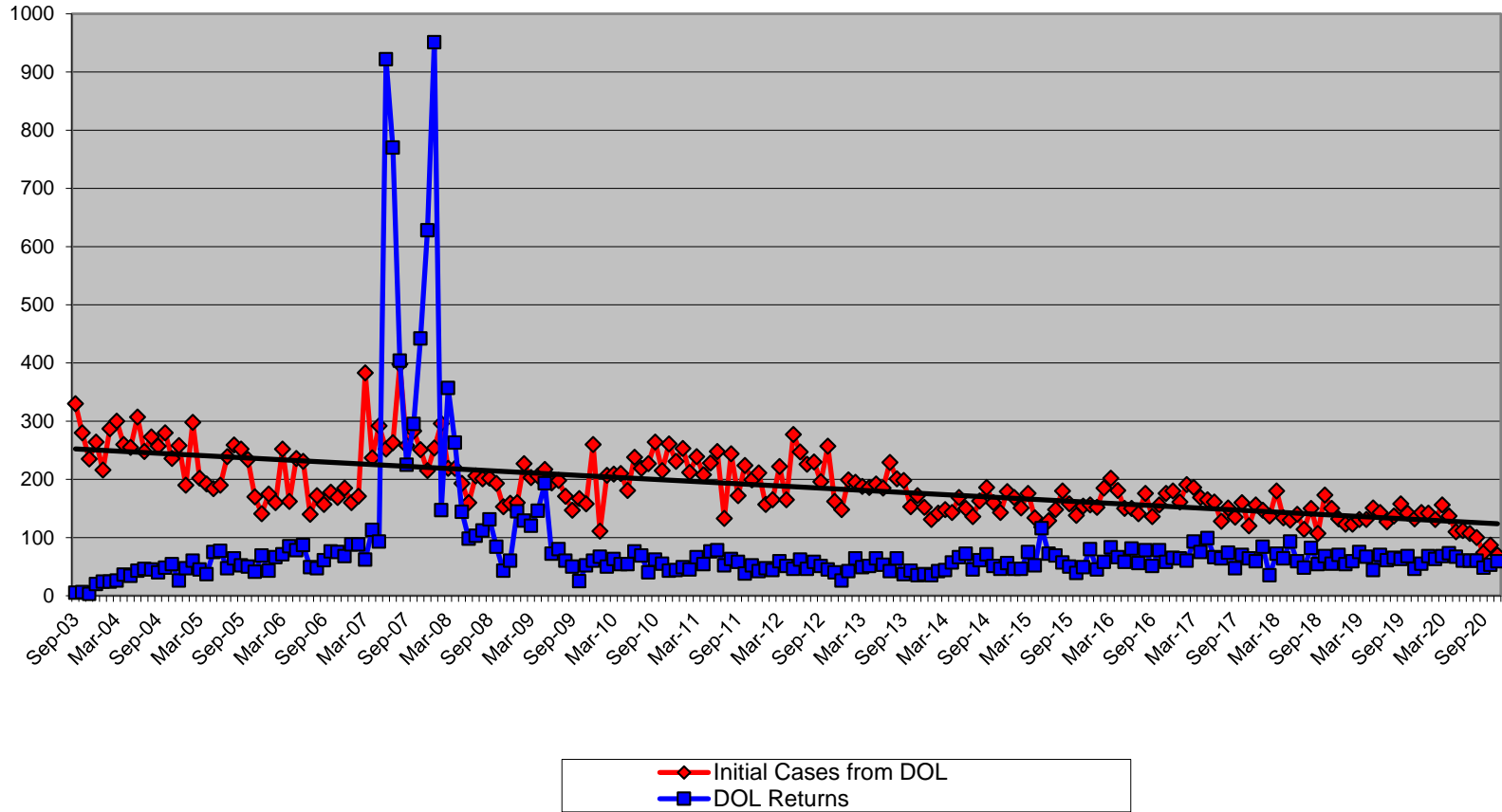
Active Cases

- **939*** active at NIOSH for DR
 - **370** in the DR process
 - **169** initial draft DR reports with claimants
 - **400** cases preparing for DR

