

Department of Labor's Presentation to the NIOSH Advisory Board



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Division of Energy Employees
Occupational Illness Compensation
April 2019

Compensation Paid

\$6.7 Billion

Part B Compensation

\$4.7 Billion

Part E Compensation

\$4.8 Billion

Medical Bills

\$16.2 Billion

Total Compensation + Medical Bills Paid

206,526

Cases Filed

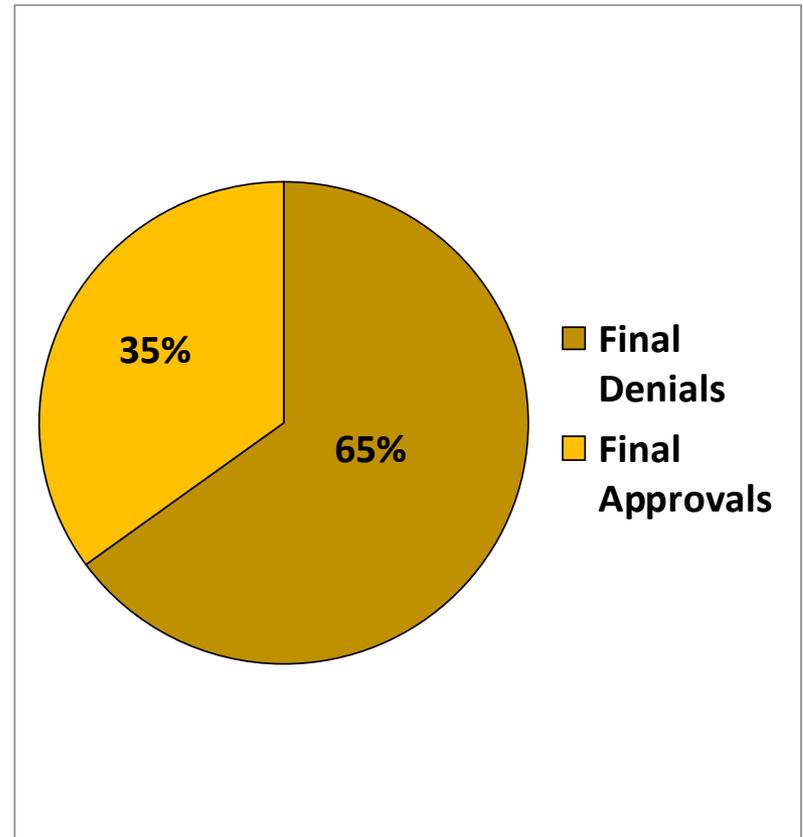
NIOSH Referral Case Status

- **51,222 Cases Referred to NIOSH for Dose Reconstruction**
- **49,478 Cases Returned to DOL from NIOSH**
 - 43,0355 with Dose Reconstruction
 - 6,443 withdrawn from NIOSH with no Dose Reconstruction
- **1,744 Cases Currently at NIOSH**
 - 1,215 Initial/Original Referrals to NIOSH
 - 529 Reworks or Returns to NIOSH

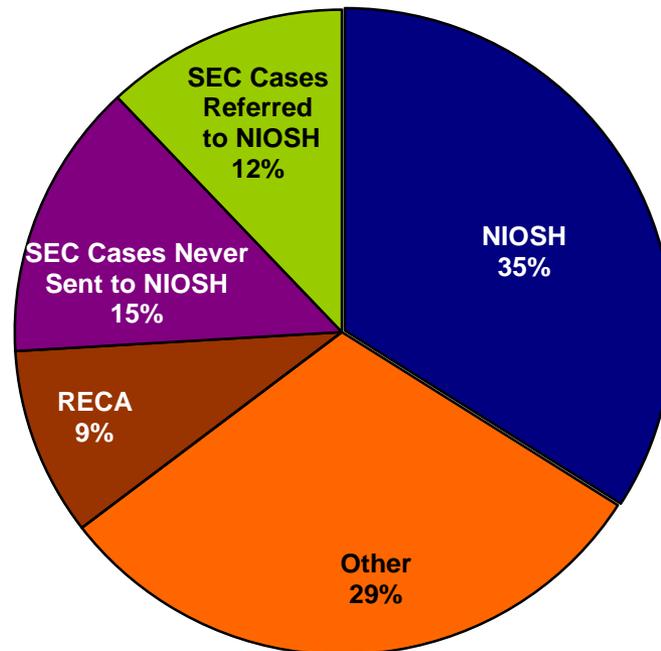
Part B Cases w/ Dose Reconstruction and Final Decision

34,440 Cases w/ Dose Reconstruction and Final Decision

- **Final Approvals**
11,916
- **Final Denials**
22,524



Part B Cases Filed



*Other (beryllium sensitivity, chronic beryllium disease, chronic silicosis)

