

OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION
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Annual Performance Report

PY 2013

Grant Deliverables

In accordance with the Employment and Training Administration’s (ETA) guidelines for grant deliverables the Oklahoma Labor Market Information Program year 2013 accomplishments are outlined below.

i. Workforce information database (WIDb)

Continued to populate the WIDb Database with state and local data

Accomplishments:

Populated WIDb (version 2.5) in August 2013 for statewide short-term (2012 – 2014) and in March 2014 for statewide short-term (2013 – 2015) industry and occupational projections data in accordance with guidelines issued by the Analyst Resource Center (ARC);

All core tables were updated during PY 2013.

ii. Industry and occupational employment projections

Produced and disseminated industry and occupational employment projections.

Accomplishments:

- Short-term industry and occupational projections (2012-2014) data were published online in July, 2013;
- Long-term employment projections data (2010 - 2020) for the nine Workforce Investment Areas were published online in July 2013;
- Short-term industry and occupational projections (2013-2015) data were completed and submitted to ETA in Feb. 28, 2014;
- Short-term industry and occupational projections (2013-2015) data were published online in March, 2014;
- Long-term occupational employment projections (2012 – 2022) for the state of Oklahoma were completed and submitted to ETA in June 30, 2014;

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Two analysts attended Applied Analyst Training C2ER/LMI Institute, Sept. 2013, Portland, Oregon

Two analysts attended 2014 Projections Managing Partnership Summit June 3 - 5, 2014, Pittsburgh, PA.

Two analysts attended ArcGIS I training, July 2013, Oklahoma City, OK

iii. Annual economic analysis and other reports

Conducted and published relevant economic analysis, special workforce information and/or economic studies determined to be of benefit to the governor and state and local WIBs.

2013 Economic Report	Online publication September 2013
2014 Economic Report	Online publication September 2014
Long-term (2010-2020) WIA Industry and Occupational Employment Projections	Online July 2013
Short-term (2012-2014) Industry and Occupational Employment Projections	Online July 2013
Short-term (2012-2014) Industry and Occupational Employment Projections	Online July 2013
Short-term (2013-2015) Industry and Occupational Employment Projections	Online March 2014
Oklahoma QCEW Online Application (2005-2012)	Updated December 2013
Business Establishment Survival in Oklahoma: Younger vs. Older Business Establishments	Online publication May 2014
Oklahoma Licensed and Certified Occupation 2014	Online publication June 2014
Quarterly Census Employment and Wages 2012	Online publication November 2013
CES online 2013 (1990-2013) Online Application	Updated March 2014
Oklahoma 2012 CES Benchmark	Online publication March 2014
Oklahoma Labor Force Data 2013	Online publication April 2014
Oklahoma Wage Report 2013	Online publication April 2014
Employer Locator Online Application	Updated Aril 2014
OES 2013for State, Balance of State, MSAs, WIAs and LLMA(EDS File)	Updated online June 2014
Oklahoma's Economic Indicators (Monthly Reports)	Updated online Monthly
Quarterly Census Employment and Wages Data Files	Updated online Quarterly
2014 Oklahoma Employer Benefit Survey ^{New}	Online publication July 2014
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM) Periodic Table (poster)	Online publication July 2014
2012-22 Occupational Projections Chart Book	Online publication July 2014
Oklahoma Business Employment Dynamics: 4th Quarter 2013 ^{New}	Online Publication August 2014

Links to annual economic analysis and other reports:

2013 Economic Report
http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiEconomicReport2013.pdf

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2014 Economic Report

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiEconomicReport2014.pdf

Quarterly Census Employment and Wages 2012

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiqcewpub12.pdf

Oklahoma 2013 CES Benchmark

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmicesbmk2013.pdf

Oklahoma Labor Force Data 2013

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmilbrfrdata13.pdf

Oklahoma Wage Report 2013

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiwagereport2013.pdf

Oklahoma's Economic Indicators (Monthly Reports)

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/Services/Find_Labor_Market_Statistics/EconIndArchive.html

Oklahoma Licensed and Certified Occupation 2014

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiLicOcocs2014.pdf

2014 Oklahoma Employer Benefit Survey

http://www.oesc.state.ok.us/lmi/Survey/BS/2014_benefits_survey.htm

Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM) Periodic Table (poster)

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmistemposter2014.pdf

2012-22 Occupational Projections Chart Book

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmioutlk12.pdf

Oklahoma Business Employment Dynamics: 4th Quarter 2013

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmibedpub4q2013.pdf

Links to Long-term statewide 2012 – 2022, Long-term WIA 2010-2020, short-term 2012 – 2014 and 2013 – 2015 statewide employment projections:

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/Services/Find_Labor_Market_Statistics/Projections/

Links to online applications, databases or Excel files:

CES online 2013 (1990-2013)

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/lmiCesXclSheet.xlsx

Employer Locator

<http://www.oesc.state.ok.us/lmi/EmployerLocator/>

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Oklahoma QCEW Online

<http://www.oesc.state.ok.us/lmi/QCEWHistorical/Default.aspx>

OES 2013for State, Balance of State, MSAs, WIAs and LLMAAs (EDS File)

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/documents/May2013EDSWages.xls

QCEW Data Files

http://www.ok.gov/oesc_web/Services/Find_Labor_Market_Statistics/QCEW/qcewdata2.html

iv. Customer consultation

OESC LMI Web Site Traffic and Satisfaction Summary:

The OESC LMI website offers visitors a chance to comment on their general satisfaction and the site ease of use. We also provide a venue to offer suggestions or critiques of our website. This is accomplished through the use of an anonymous survey tool that is advertised on the main LMI page and is offered passively. The survey asks three questions and provides an open field for comments and/or questions. Below are the questions:

Question 1: Overall, how satisfied are you with our website?