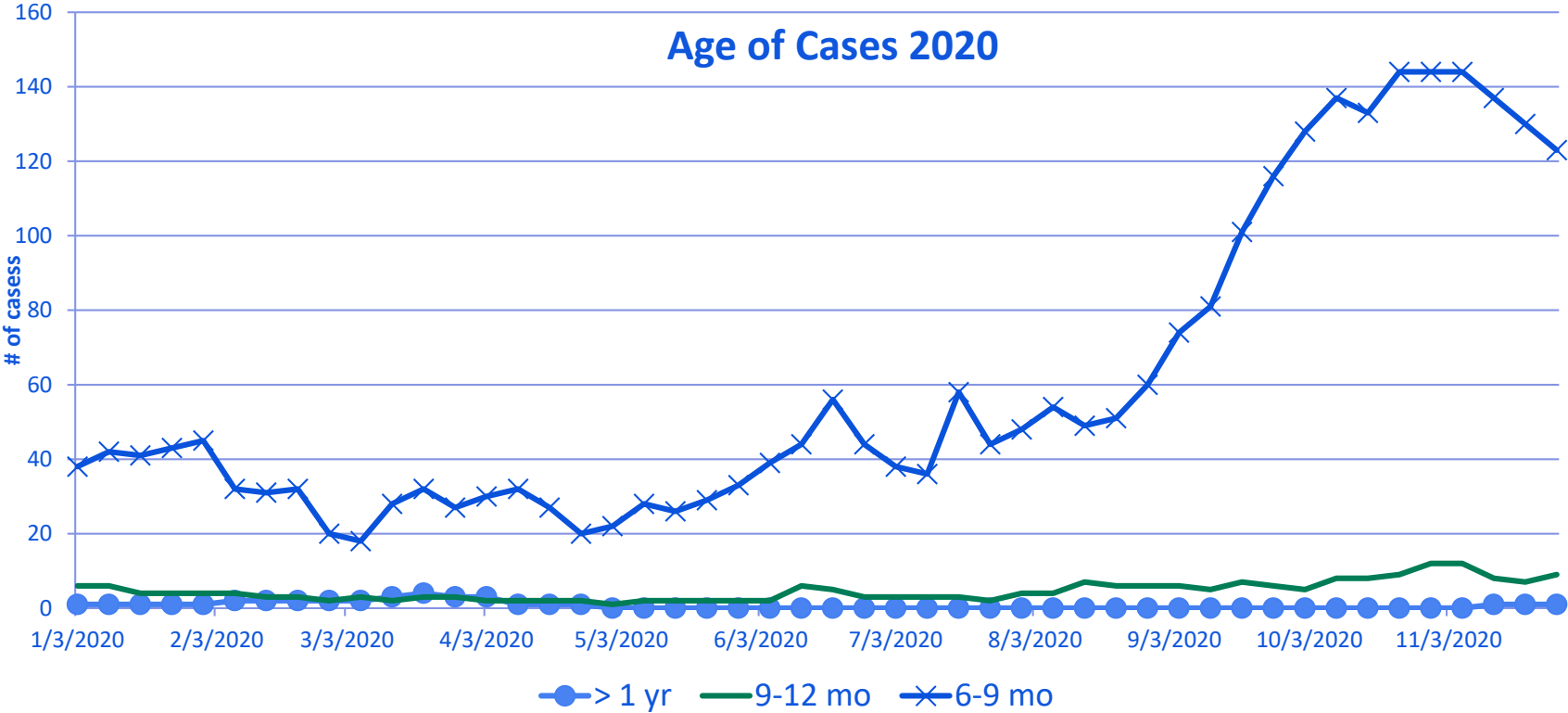
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Incoming DOL Cases

Initial Cases and Returns



Age of Cases 2020



As of 11/27/2020