



**Office of Workers'
Compensation Programs**

**Division of Federal
Employees', Longshore
and Harbor
Workers' Compensation**

WCI 2022 Conference:

August 22- 24, 2022



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Stephanie Brown, Deputy Director of Longshore Claims

**Division of Federal Employees', Longshore and
Harbor Workers' Compensation (DFELHWC)**



Agenda:

- Workforce
- Modernization
- Settlements
- Stakeholder/OWCP/Administrative-Judicial Ecosystems
- DBA Trends
- War Hazards Reimbursements
- ECOMP:
 - Claimant and Entity Experiences
 - Case Imaging



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Workforce and Modernization



Compensation Districts Eastern, Southern & Western

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DISTRICT**

**SOUTHERN
DISTRICT**

**WESTERN
DISTRICT**

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Boston – Theresa Magyar
New York – Theresa Magyar,
Todd Bruininks
Norfolk – Theresa Magyar

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Jacksonville – David Duhon
New Orleans – David Duhon
Houston – David Duhon

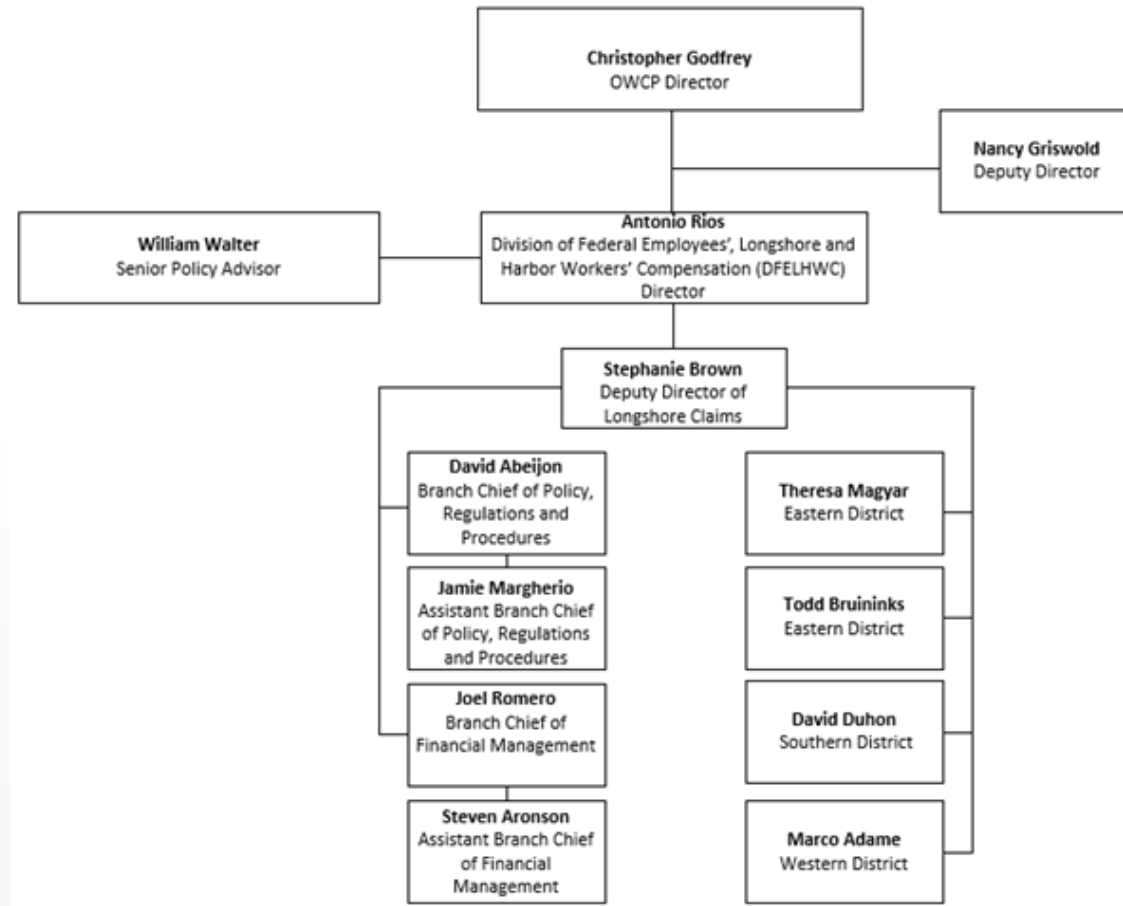
Suboffices

Seattle – Marco Adame
San Francisco – Marco Adame
Long Beach – Marco Adame

Industry Notice #175



DFELHWC – Longshore Organizational Chart



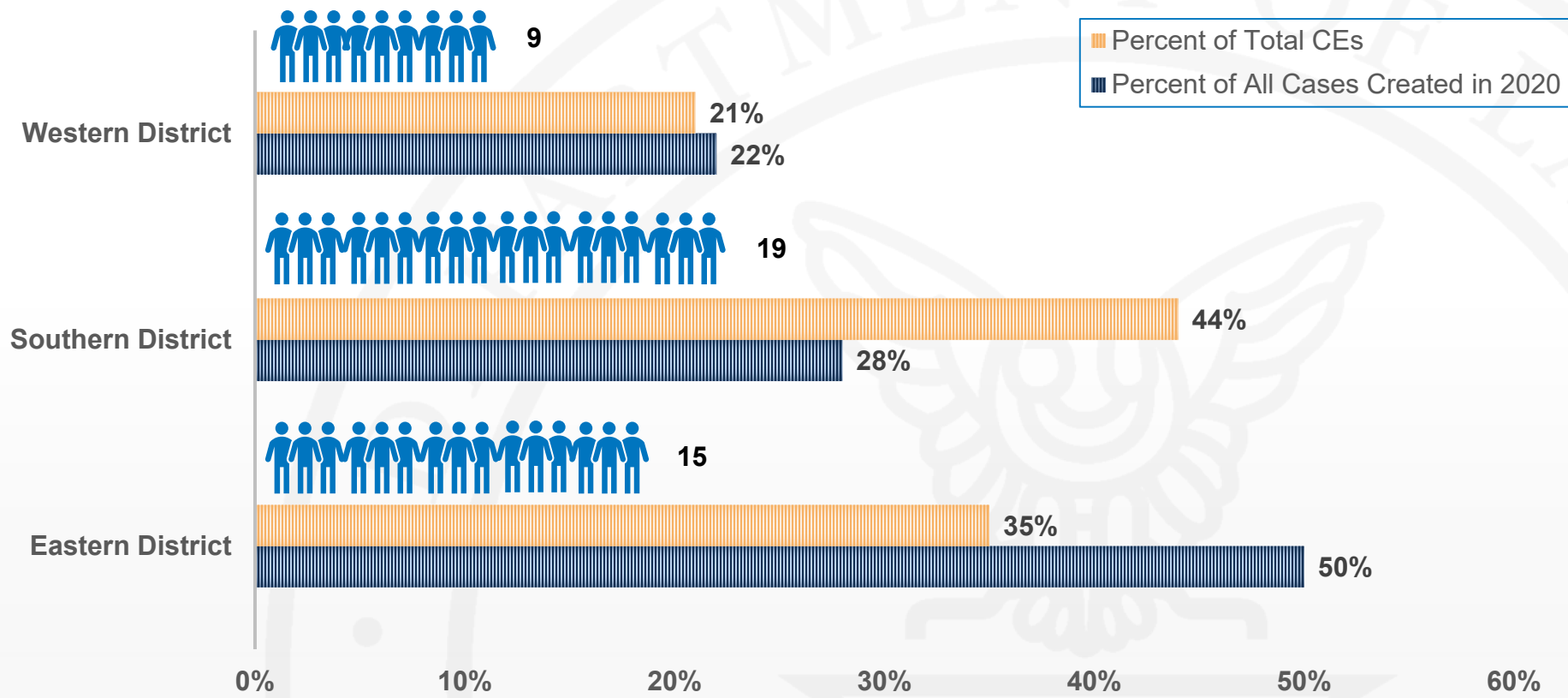


Longshore Workforce (2020-2022)

- **District Reorganization, OWCS and remote work provide flexibility to hire throughout the country**
 - **Larger talent pool to fill vacancies/needs**
- **12 new CEs hired and onboarded**
 - **Uniform program-wide new CE training via Teams**
 - **Expansion of online training resources for all staff**
- **Workload Equity**
 - **Flexibility to reorganize and reassign based on patterns/trends that drive the workload**

