

NIOSH Program Update

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Program News

- Budget
- Travel costs
- Personnel
- Additional work with Department of Labor

Overall Initial Claim Information

(as of July 21, 2014)

- **41,793** cases have been referred to NIOSH for Dose Reconstruction (DR)
- **39,902** cases have been returned to Department of Labor (DOL)
 - Cases submitted with a DR report **35,198**
 - Cases currently pulled from DR by DOL **1,360**
 - Cases pulled for Special Exposure Cohort (SEC) **3,344**
- **1,201** cases remained at NIOSH for DR
- **690** cases were administratively closed

Overview of Active Cases

(as of July 21, 2014)

- Of the **1,201** cases remaining at NIOSH for DR
 - **259** cases in DR process
 - **257** initial draft DR reports with claimants, NIOSH is awaiting the return of the OCAS-1 form
 - **685** cases in development for DR

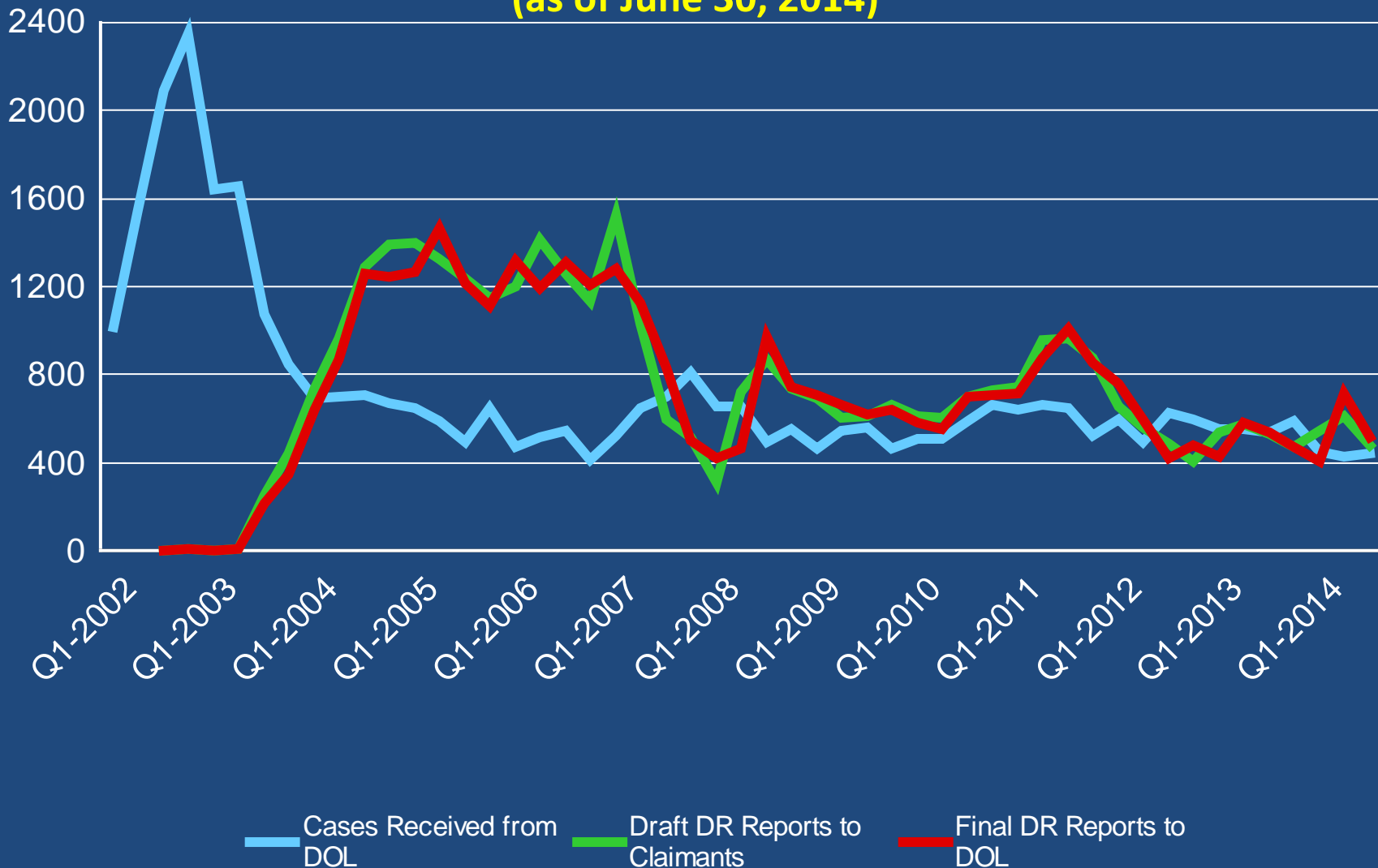
Probability of Causation (PoC) Summary for Completed DRs

(as of July 21, 2014)

- Of the **35,198** DRs sent back to DOL for final adjudication:
 - **9,938** cases had a PoC \geq 50%
 - **25,260** cases had a PoC $<$ 50%

Submittals vs. Production

(as of June 30, 2014)



— Cases Received from DOL — Draft DR Reports to Claimants — Final DR Reports to DOL

Status of First 5,000 Claims

(as of July 21, 2014)

- **4,889** claims at DOL
 - **264** pulled for DOL issues
 - **392** pulled for SEC
 - **4,233** submitted with DR

- **92** claims at NIOSH
 - **82** administratively closed
 - **3** DRs with claimants (DOL reworks/reinstated within past year)
 - **7** DRs in process (DOL reworks/reinstated within past year)

- **19** claim numbers deleted

Status of First 10,000 Claims

(as of July 21, 2014)

- **9,799** claims at DOL
 - **440** pulled for DOL issues
 - **1,026** pulled for SEC
 - **8,333** submitted with DR

- **171** claims at NIOSH
 - **141** administratively closed
 - **7** DRs with claimants (1 initial; 6 DOL reworks within past year)
 - **23** DRs in process (1 initial; 22 DOL reworks within past year)

- **30** claim numbers deleted

DOE Response to Requests for Exposure Records

(as of July 21, 2014)

- Number of outstanding requests **206**
- Outstanding requests > 60 days **23**

SEC Summary Table

(July 21, 2014)

■ Petitions received		219
■ Petitions in qualification process		3
■ Petitions qualified for evaluation		131
• NIOSH evaluation in progress	0	
• NIOSH evaluation completed	130	
– SEC Evaluation Reports with the Advisory Board for recommendation	11	
■ Petitions not qualifying for evaluation		85

Note: Petitions not qualifying include five petitions received prior to the rule becoming final and Petition SEC-00034, which the site was de-listed.

SEC Summary

(July 21, 2014)

- **108** classes added since May 2005
 - 63 (58%) 83.13 process
 - 45 (42%) 83.14 process
- Represents classes of workers from **74** sites **23** classes denied since May 2005
- **4** petitions under HHS administrative review
(Pantex Plant, General Steel Industries, Hooker Electrochemical, Weldon Spring Plant)