

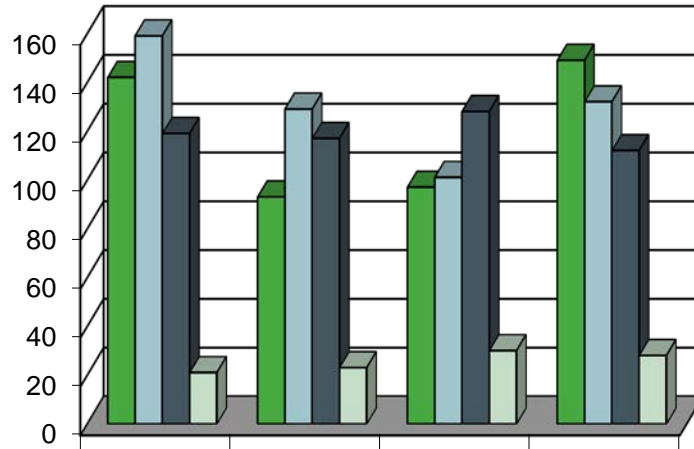
AN OVERVIEW OF OWCA SECTION'S ACTIVITY- 2014

The OWCA's fourth quarter activity report for 2014 is now available for customers to access.

1. OSHA Consultation Unit Report
2. Safety and Health Unit Report
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4. Hearing Unit Report
5. Second Injury Fund Unit Report

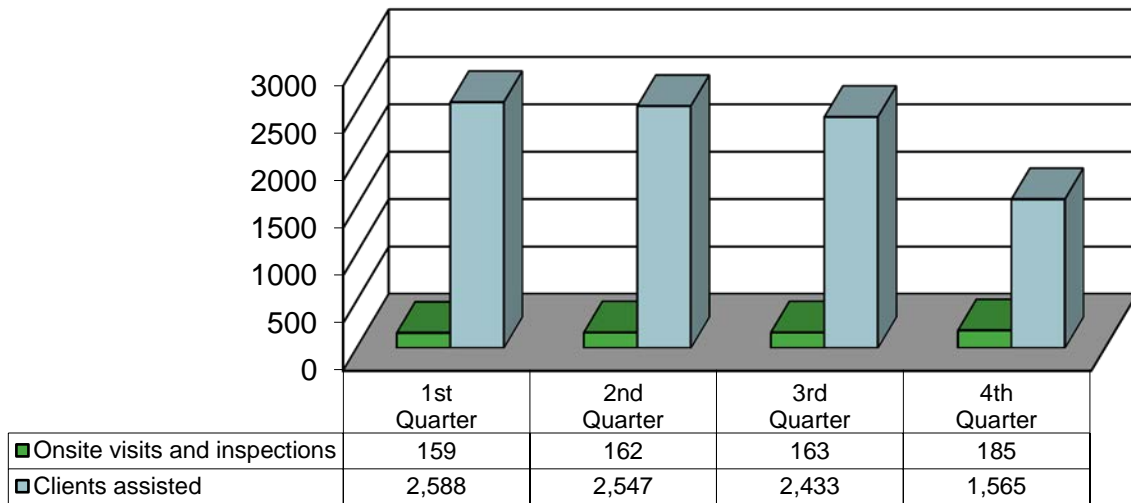
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Consultation Unit Report-2014

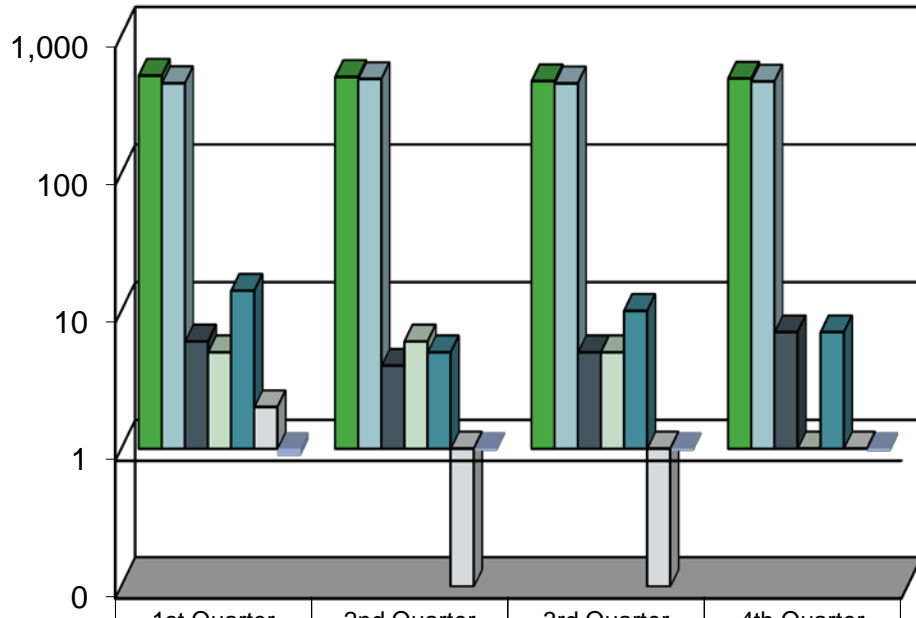


	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
■ Requests received for services *	142	93	97	149
■ Onsite visits conducted *	159	129	101	132
■ Consultation inquiries **	119	117	128	112
■ Average number of days from initial visit to case closed ***	21	23	30	28