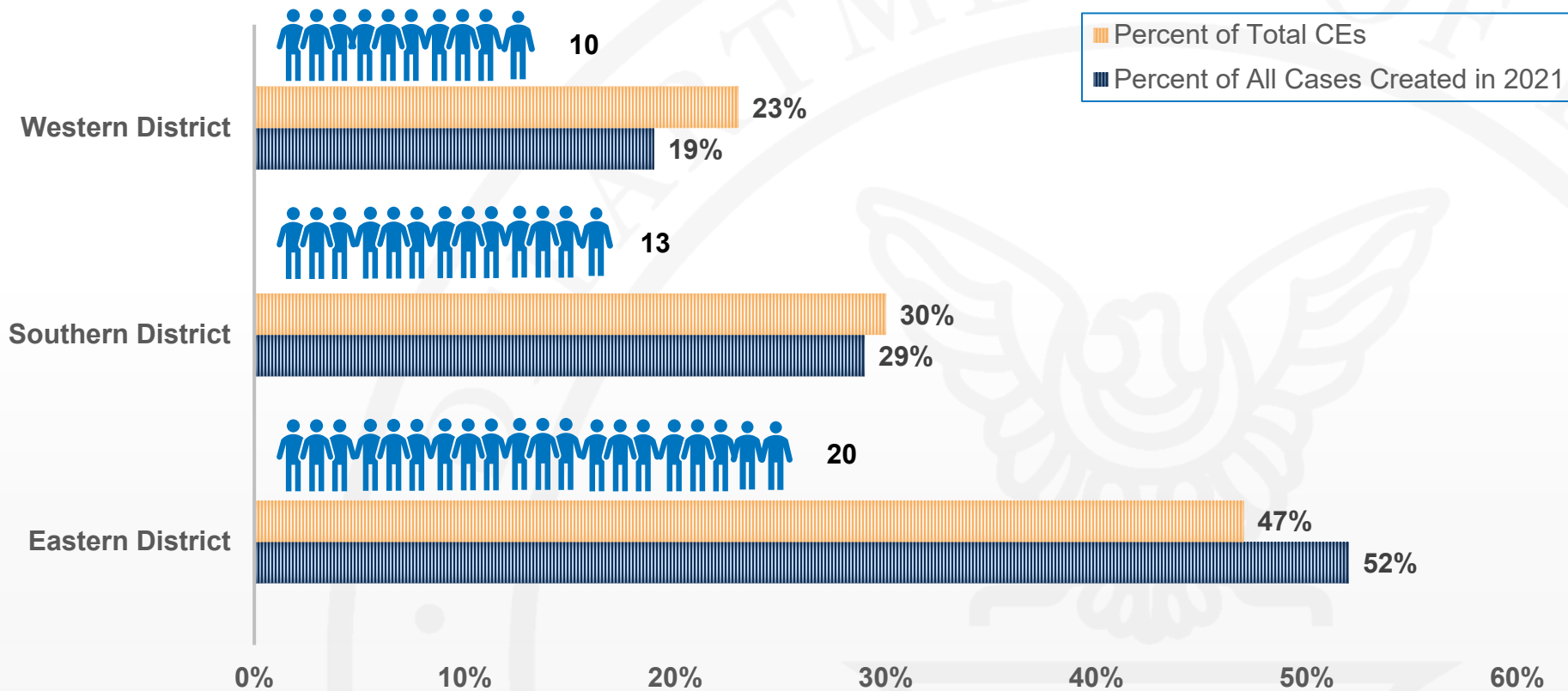


CE Workload – Case Assignment breakdown as of 05/04/2020



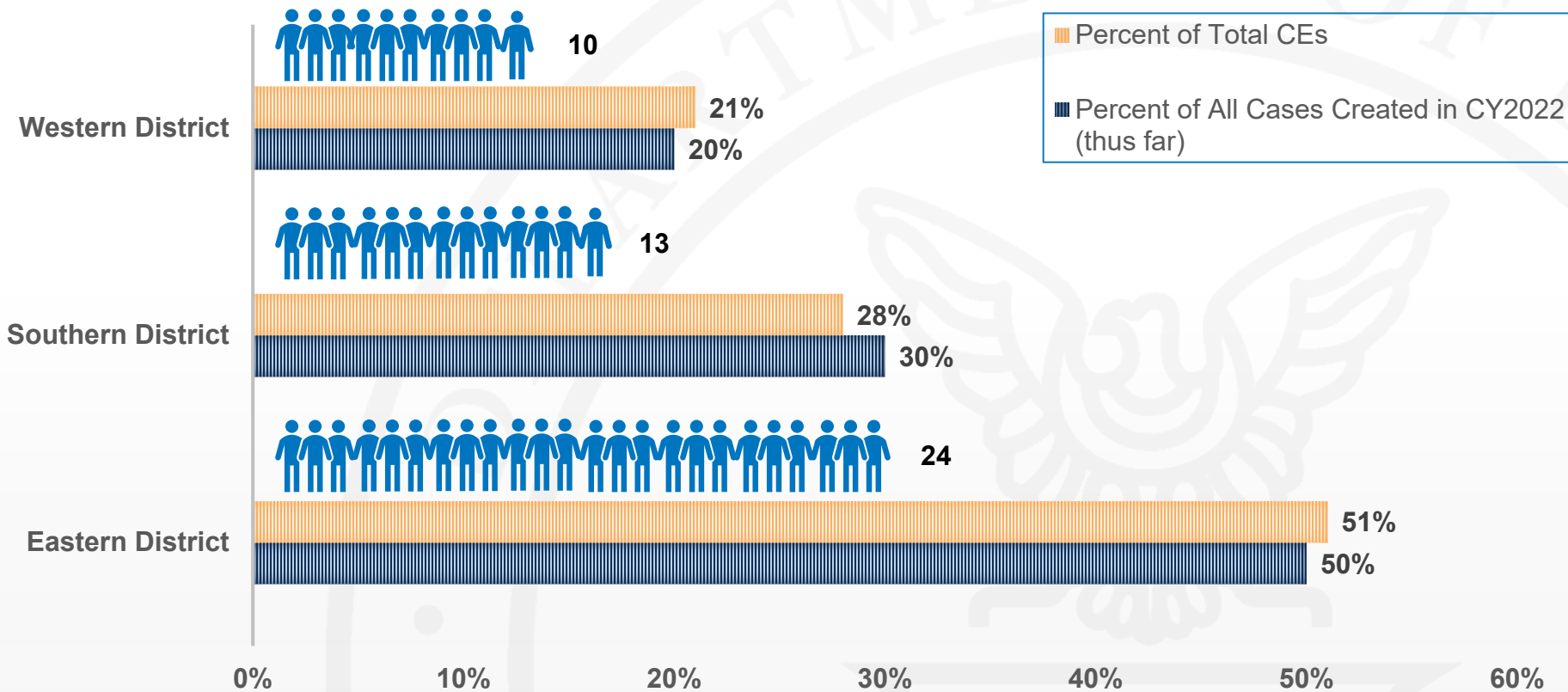


CE Workload – Case Assignment breakdown as of 01/05/2021





CE Workload – Case Assignment breakdown as of 08/18/2022



Case Assignments following 12 new hires in 2022.



IT Modernization (2020-2022):

- **New IT systems**
 - **OWCS**
 - **ECOMP**
- **Online Resources for Stakeholders**
 - **Re-designed internet site**
 - **SEAPortal New Claim Submission added**
- **System-to-System transfer**
 - **E-File/E-Serve**
 - **OWCP Connect Direct**
- **Global Waiver**
- **Digitization**
 - **Back File Conversion (BFC) project**
 - **Insurance Card project**



Technology

Global Waiver

- In an effort to serve orders more efficiently and accurately, we piloted this program to upload a general “global” waiver for all case files for a particular carrier.

Benefits:

- Reduce tasks
- Avoid data entry errors
- Ensure proper service

WAIVER OF SERVICE BY REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED MAIL FOR EMPLOYERS AND/OR INSURANCE CARRIERS
Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act,
As Extended (see instructions on reverse)

U.S. Department of Labor
Office of Workers' Compensation Programs
www.dol.gov/owcp/ltwc/index.htm

1. Name of Injured/Deceased Employer: _____ 2. OWCP No: _____ OMB No: 1240-0053

3. NEW Waiver
 REVOKE prior Waiver
 CHANGE information on prior Waiver Exp. Date: 04/30/2022

4. Party or Representative Agreeing to Service of Compensation Order(s) by email (check one):
 Employer Insurance Carrier
 Employer's Representative Insurance Carrier's Representative

5. I, _____, acting on behalf of _____, waive the company's statutory and/or regulatory right to be served with the compensation order(s) in this case by registered or certified mail. I instead request and consent for the company to be served with the compensation order(s) in this case by email. I agree that service of the compensation order(s) by email satisfies all service requirements imposed by 33 U.S.C. § 910(w) and 20 C.F.R. § 702.349.

I affirm that I have the authority to execute this waiver on behalf of _____ I also affirm that the information provided below is correct and accurate. If the District Director is unable to accomplish service of the compensation order(s) by email (i.e. if the email bounces back as undeliverable), I understand and agree that the compensation order(s) will be served on the company by registered or certified mail.

