

2024 MLAC Work Plan Updated 5/22/2024

Topic	Task	Timeframe	Responsible	Outcome	Evaluation
Workers' access to and understandability of information regarding workers' compensation	QR codes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notice of Compliance (NOC), Employer required poster, English • Need equivalent in Spanish on NOC poster • Spanish Website w NOC Insurers fillable 801 and/or portal to injured worker website Interactive flow chart for injured workers Work Ombuds for Oregon Workers to share videos on process for injured workers: 801, Listening Tour, explore different locations for in-person MLAC meetings – The Dalles	Completed Ongoing Ongoing Insurers Completed Update OOW October 2024	MLAC/DCBS/WCD MLAC/DCBS/WCD MLAC/DCBS/WCD DCBS/Comms MLAC/DCBS/Comms/WCD /Ombuds Office MLAC/DCBS/WCD	Education/Increased knowledge of WC system	
Overarching Review of Worker Benefits	Examination of open-ended time loss (full committee). *ask this of panel discussion in November and December.	Ongoing	MLAC/DCBS/WCD	Policy	
Legislative session preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop guidelines and general questions to assist stakeholders and partners with presenting legislative concepts to MLAC. • Develop short video to go with the guidelines document. • MLAC legislative website with guidelines document, video and resources. • Updated MLAC video for website • Evaluate for effectiveness 	Completed Completed Completed	MLAC/DCBS/WCD MLAC/DCBS/Comms MLAC/DCBS/Comms MLAC/DCBS/Comms	Policy/Engagement/ Outreach	Website traffic LC's presented to MLAC

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Ongoing updates:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oregon Institute of Occupational Health Sciences annual report – they are partially funded with workers’ compensation funds • Workday training/education issues • Board’s managing attorney brings to MLAC recent court cases and invites discussion • Report on firefighter cancer presumption from NIOSH (TBD) see MLAC letter from HB 4113 on presumption from the 2022 legislative session • Annual Workers’ Benefit Fund report • Biennial permanent partial disability report 	<p>*Oct 2023 - Completed</p> <p>Completed</p> <p>*Ongoing</p> <p>Waiting on report</p> <p>*Completed</p> <p>*Completed</p>	<p>MLAC/DCBS/WCD/OHSU</p> <p>MLAC/DAS/DCBS/WCD MLAC/DCBS/WCB/WCD</p> <p>MLAC/NIOSH/DCBS/WCD</p> <p>MLAC/DCBS/IT&R/WCD MLAC/DCBS/IT&R/WCD</p>	<p>Information</p> <p>Education/Training Education/Policy</p> <p>Education/Policy</p> <p>Education/Policy Education/Policy</p>	
Educational Topics	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. DEIB 2. Insurer’s perspective start to finish* 3. Injured worker’s perspective start to finish* 4. Mental health 5. Annual Premium Assessment (PAOA) Rate Process 6. Regulatory Tour – start to finish 	<p>*Completed</p> <p>November 2024</p> <p>December 2024</p> <p>August 2024</p> <p>October 2024</p> <p>TBD</p>	<p>MLAC/DCBS/WCD</p> <p>TBD</p> <p>TBD</p> <p>MLAC/DCBS/WCD</p> <p>DCBS DO</p>	<p>Education/Training</p> <p>Education/Training Education Session</p>	