Question 2: How easy was it for you to find the information you were looking for?

Question 3: Which of the following best describes you? (Lists various occupations)

In addition, an email was also sent to the customers we have served during the program year to seek for comments and suggestions regarding modifications to existing products or new products.

v. Activities undertaken to meet customer needs

OESC LMI participated in various economic development and workforce development meetings, such as:

Oklahoma Health Improvement Plan (OHIP) Workforce Work Group Meetings;

‘Watch List’ Meetings

Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma Consortium Kickoff and monthly meetings;

OKC Metro Employer Council meetings;

Employer Council Expansion Planning Meetings

National Governor’s Association Health Workforce Summit Planning Meeting

OSDH Business Survey Development Planning Meeting

vi. New tools and resources

Interactive website where 2014 OESC Oklahoma Employer Benefits Survey can be accessed either as a whole or by industry.

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vii. Efforts to create and support partnerships and collaborations

During the 2013 program year we partnered with other state and local agencies in the Oklahoma Health Improvement Plan (OHIP). This partnership is seeking solutions to healthcare workforce shortages. Oklahoma State University, the state Health Department, and the Oklahoma City/County Health Department are among our partners in this effort.

In addition we are a partner in the state’s P-20 Council which was established by state law and is seeking to develop a longitudinal data base that will link student records (P-20) with workforce data. Our partners in this include the Regents for Higher Education, the State Education Department, and Career Tech.

July 17, 2013	OKC Metro Employer Council Executive Board Meeting
August 12, 2013	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
August 20, 2013	August OKC Metro Employer Council (Jim Priest, Rubenstein & Pitts))
September 5, 2013	Oklahoma Health Improvement Plan (OHIP) Workforce Work Group Meeting
September 17, 2013	September OKC Metro Employer Council (Adam Childers, Crowe & Dunlevy; Karl Jahnke and John Miley, OESC))
October 14, 2013	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
October 15, 2013	October OKC Metro Employer Council (Nathan Whatley, McAfee & Taft))
October 22, 2013	Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma Consortium Kickoff
October 23, 2013	OKC Metro Employer Council Executive Board Meeting
November 7, 2013	OSU’s Center for Executive & Professional Development 60th Anniversary Event
November 6, 2013	Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma Monthly Meeting
November 19, 2013	November OKC Metro Employer Council (Jack Smalley, Express Personnel)
December 5, 2013	OHIP Workforce Work Group Meeting
December 9, 2013	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
December 18, 2013	OKC Metro Employer Council Annual Planning Meeting
January 2, 2014	Employer Council Expansion Planning Meeting
January 21, 2014	January OKC Metro Employer Council (Vic Albert, Conner & Winter)
January 28, 2014	National Governor’s Association Health Workforce Summit Planning Meeting
February 10, 2014	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
February 11, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Data Committee Meeting
February 18, 2014	February OKC Metro Employer Council (Cory Loomis, Crowe & Dunlevy))
March 4, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Planning Meeting
March 6, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Quarterly Meeting
March 25, 2014	March OKC Metro Employer Council (Charlie Plumb & Brandon Long, McAfee & Taft)
March 26, 2014	Meeting with Lawton-Ft. Sill Chamber to discuss Employer Council expansion
March 28, 2014	Oklahoma Telehealth Conference Planning Meeting
March 28, 2014	Review meeting materials for NGA Health Workforce Summit

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April 9, 2014	Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma Monthly Meeting
April 14, 2014	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
April 15, 2014	April OKC Metro Employer Council (Dr. Lee Manzer, OSU CEPD)
April 23, 2014	OKC Metro Employer Council Executive Board Meeting
April 30, 2014	Meeting with McAlester Chamber to discuss Employer Council expansion
May 12, 2014	Lawton-Ft. Sill Employer Council Planning Meeting
May 14, 2014	Telehealth Alliance of Oklahoma Monthly Meeting
May 15, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Data Committee Meeting
May 20, 2014	May OKC Metro Employer Council (Paul Ross, McAfee & Taft)
May 21, 2014	Employer Council Planning Meeting (McAlester Workforce Office)
May 27, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Planning Meeting
June 5, 2014	OHIP Workforce Group Quarterly Meeting
June 9, 2014	‘Watch List’ Meeting at Oklahoma Department of Commerce
June 17, 2014	June OKC Metro Employer Council (Leonard Court, Crowe & Dunlevy)
June 17, 2014	OSDH Business Survey Development Planning Meeting
June 26, 2014	OHIP Workforce Work Group Data

viii. Activities to leverage LMI-WI funding

1. The agency uses non-LMI grant dollars to partly fund our public information officer. Our PIO oversees all aspects of our LMI press releases, our division website, and edits most of our publications.
2. The agency uses non-LMI grant dollars to partly fund on senior economist position and his activities related to the Oklahoma City Employer Council. We utilize his role with the council to highlight LMI products and analysis.

ix. Recommendations of ETA for changes and improvements to WIGs requirements

For the PY2013 grant year the Oklahoma Labor Market Information program does not have any recommendations for any changes to the grant deliverables.