6. Signature: _____ Date: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

7. Firm or Business Name (if applicable):
Name: _____
Address: _____ Telephone Number: _____
Line1: _____ City: _____
Line2: _____ St.: _____ Zip: _____
Country: United States

8. EMAIL ADDRESSES: No more than two (2) email addresses can be listed per party.

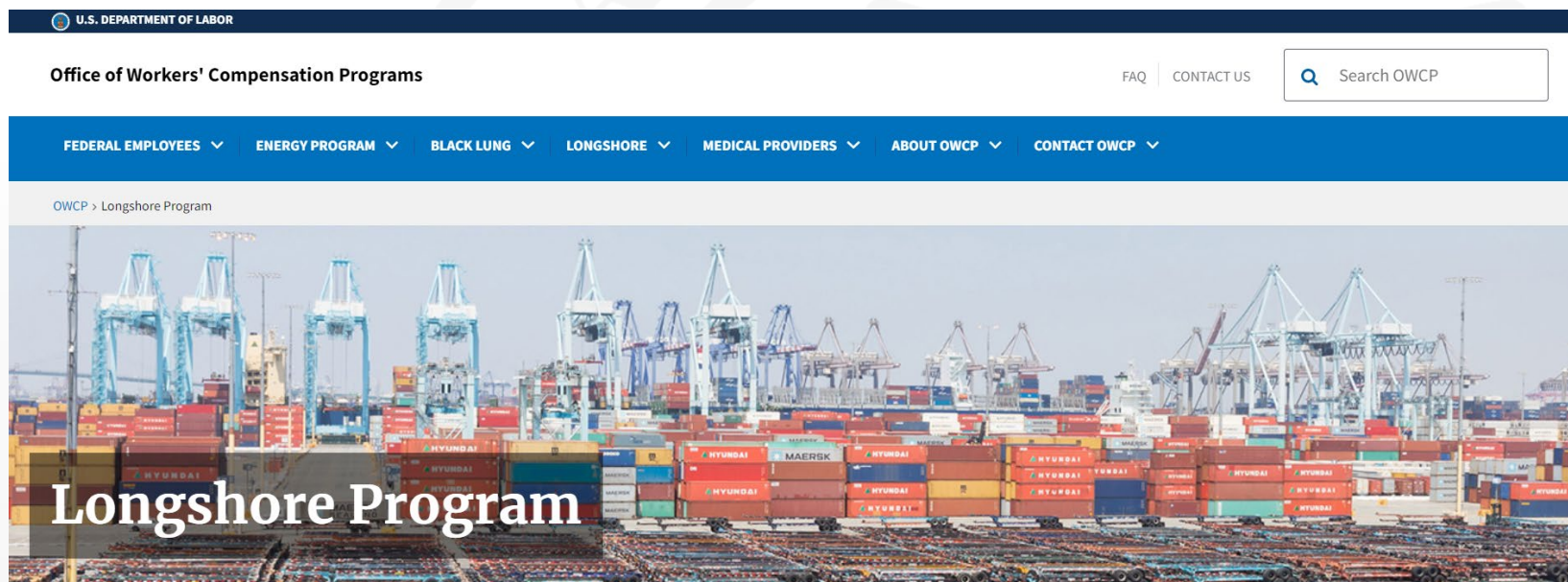
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Form LS-801
March 2015



Re-designed Internet Site

- More easily navigable
- Additional resources and FAQs for Claimants and Employers/Carriers
- DBA Waivers re-design
 - Sortable/Searchable chart
 - Addition of Archived Waivers





Active Waivers

Issued and Active Defense Base Act Waivers

Show 10 entries

Search:

| Expiration Date (YYYY-MM-DD) ↑↓ | Location ↑↓ | Type ↑↓ | Number ↑↓ | Issued Date (YYYY-MM-DD) ↑↓ |
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| 2022-08-10 *Renewal Request Received | Belarus | Geographic | 2017-16 | 2017-08-11 |
| 2022-08-10 *Renewal Request Received | Hungary | Geographic | 2017-15 | 2017-08-11 |
| 2022-08-13 *Renewal Request Received | Portugal | Geographic | 2017-17 | 2017-08-14 |
| 2022-09-20 | Sweden | Geographic | 2017-13-A | 2022-07-21 |
| 2022-09-20 *Renewal Request Received | Canada | Geographic | 2017-18 | 2017-09-21 |
| 2022-09-25 | Switzerland | Geographic | 2017-19 | 2017-09-26 |
| 2022-10-18 | Spain | Geographic | 2018-01 | 2017-10-19 |
| 2022-11-27 | China | Geographic | 2018-02 | 2017-11-28 |



Archived Waivers

Archived Defense Base Act Waivers

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| 2013-03-01 | Israel | Geographic | 2009-03-02 | 2008-08-01 |
| 2013-12-31 | Belgium | Geographic | DOD 2013-06 | 2013-01-31 |
| 2013-12-31 | France | Geographic | DOD 2013-04 | 2013-01-01 |
| 2013-12-31 | Germany | Geographic | DOD 2013-01 | 2013-01-01 |
| 2013-12-31 | Greenland | Geographic | DOD 2013-13 | 2013-01-01 |
| 2013-12-31 | India | Geographic | DOD 2013-13 | 2013-02-01 |
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Settlements

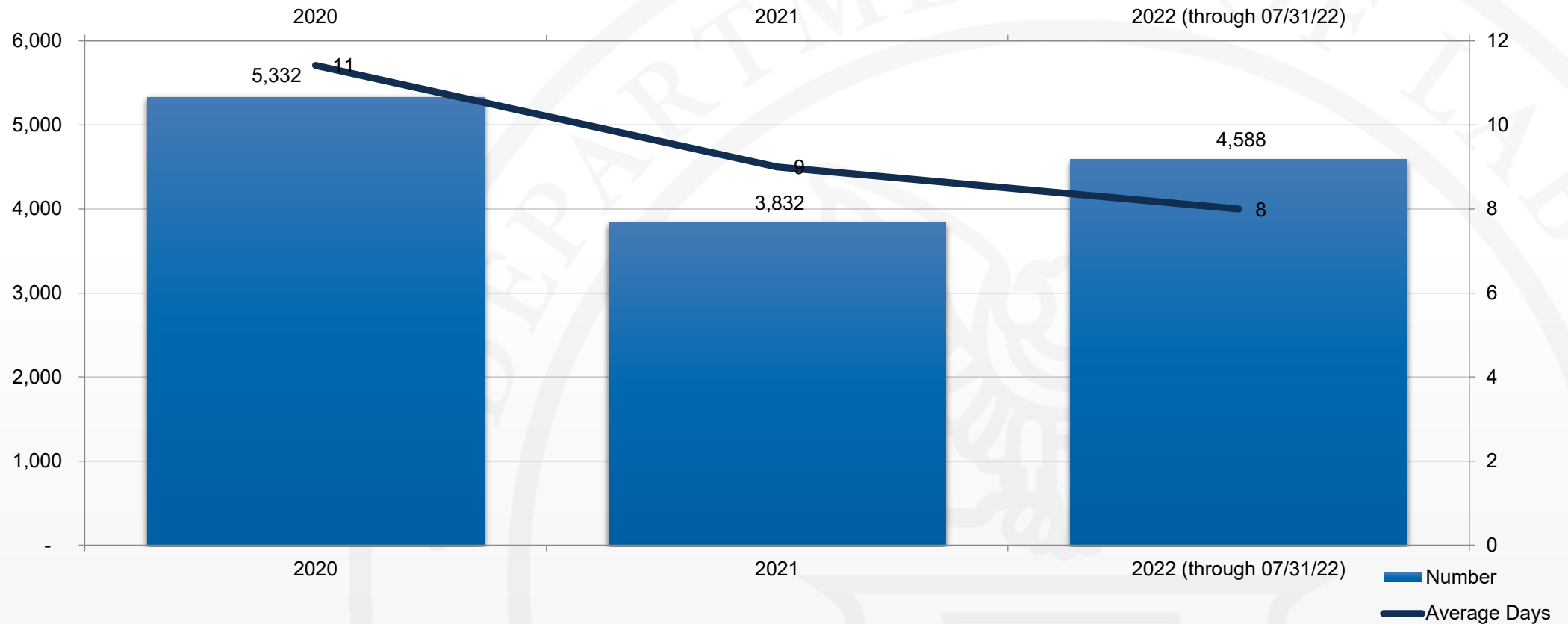
- **Settling for conditions not originally claimed:**
 - **What we need:**
 - **Amended LS-202/203 for any additional condition(s)**
 - **Mention in medical and/or deposition**
 - **Consideration given to the additional condition(s) in the settlement amounts**



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Settlements

FY2020/FY2021/FY2022 (through 07/31/2022)





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Communications

Central Mail Receipt:

U. S. Department of Labor
Office of Workers' Compensation Programs
Division of Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation
400 West Bay Street, Suite 63A, Box 28
Jacksonville, FL 32202

