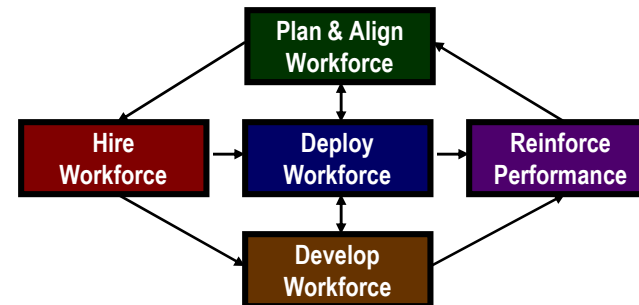


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# Managers' Logic Model for Workforce Management



# Standard Performance Measures

## Plan & Align Workforce

- Percent supervisors with current performance expectations for workforce management
- Management profile
- Workforce planning measure (TBD)
- Percent employees with current position/competencies descriptions

## Hire Workforce

- Time-to-fill funded vacancies
- Percent satisfaction with candidate quality
- Percent hiring types (hiring balance)
- Percent turnover during review period

## Deploy Workforce

- Percent employees with current performance expectations
- Employee survey ratings on “productive workplace” questions
- Overtime usage
- Sick leave usage
- Number & type of non-disciplinary grievances and appeals, disposition
- Workers compensation claims measure (TBD)

## Develop Workforce

- Percent employees with current annual individual development plans
- Employee survey ratings on “learning/development” questions
- Competency gap measure (TBD)

## Reinforce Performance

- Percent current performance evaluations
- Employee survey ratings on “performance accountability” questions
- Number/type of disciplinary issues, actions, appeals disposition
- Recognition/reward measure (TBD)

## Ultimate Outcomes

- Employee survey ratings on “commitment” questions
- Turnover rates and types (e.g., retirement, resignation, etc.)
- Turnover rate of key occupational categories
- Workforce and diversity profile
- Retention measure (TBD)

# Plan & Align Workforce

## Outcomes:

Managers understand workforce management accountabilities. Jobs and competencies are defined and aligned with business priorities. Overall foundation is in place to build & sustain a high performing workforce.

## Performance Measures:

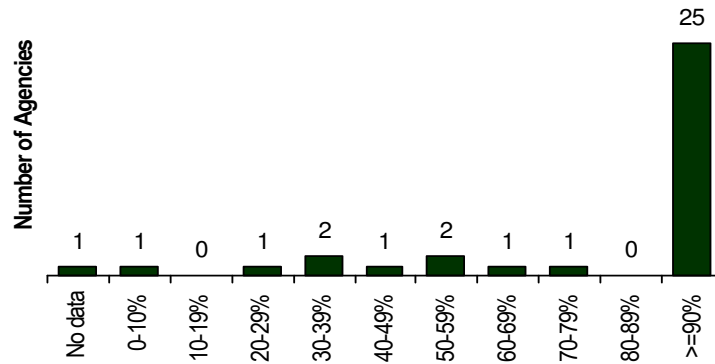
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Management profile

Workforce Planning measure (TBD)

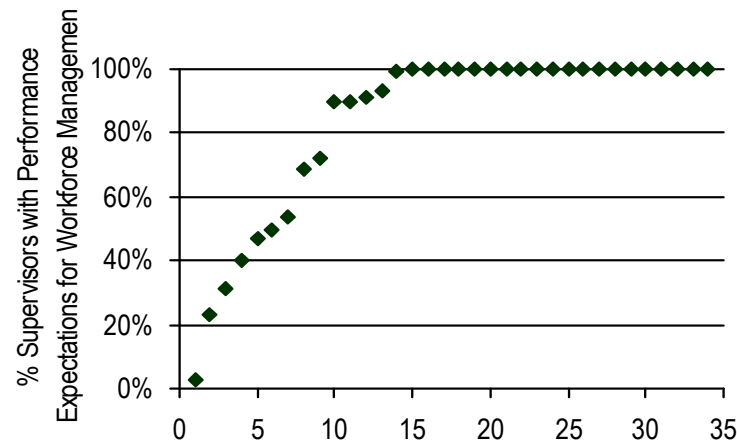
Percent current position/competency descriptions

**Percent Supervisors with Current Performance Expectations for Workforce Management**



1 reporting agency did not submit data for this measure

**Per Agency Distribution**



Data as of July 2006

Source: Agency HR Management Reports Oct 2006 (35 agencies reporting)

## Analysis:

- This data is derived from the 35 agencies that submitted their HR Management Reports to DOP in October 2006
- 25 agencies reporting data for this measure have “workforce management” performance expectations in place for over 90% of their supervisors. These 25 agencies represent approximately 55% of the general government workforce.
- Managers must know what their workforce management responsibilities are and be held accountable for fulfilling those responsibilities. This is fundamental to strategic human resource management.
- The review of agencies’ HRM Reports indicates that some agencies may not understand the meaning of this measure and/or how the measure can be accomplished.
- Agencies that have achieved 100% on this measure did so by sending a firm communication from the director to all supervisors as to what their workforce management accountabilities are.