Safety and Health Unit Report-2014

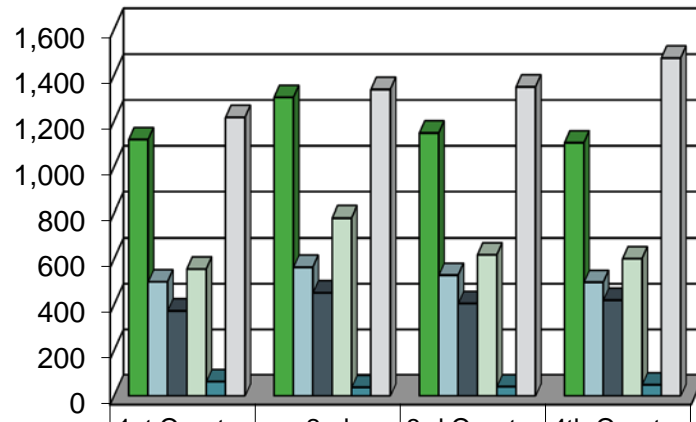


Fraud Claims Unit Report-2014



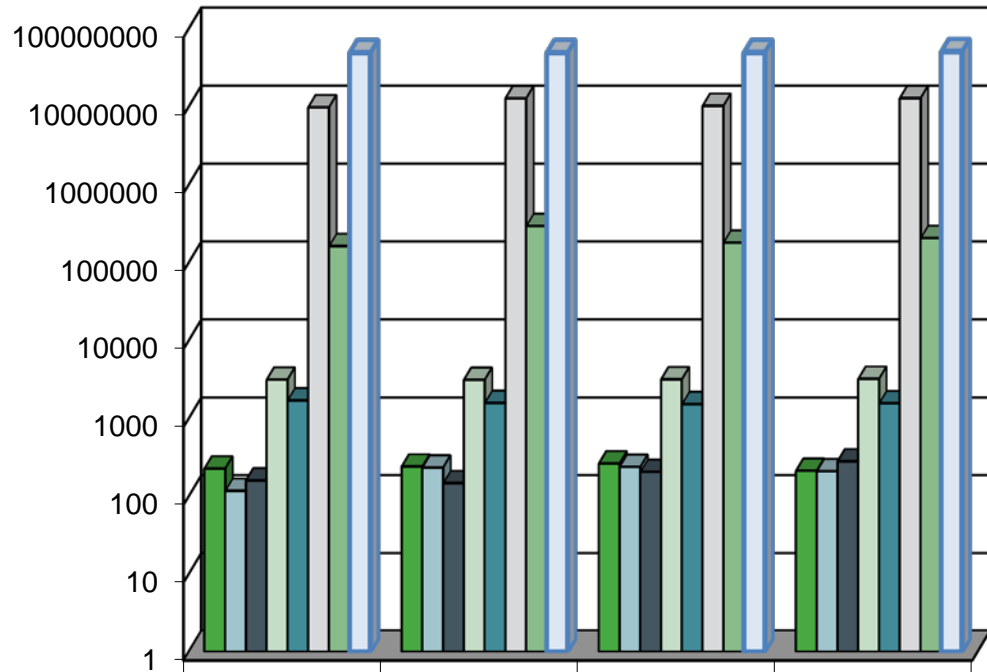
	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
■ Investigations initiated	512	501	467	488
■ Investigations completed	451	484	450	464
■ Referrals for prosecution	6	4	5	7
■ Arrests/prosecutions	5	6	5	1
■ Referrals for U. I. Fraud	14	5	10	7
■ Conviction	2	0	0	1
■ % of investigations completed within 30 days	88%	96%	96%	95%

Hearing Unit Report-2014



	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
■ Disputed claims filed	1,118	1,302	1,147	1,104
■ Mediations held	499	563	528	497
■ Disputes resolved before pre-trial	372	451	404	419
■ Trials held	555	778	617	600
■ Appeals filed	62	37	40	48
■ Approved settlements*	1,215	1,337	1,348	1,474

Second Injury Fund Unit Report-2014



	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter
■ Claims received	226	240	263	212
■ Claims closed	117	233	238	209
■ Decisions rendered	159	147	205	280
■ Claims pending	3,128	3,115	3,160	3,203
■ Claims with ongoing reimbursements	1,698	1,574	1,520	1,560
■ Total amount reimbursed to carriers and self-insurers	\$9,739,543	\$12,694,426	\$10,168,747	\$12,776,632
■ Total administrative costs	\$161,793	\$292,956	\$179,166	\$204,885
■ SIB Line for Annual Report Only Do Not Use	\$49,147,217	\$49,147,217	\$49,326,918	\$50,528,320