Case Create Documents only: FAX (202) 513-6814

SEAPortal: <https://seaportal.dol.gov/portal/>

Preferred method of submission

Telephone Number for all offices: (202) 513-6809

ECOMP Longshore page for Claimants: <https://dlhwc.dol.gov/>

ECOMP Longshore page for Entities: <https://owcp.industrypartners.dol.gov/#/>



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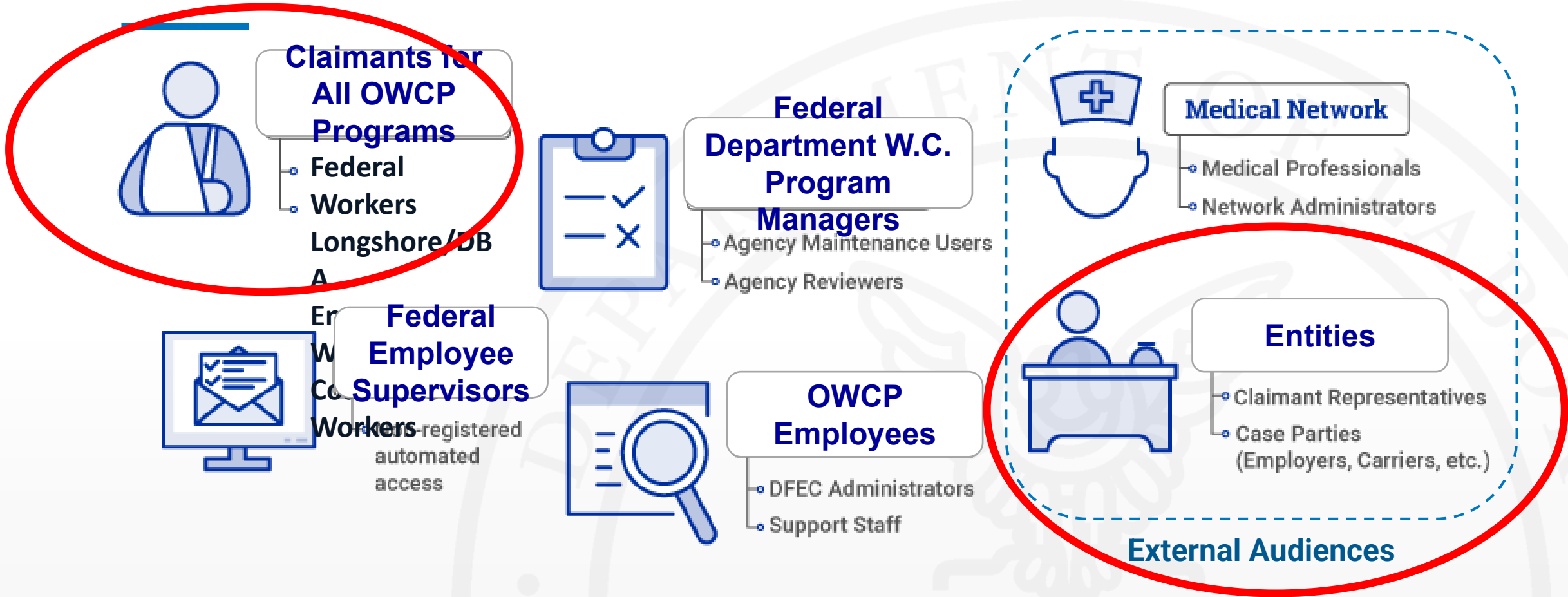


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OWCP's Stakeholder Ecosystem



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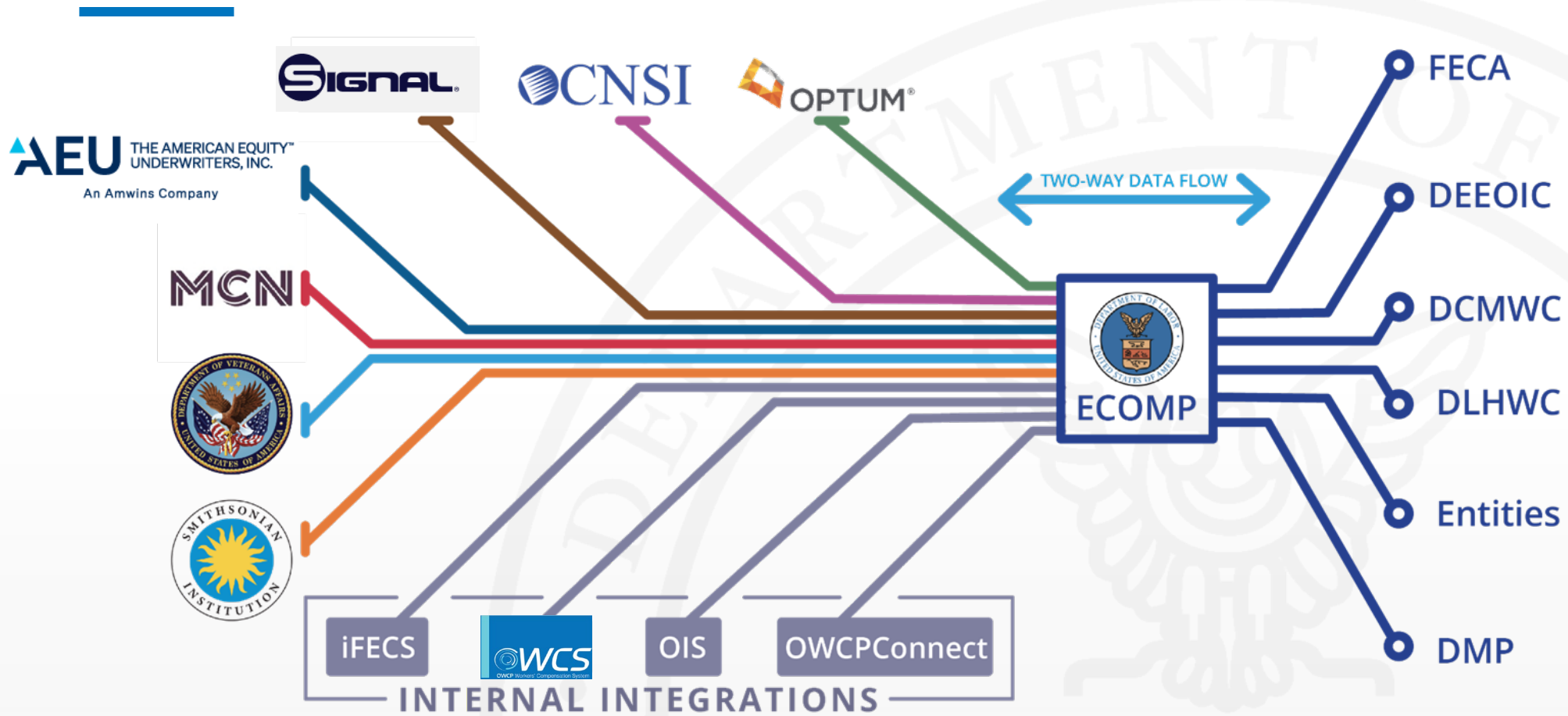


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OWCP's IT Ecosystem

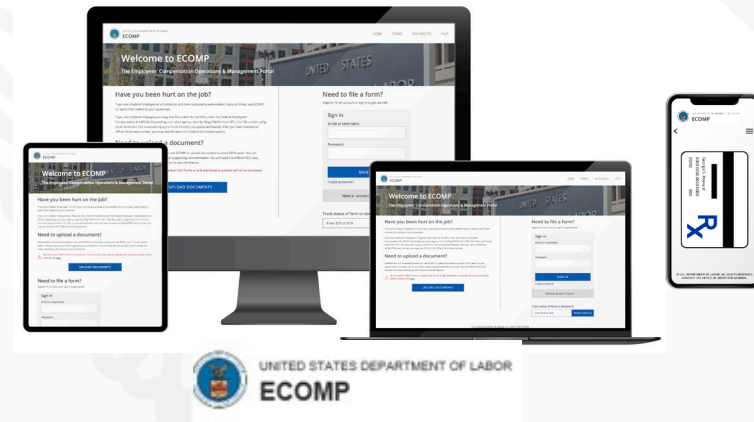


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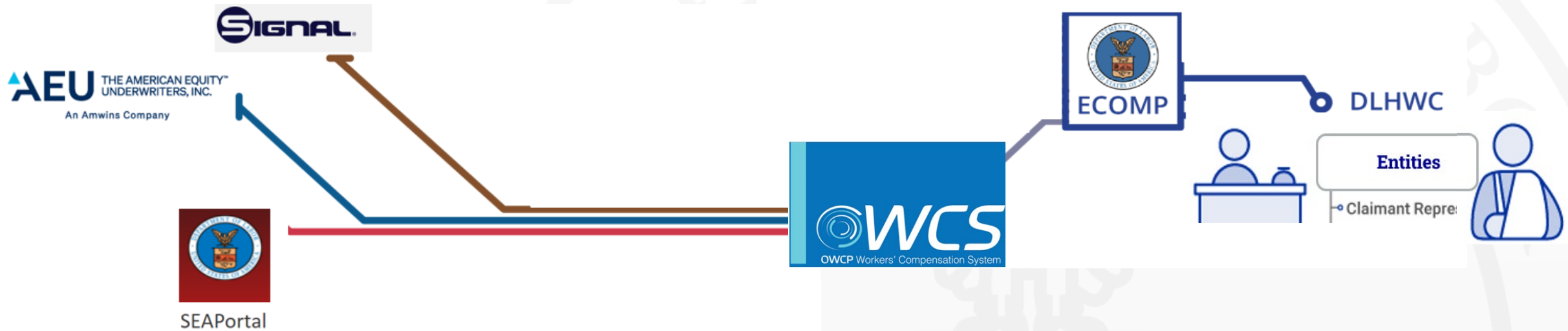


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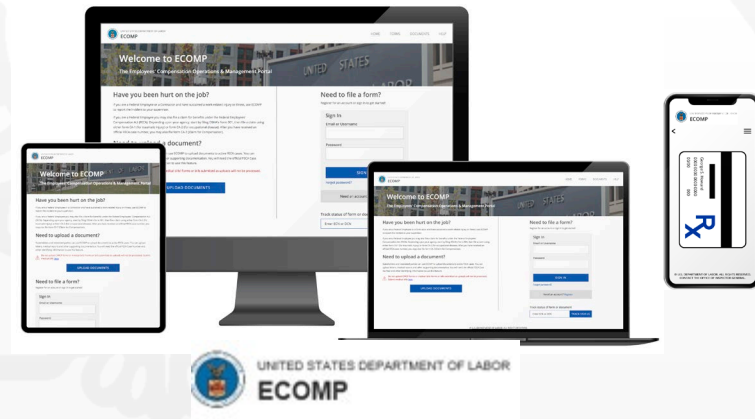




Welcome to ECOMP

The Employees' Compensation Operations & Management Portal

- **Longshore User Population**
- **Longshore Claimants –**
 - 1,949 registered
 - 1,702 identity verified
- **Longshore Entities**
 - 48 - All law firms