## Action:

- DOP will consult with those agencies that have less than 90% workforce management expectations in place to help them progress with this measure

# Plan & Align Workforce

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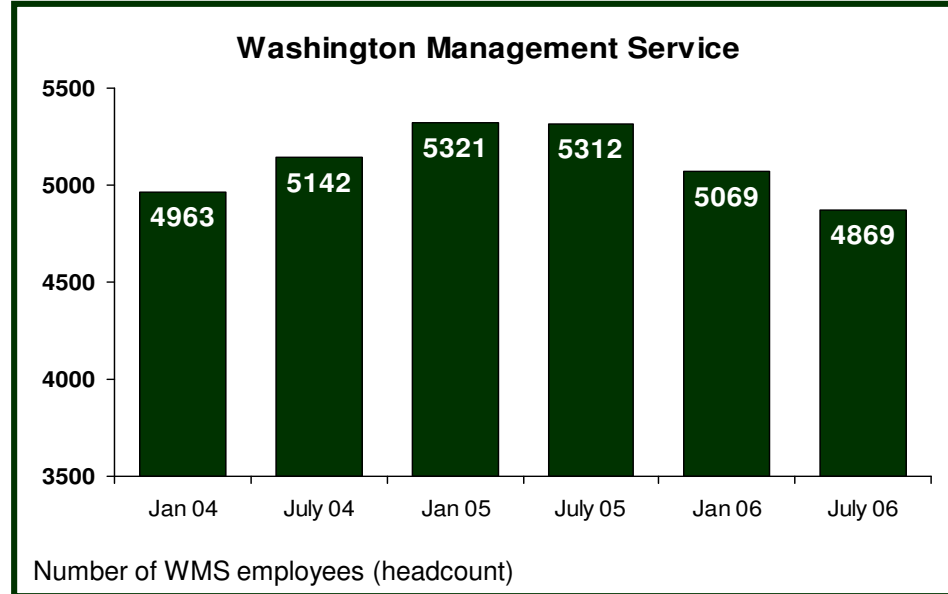
## Performance Measures:

Percent supervisors with current performance expectations for workforce management

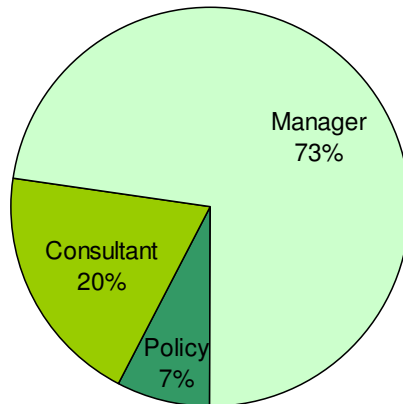
## Management profile

Workforce Planning measure (TBD)

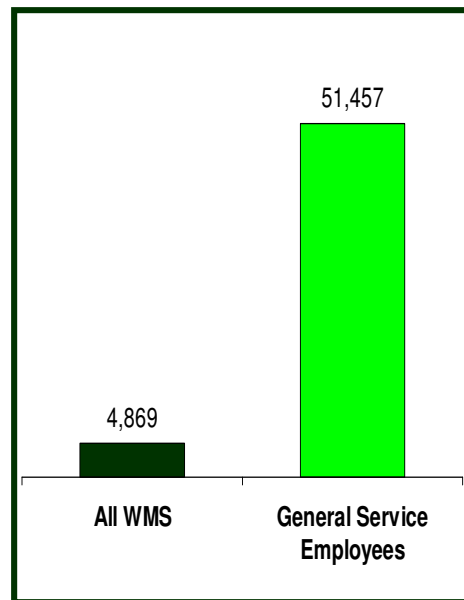
Percent current position/competency descriptions



## WMS Management Type



Manager	3,529
Consultant	955
Policy	363
Uncoded	22



## Analysis:

- The data shown in these charts is based on headcount, not FTEs or positions.
- The management profile data shown in this slide represents a new performance measure that is proposed for the Human Resource Management Report. It enables monitoring of the alignment of managers to staff at the agency and enterprise levels.
- In consultation with agencies, the Department of Personnel has prepared a briefing paper for the Governor regarding administrative controls on the use of the Washington Management Service.