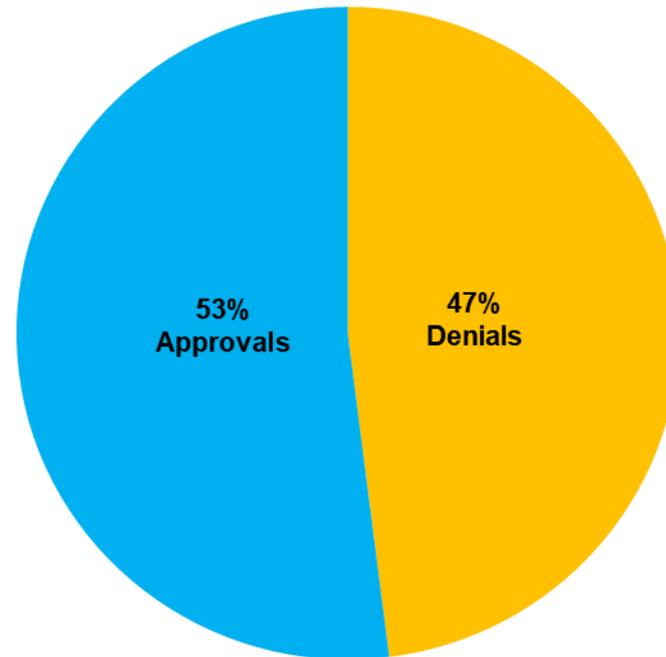
Chart - Part B Cases w/Final Decision

101,983 Cases w/Final Decision under Part B

53,715 Part B Approvals

48,268 Part B Denials

Part B Final Decisions



Top Four Worksites

**The top 4 worksites generating new Part B EEOICPA cases
(1/1/2019 – 3/31/2019)**

Nevada Test Site

Y-12 Plant

Hanford

Savannah River Site

SEC Petition Sites

Statistical Category	Sandia National Laboratory Albuquerque, NM	Area IV Santa Susanna Field Laboratory Ventura County, California	Idaho National Laboratory Scoville, Idaho	Superior Steel Company Carnegie, Pennsylvania
Cases (Claims) Part B & E	4,056 (5,721)	1,098 (1,552)	6,325 (9,013)	52(99)
Cases Returned by NIOSH w/ DR	683	265	1,956	35
Final Decisions (Part B)	1,870	536	2,784	48
Part B Approvals (Cases)	1,262	259	1,005	19
Part E Approvals (Cases)	1,162	247	1,307	NA
Total Comp. & Medical Bills Paid	358 Million	\$72 Million	\$346 Million	\$2.9 Million

DEEOIC Outreach Events

- **In response to new SEC classes, DEEOIC conducts:**
 - **Town hall meetings and traveling resource centers**
 - **In cases of small SECs, press releases are issued**
- **Quarterly Medical Conference Calls**
- **Authorized Representative Workshops**
- **Host informational meetings regarding medical benefits provided under the EEOICPA:**
 - **In some cases held in conjunction with SEC town hall meetings**

Joint Outreach Task Group (JOTG)

■ **Members:**

- DEEOIC
 - Department of Energy
 - Department of Energy Former Worker Medical Screening Program (FWP)
 - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)
 - Ombudsman to NIOSH for EEOICPA – Part B
 - Denise Brock
 - DOL's Office of the Ombudsman for EEOICPA
 - Malcolm Nelson
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- **Monthly conference calls with all members**
 - **Conduct Town Hall Meetings**

Upcoming Outreach Event

Town Hall Meeting: Oak Ridge, Tennessee
April 24, 2019



Upcoming Outreach Event

Town Hall Meeting: Middle Island, New York

May 2, 2019



Upcoming Outreach Event

Town Hall Meeting: Las Vegas, Nevada

June 4-5, 2019



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Handout Slides
April 2019

Employee Eligibility

Employed By	Part B	Part E
DOE Contractors and Subcontractors	Yes	Yes
DOE Federal Employees	Yes	No
AWE Employees	Yes	No
Beryllium Vendors	Yes	No
RECA	Yes	Yes

Covered Conditions

Condition	Part B	Part E
CBD	Yes	Yes
Beryllium Sensitivity	Medical Monitoring Only	Yes
Chronic Silicosis	Yes	Yes
Cancer	Yes	Yes
Any condition related to toxic exposure	No	Yes

Survivor Definition

Type	Part B	Part E
Spouse at time of death	Yes	Yes
Children - under age 18; under age 23 if full-time student; or any age if medically incapable of self-support	Yes	Yes
Adult Children	Yes	No

Benefits

Part B	Part E
\$150,000 Employee + Survivor	Impairment \$2,500 per % (Employee)
\$50,000 RECA Employee + Survivor	Wage Loss \$10,000-\$15,000 per year (Employee)
	\$125,000 Survivor
\$400,000 CAP for B+E combined	