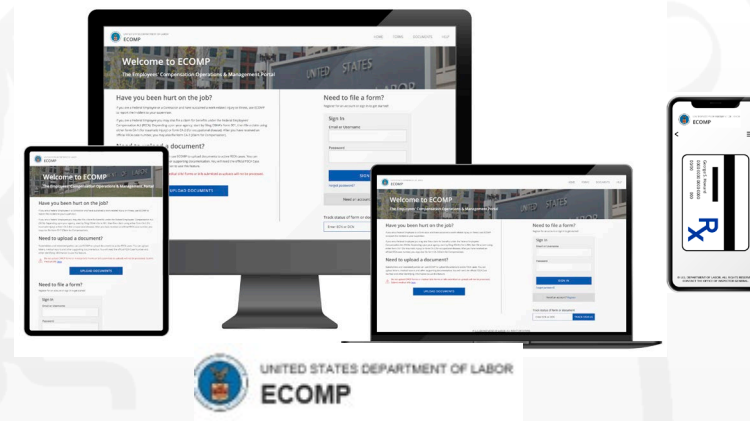


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Longshore Entity List

| Entity Name | Entity Organization Type | Active Programs | Cases |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Accident Law Group | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 9 |
| Alan J Shapiro Attorney at Law | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 1594 |
| Associates and Bruce L. Scheiner | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 3 |
| Beiser Law Firm | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 7 |
| BiState Law Center | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 2 |
| Blue Water Legal | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 1 |
| Daniel Read | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 38 |
| Doar, Drill & Skow, S.C. | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 1 |
| Ellis & Thomas, PLLC | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 1 |
| Herbert Chestnut and Associates | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| James M Snow Law Firm | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 5 |
| John S. Evangelisti Esq. | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 18 |



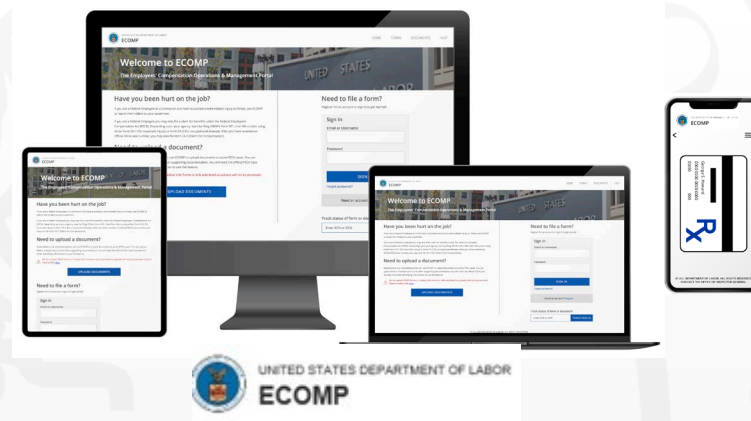


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| Ken Harris & Associates PA | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 0 |
| Lamb & Frischer Law Firm, LLP | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 1 |
| Law Office of Courtney Warren PLLC | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 3 |
| Law Office of Gregory A. Hall | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 44 |
| Law Offices of Jack Jordan | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 1 |
| Law Offices of Joel E. Fenton PLC | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 0 |
| Law Offices of Stephen J. Dunn | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 52 |
| Lerner and Rowe | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 4 |
| Levy, Sibley, Foreman & Speir, LLC | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 0 |
| Luzuriaga Mims, LLP | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| Mara Law Firm, PC | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 1 |
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| Merrigan Legal | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 2 |



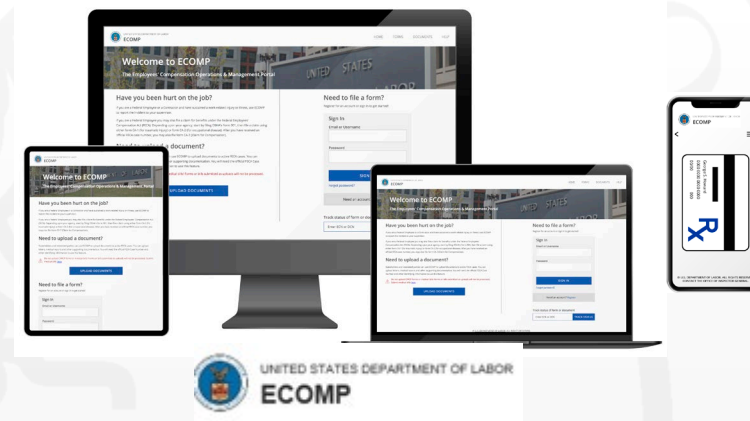


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| Panzer Law, P.A. | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| Pendergast Law | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 0 |
| Roden Law Firm | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| Rutter Mills, LLP | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| SOLOMON LAW FIRM PLLC | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 2 |
| Strongpoint Law Firm, LLC | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 5 |
| Taylor Wellons, Politz & Duhe' LLC | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| The Dalton Law Firm | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| The Law Office of Phillip M. Davis | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |
| Uliase & Uliase, PC | Law Firm/Attorney | FECA, LHWCA | 755 |
| Welch&Condon | Law Firm/Attorney | LHWCA | 0 |



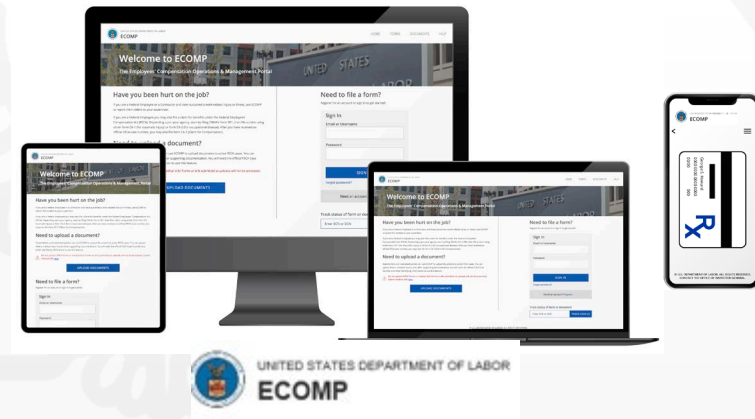


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Recent Enhancements

- July 25, 2022 – Case Imaging (Industry Notice 191)
- April 25, 2022 – Designation of Representative (Industry Notice 191; Bulletin 22-01)
- November 15, 2021 – Entity Management (Industry Notice 186)





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Administrative/Judicial IT Ecosystem

eFiling and eServing Gateway

Integrated gateway for filing and serving documents with DOL

Use this button to register and file/receive documents

Create Account

Agencies



Announcements

August 9, 2022

[Training Webinar on Upcoming New Feature - Transfer Cases to another Account](#)

June 27, 2022

[Recording of the June 23, 2022 Training Webinar](#)

June 18, 2022



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Dashboard

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eFile & eServe with the
Administrative Review Board
(ARB)



eFile & eServe with the
Benefits Review Board (BRB)



eFile & eServe with the
Employees' Compensation
Appeals Board (ECAB)



eFile & eServe with the
Office of the Administrative Law
Judges (OALJ) or
Board of Alien Labor Certification
Appeals (BALCA)



