

DEEOIC Advisory Board on Toxic Substances and Worker Health Briefing Book

EEOICPA relevant policy document website links from the Procedure Manual, Bulletins, Circulars, and Program Memoranda relating to the listed topics pertaining to Part E starting with FY 2004. It is organized by the source and topic.

TOPICS - Part E (starting point is FY 2004):

1. Site Exposure Matrices (SEM) database, which is a repository of information, searchable by job category and location, about toxic substances that were present at Department of Energy facilities covered under EEOICPA, and also contains information about established causal links between those substances and certain occupational illnesses.
2. Medical guidance for CEs pertaining to the weighing of medical evidence of claimants.
3. Evidentiary requirements for claims related to lung disease.
4. Work of IH, staff physicians, and consulting physicians, and their reports, to ensure quality, objectivity, and consistency.

SOURCES:

The Federal (EEOICPA) Procedure Manual
EEOICPA Final Bulletins
EEOICPA Final Circulars
EEOICPA Program Memoranda

The Federal (EEOICPA) Procedure Manual

1. Site Exposure Matrices (SEM) database

Chapter 2-0700 Establishing Toxic Substance Exposure

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-0700ToxicSubstanceExposure.htm

Chapter 2-1100 Eligibility Requirements for Certain Uranium Workers

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1100EligibilityRequirements.htm

Chapter 2-1900 Reopening Process

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1900ReopeningProcess.htm

2. Medical guidance for CEs pertaining to weighing of medical evidence

Chapter 2-0300 Initial Development

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-0300InitialDevelopment.htm

Chapter 2-0800 Developing and Weighing Medical Evidence

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-0800DevelopMedicalEvidence.htm

Chapter 2-1000 Eligibility Criteria for Non-Cancerous Conditions

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1000EligibilityCriteria.htm

Chapter 2-1100 Eligibility Requirements for Certain Uranium Workers

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1100EligibilityRequirements.htm

Chapter 2-1400 Wage-Loss Determinations

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1400WageLoss.htm

Chapter 2-1500 Consequential Conditions

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1500ConsequentialConditions.htm

3. Evidentiary requirements for claims related to lung disease

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http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-0800DevelopMedicalEvidence.htm

Chapter 2-1300 Impairment Ratings

http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/proceduremanualhtml/unifiedpm/Unifiedpm_part2/Chapter2-1300ImpairmentRatings.htm

Chapter 2-1400 Wage-Loss Determinations

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Chapter 2-1500 Consequential Conditions

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EEOICPA Final Bulletins

1. Site Exposure Matrices (SEM) database

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 08-15

Subject: Adjudication of Part E claims for the conditions of parkinsonism and Parkinson's disease (PD).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin08-15.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 13-02

Subject: Systematic Review of Denied Part E Cases

This Bulletin replaces EEOICPA Bulletin No. 10-15, SEM Quality Assurance Plan.

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin13-02.htm>

Note: Circular 15-04 relates to this Bulletin.

2. Medical guidance for CEs pertaining to weighing of medical evidence

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 06-08

Subject: Establishing causation for specific medical conditions under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act (EEOICPA).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/Bulletin06-08EstablishingCausationforSpecificMedical.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 06-13

Subject: Establishing causation for specific medical conditions under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act (EEOICPA). (Updates Attachment in Bulletin No. 06-08)

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/Bulletin06-13Causation.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 07-07

Subject: Procedures for rating impairment due to mental disorders under Part E of the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act (EEOICPA).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin07-07.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 08-15

Subject: Adjudication of Part E claims for the conditions of parkinsonism and Parkinson's disease (PD).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin08-15.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO. 08-38

Subject: Illnesses that presently have no known causal link to toxic substances. This bulletin replaces Bulletin No. 06-10 and Bulletin No. 06-14 with the same subject.

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin08-38.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO: 16-01

Subject: Criteria for Establishing Causation for Asthma Claims Under Part E of the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act (EEOICPA).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin16-01.htm>

EEOICPA BULLETIN NO: 16-02

Subject: Presumptions Available for Accepting Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Under Part E of the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act (EEOICPA).

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalbulletinshtml/EEOICPABulletin16-02.htm>

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EEOICPA Final Circulars

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EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 10-04

SUBJECT: Ionizing radiation health effects under Part E

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular10-04.htm>

EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 13-06

SUBJECT: Review of Denied Bladder Cancer Cases under Part E

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular13-06.htm>

EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 13-12

SUBJECT: Review of Denied Ovarian Cancer Cases under Part E

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular13-12.htm>

EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 15-04

SUBJECT: Review of Cases Involving Exposure to Trichloroethylene (TCE) and the Development of Kidney Cancer

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular15-04.htm>

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EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 15-05

SUBJECT: Occupational Exposure Guidance Relating to Asbestos

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular15-05.htm>

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EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO. 09-01

SUBJECT: This Circular provides clarification of the procedure for determining impairment ratings for Part E claims.

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular09-01.htm>

EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO.15-05

SUBJECT: Occupational Exposure Guidance Relating to Asbestos

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular15-05.htm>

EEOICPA CIRCULAR NO.15-06

SUBJECT: Post-1995 Occupational Toxic Exposure Guidance

<http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/regs/compliance/PolicyandProcedures/finalcircularhtml/EEOICPACircular15-06.htm>

EEOICPA Program Memoranda

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February 20, 2015, Exposure levels at DOE facilities beginning in 1995

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