

Executive Summary

NIOSH Responds to the Opioid Overdose Crisis and an Update on Workplace

Supported Recovery

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Dr. Casey Chosewood and Jamie Osborne from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) offers real-time insight on the impact of the opioid crisis on our public workforce system. ETA believes that the information presented by the NIOSH provides a great opportunity to enhance the One Workforce vision through sharing this timely and important information with the larger workforce community.

DOL's primary grant to address the workforce impacts of the crisis is the National Health Emergency Dislocated Worker Grants (NHE DWG). Dislocated Worker Grants (DWGs) are triggered by federal emergency and disaster declarations, such as a terror event or a natural disaster. In this instance, HHS' declaration of the opioid crisis as a public health emergency triggered the development of the NHE DWGs. These grants seek to address the economic and workforce impacts of the crisis by temporarily expanding the service capacity of state workforce agencies to fund employment and training services to individuals impacted by the disaster or emergency.

The objectives for today's webinar include: Understanding the Opioid Crisis in the US; Understanding the Opioid Crisis among US Workers; The NIOSH Framework to Address Opioid Misuse; The COVID-19 Pandemic & The Opioid Overdose Epidemic; and Workplace Supported Recovery

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