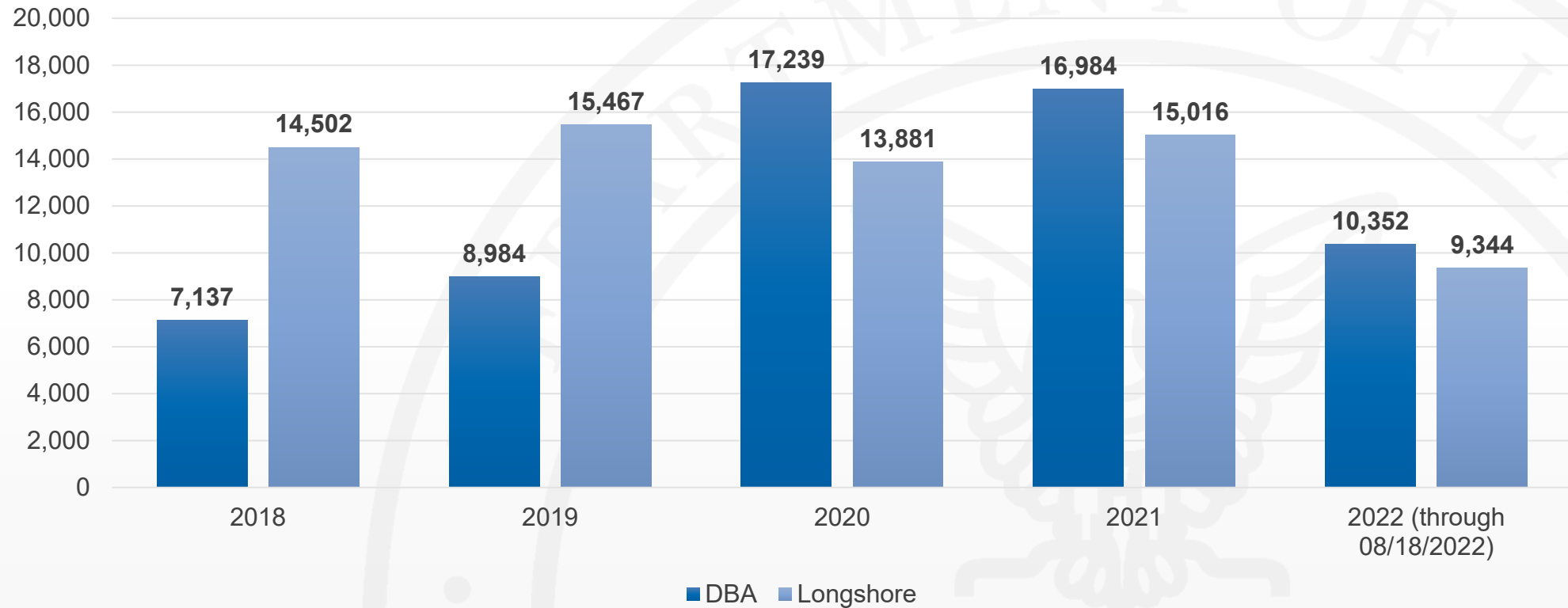
Defense Base Act

- **General upward trend**
- **More accurate nationality data being captured**



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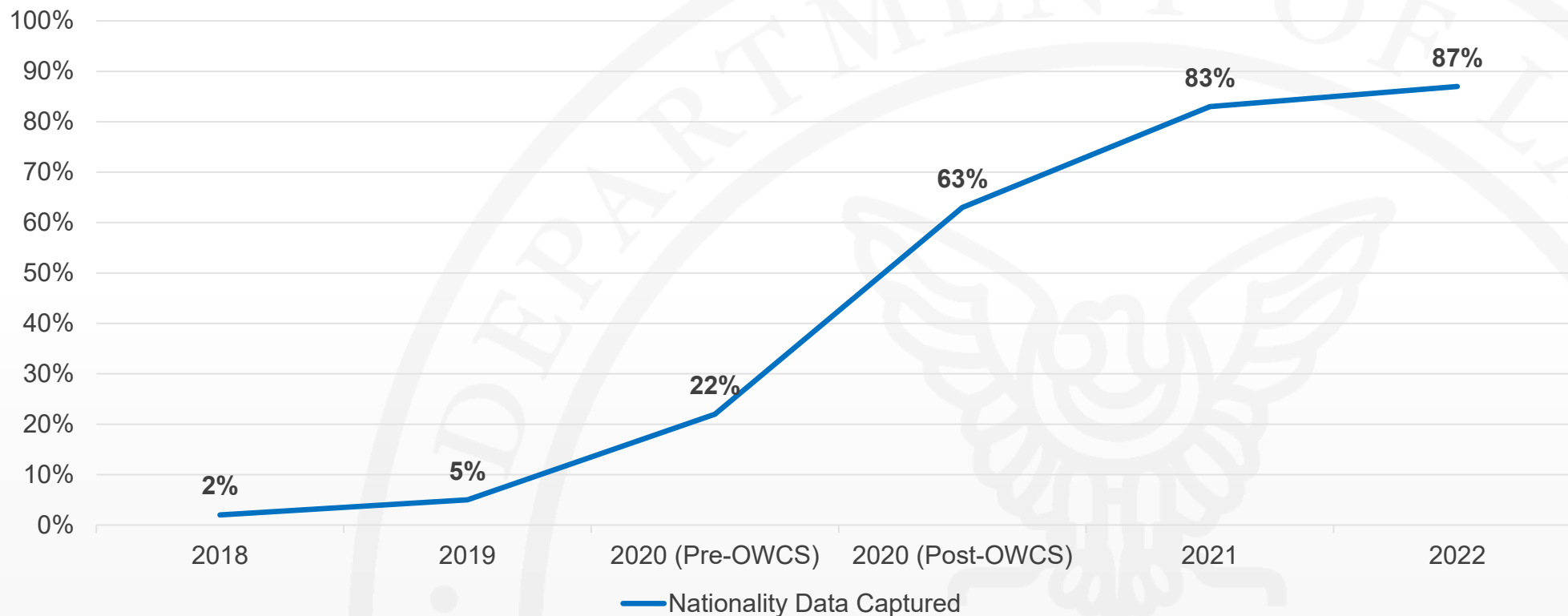
Trends – Claims Reported CY2018 – CY2021 Longshore & DBA





DBA Cases Created: Nationality Data Captured

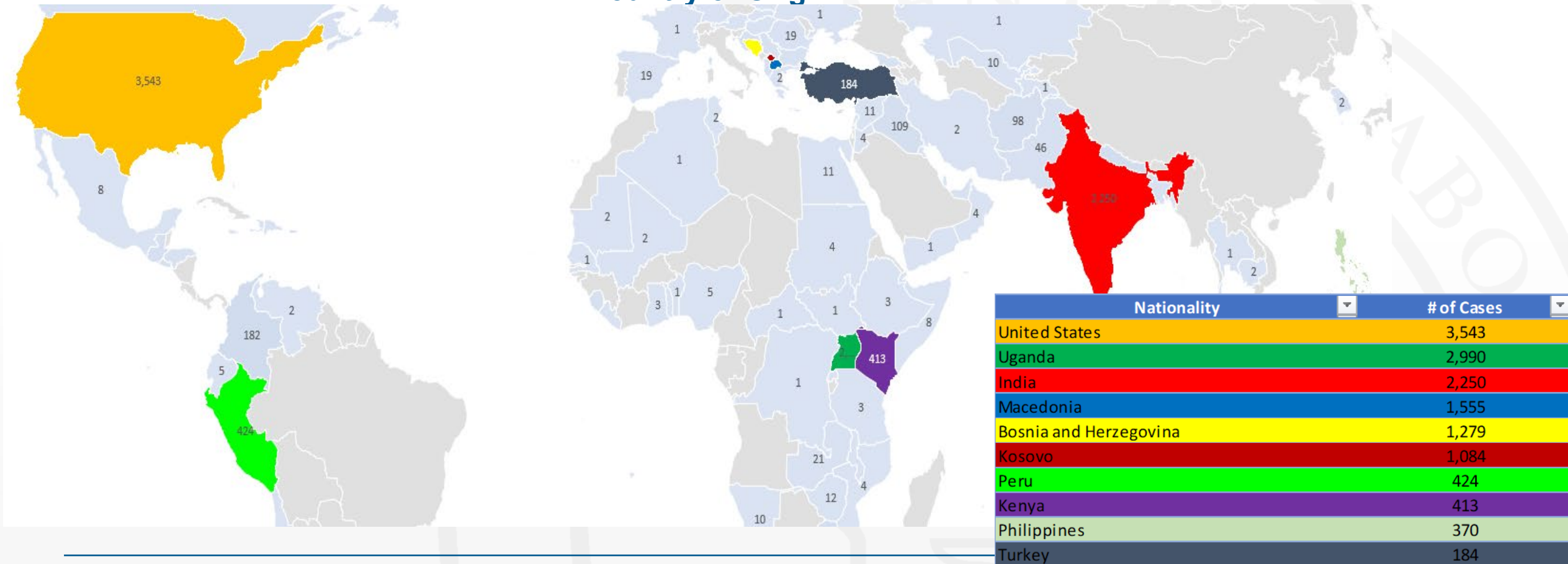
by Calendar Year





January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021

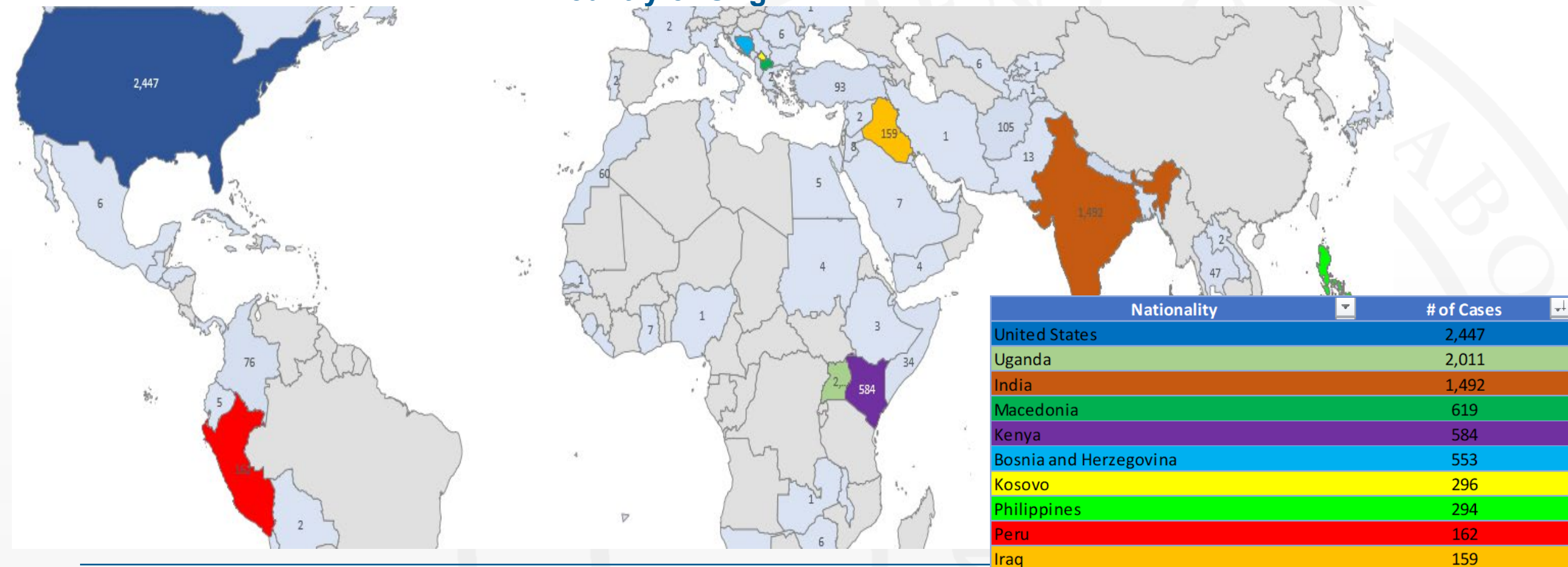
Country of Origin





January 1, 2022 to August 2, 2022

Country of Origin



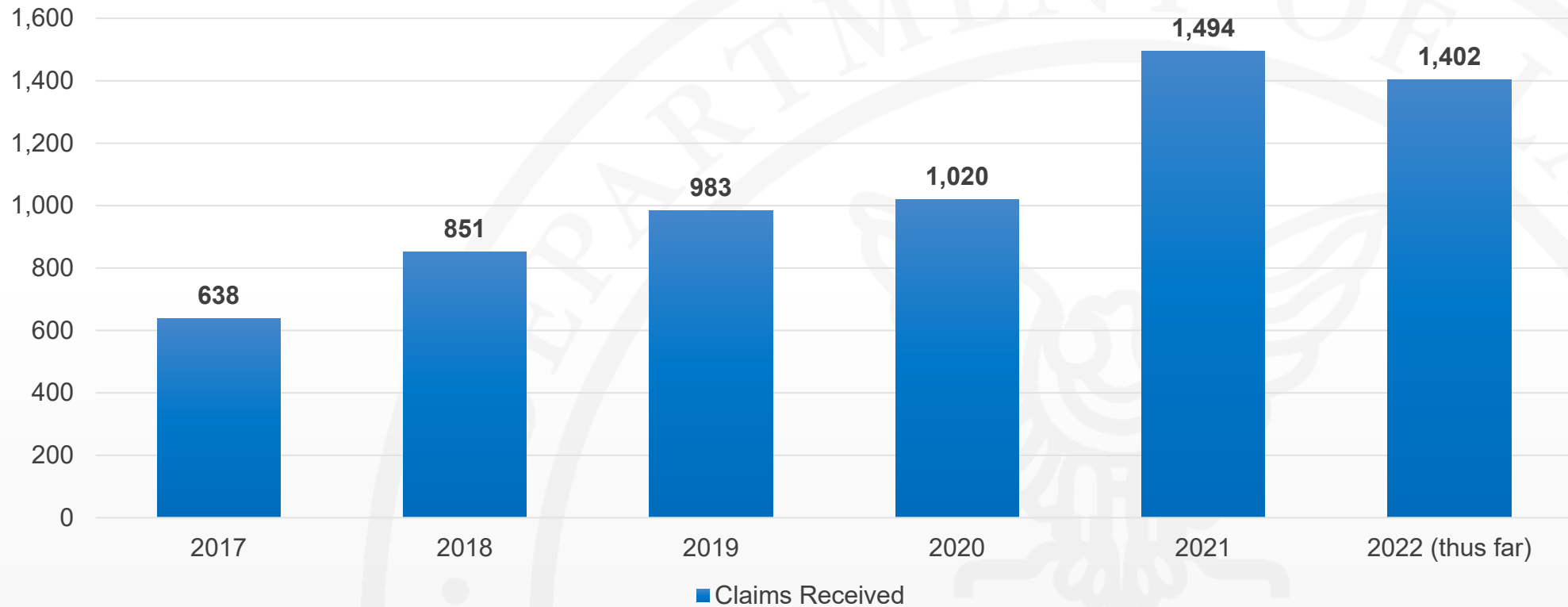


War Hazards Compensation Act

- **Work doubled** as a result of:
 - Budget Policy: kept flat, lacking inflationary increases for 4 years; equivalent to the program losing 130 FTE beginning between 2017 and 2021
- Loosened the evidentiary requirements for PTSD cases ([FECA Bulletin 18-03](#))
- **Reimbursements increased** :
 - Kept same amount of dedicated staff to WH unit (5 FTE)

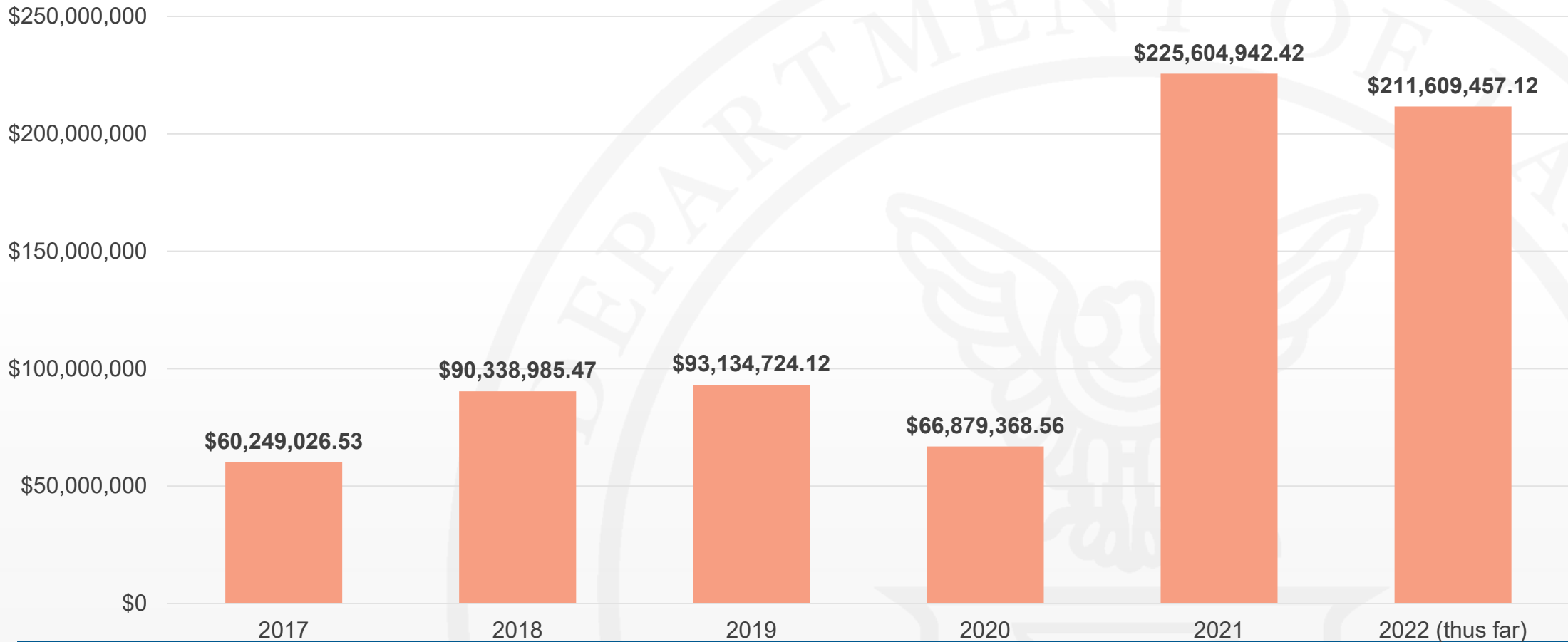


WHCA: Claims Received CY2017-CY2021



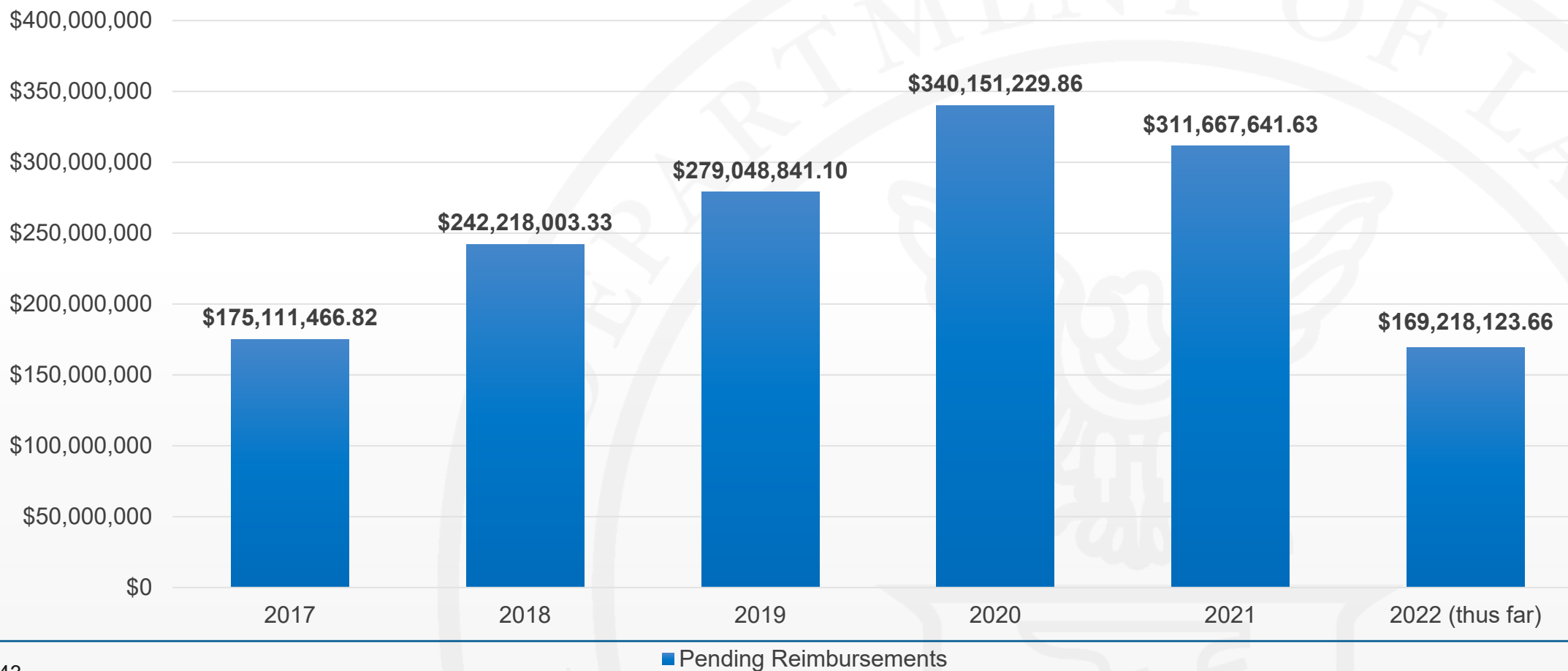


WHCA: Pending Reimbursements CY2017 – CY2021





WHCA: Total Payouts CY2017 – CY2021





MITRE Assessment

- **OWCP evaluating all case management systems by a Federally Funded Research & Development Center - MITRE**
 - Assessment due by Dec 2022



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Johnny Chang, Branch Chief of Information Technology

**Division of Federal Employees', Longshore and
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ECOMP **Claimant Experience**



ECOMP – Claimant Experience

Welcome to your Case Dashboard

Each existing injury/illness claim you have can be found in the Cases tab of the table below.

By clicking anywhere in the row of an injury/illness claim in the table below, you will be taken to its Case Review page where you can view:

- Case Data, including claim specific information such as Average Weekly Wage, Compensation Rate and Payment Status
- Compensation Payment History (for claimants in receipt of Special Fund payments only – this will include payments issued by the Special Fund to medical providers)
- Parties to the case, including Employers and Carriers and any associated attorneys

CASES (1)

| Case Number | Date of Injury | Employer |
|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| LS-██████████ | ██████████ | General Dynamics |



ECOMP – Claimant Experience

[HOME](#) / [CASE REVIEW](#)

[Return to Dashboard](#)

CASE LS: [REDACTED]

[SEAPortal](#)

Employer: [REDACTED]
Claimant Name: [REDACTED]
Date of Injury: [REDACTED]
Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Claimant SSN: [REDACTED]

Representation Select

[Do you have a Representative?](#)

| CASE DATA | PAYMENT HISTORY | PARTIES | CASE IMAGING |
|-----------|-----------------|---------|--------------|
|-----------|-----------------|---------|--------------|

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Act | Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act |
| Average Weekly Wage | \$1,500.00 |
| Compensation Rate | \$1,377.02 |
| Payment Status | E/C Pay |
| Date of Knowledge | -- |
| Body Part | Head |
| Appeal Status | Benefit Review Board |

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ECOMP – Claimant Experience

CASE LS-0 [REDACTED]

[SEAPortal](#)

Employer: General Dynamics
Claimant Name: [REDACTED]
Date of Injury: [REDACTED]
Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Claimant SSN: [REDACTED]

Representation Select

[Do you have a Representative?](#)

CASE DATA

PAYMENT HISTORY

PARTIES

| Payment Type ▲ | Payee ⇅ | Payment Freque... ⇅ | From ⇅ | Through ⇅ | Gross Comp ⇅ | Deductions ⇅ | Net Paid ⇅ | Payment Date ⇅ |
|---------------------|----------|---------------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 01/08/1986 | 07/31/2020 | \$900.00 | | \$900.00 | 09/30/2020 |
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 10/01/2020 | 10/14/2020 | \$942.00 | | \$942.00 | 10/14/2020 |
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 10/15/2020 | 10/28/2020 | \$942.00 | | \$942.00 | 10/28/2020 |
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 10/29/2020 | 11/11/2020 | \$942.00 | | \$942.00 | 11/11/2020 |
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 11/12/2020 | 11/25/2020 | \$942.00 | | \$942.00 | 11/25/2020 |
| REL - Related Death | Claimant | Recurring | 11/26/2020 | 12/09/2020 | \$942.00 | | \$942.00 | 12/09/2020 |



ECOMP – Claimant Experience

CASE LS-0 [REDACTED]

[SEAPortal](#)

Employer: General Dynamics

Claimant SSN: [REDACTED]

Claimant Name: [REDACTED]

Date of Injury: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Representation Select

[Do you have a Representative?](#)



CASE DATA

PAYMENT HISTORY

PARTIES

Claimants



Employers



Carriers



| Name | Address | Phone | Email | Active | Waiver |
|------|---------|-------|-------|--------|--------|
| | | | | Y | |



Designation of Representative

CASE LS-0 [REDACTED]

[SEAPortal](#)

Employer: General Dynamics

Claimant SSN: [REDACTED]

Claimant Name: [REDACTED]

Date of Injury: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Representation Select
[Do you have a Representative?](#) >



| CASE DATA | PAYMENT HISTORY | PARTIES |
|-----------|-----------------|---------|
|-----------|-----------------|---------|

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Act | Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act |
| Average Weekly Wage | \$834.00 |
| Compensation Rate | \$471.00 |
| Payment Status | S/F Pay Comp only - 8(f) |
| Date of Knowledge | 07/21/1980 |
| Body Part | Trunk Internal |
| Appeal Status | -- |



Case Documents

Released Summer 2022

CASE LS-0 [REDACTED]

[SEAPortal](#)

Employer: General Dynamics

Claimant SSN: [REDACTED]

Claimant Name: [REDACTED]

Date of Injury: [REDACTED]

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Representation

Select

[Do you have a Representative?](#)



CASE DATA

PAYMENT HISTORY

PARTIES

CASE IMAGING

CASE DOCUMENTS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | | Other/Multiple | OUTGOING COR & CALLS | 06/07/2021 | 06/07/2021 |
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Case Documents

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August 23, 2021 Date of Injury: 05/01/2005
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ECOMP
Entity Experience



ECOMP – Entity Experience

Welcome to the Entities Page

<https://owcp.industrypartners.dol.gov/#/>

Entities Overview

Entities are individuals, business entities, or organizations that may be given access to specific OWCP case files. To be an authorized Entity user within OWCP's ECOMP portal, each user must register and be identity verified within ECOMP.

Some Entities are granted access to claimant files based solely on the claimant's designation of representation. These Entity types include attorneys/law firms, union representatives and non-attorney authorized representatives.

Other Entities have access to case files by virtue of their pre-established connection to a specific case. These Entities include Employers/Carriers in the Longshore program, which have access to case files only if they are associated with the injury claim. These Entities can also designate a representative, such as an attorney/law firm or third party administrator.

Once assigned, Entities have the ability to navigate within ECOMP for associated cases.

ECOMP provides access to the following Entity types for the FECA and Longshore Programs.

- Attorneys/Law Firm
- Union Representative
- Authorized Representative (Non-Attorney)

Additional functionality will be added in the future.

Entities

Register for an account or sign in to get started!

Sign In

Email or Username

Password

SIGN IN

[Forgot password?](#)



ECOMP – Entity Basics

- **Entity users must register in ECOMP, and Entities must be created in ECOMP.**
- **Claimants must register in ECOMP and select the entity representative in ECOMP. There is no other way for an entity representative to obtain access.**
 - **This is true even if the representative is already the designated representative for the OWCP file.**
 - **Selecting a representative occurs on a case-by-case basis.**
- **ECOMP entity registration and access is NOT required in order for a representative to represent a claimant, but if that representative wants ECOMP access to view their claimant case information, registration and claimant selection in ECOMP are required.**



Representation Memos for ECOMP Actions

1. ECOMP Entity Transaction Memo – This memo will be added to the OWCP case file when any entity related case specific transaction occurs in ECOMP, such as:

- **Authorization of Representative Memo – See Industry Notice and Bulletin below**
- **Representation Request Denied**
- **Representation Request Revoked by Claimant**

[Industry Notice 190; Bulletin 22-01](#)

Purpose: To announce that the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP), Longshore Program, has added designation of a representative through ECOMP as an acceptable form of written notice of authorization for representation.



ECOMP – Next Steps – Target Timeframe 2023

Self-Insured/Employer/Carrier Experience – Phase 1

- **Registration and Identity Verification Required**
- **Longshore Admin approval required – will link/confirm Sequence Number**
- **Case Access based only on Sequence Number**
- **Can view Case Data and Case Documents**

Self-Insured/Employer/Carrier – Experience Phase 2

- **Ability to assign a Law Firm**
- **Can view Case Data and Case Documents – same as claimant chosen representative**

Self-Insured/Employer/Carrier – Experience Phase 3

- **Third Party Administrator Registration**
- **Ability for Employer/Carrier to assign a TPA to a case**
- **TPA can view Case Data and Case Documents**

Dates subject to change



Assistance with ECOMP



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Welcome to your Case Dashboard

Each existing injury/illness claim you have can be found in the Cases tab of the table below.

By clicking anywhere in the row of an injury/illness claim in the table below, you will be taken to its Case Review page where you can view:

- Case Data, including claim specific information such as Average Weekly Wage, Compensation Rate and Payment Status
- Compensation Payment History (for claimants in receipt of Special Fund payments only – this will include payments issued by the Special Fund to medical providers)
- Parties to the case, including Employers and Carriers and any associated attorneys

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