# Plan & Align Workforce

## Outcomes:

Managers understand workforce management accountabilities. Jobs and competencies are defined and aligned with business priorities. Overall foundation is in place to build & sustain a high performing workforce.

## Performance Measures:

Percent supervisors with current performance expectations for workforce management

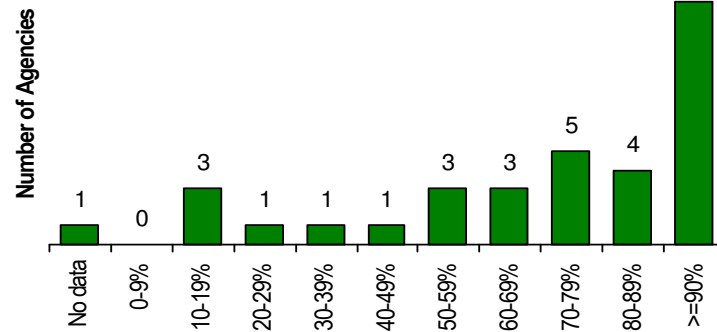
Management profile

Workforce Planning measure (TBD)

**Percent current position/competency descriptions**

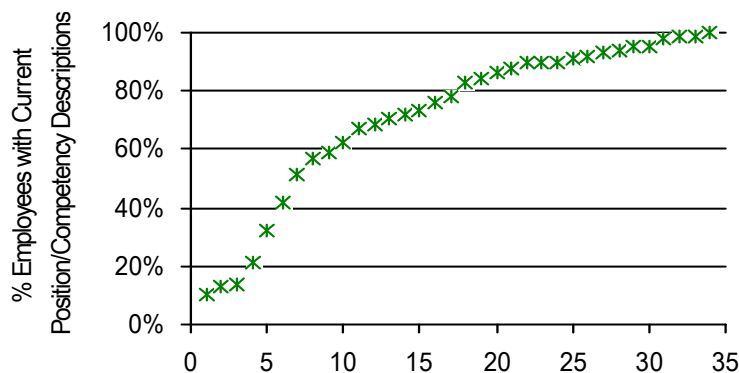
**Percent employees with current position/competency descriptions = 67% statewide\***

**Percent Employees with Current Position/Competency Descriptions**



1 reporting agency did not submit data for this measure

**Per Agency Distribution**



\* Estimated based on agency size  
 Data as of July 2006  
 Source: Agency HR Management Reports Oct 2006 (35 agencies reporting)

## Analysis:

- This data is derived from agencies' HR Management Reports that were submitted to DOP in October 2006.
- Having current position/competency descriptions is an essential ingredient to ensuring that jobs and workforce skills are properly aligned with the goals and priorities of the agency.
- Current descriptions are also necessary for hiring purposes and for informing employees of their essential duties and skill requirements.
- 10 agencies indicated that they have an action plan with target dates. Successful implementation of those plans, would mean an estimated 25% increase in the number of current position descriptions statewide.
- 16 agencies indicated no action plan and had less than 90% current job descriptions.

## Action:

- Ensure that the need for accurate position and competency descriptions is incorporated into enterprise workforce planning guidelines on DOP's web site.
- Competency requirements in e-recruitment system should help boost achievement of this measure as part of hiring process.

# Hire Workforce

## Outcomes:

Best candidates are hired and reviewed during appointment period. The right people are in the right job at the right time.

## Performance Measures

**Days to fill vacancies**

**% satisfaction with  
candidate quality**

% types of hires (hiring  
balance)

% separation during review  
period

## Days to Fill Vacancies

Agency and statewide data will be available in April 2007 and will be generated from the HRMS E-recruitment system. The measure is defined as the number of days from date of hiring requisition to the date that the job offer is accepted. We will attempt to chart data for all job openings, as well as for selected categories of jobs.

## Candidate Quality

Agency and statewide data will be available in April 2007 and will be generated from the HRMS E-recruitment system. Data for this measure will be derived from a short survey that the hiring manager completes upon appointing the job candidate. The survey is generated by the E-recruitment system and asks about the quality of candidates interviewed and whether the manager was able to appoint the best candidate. We will attempt to chart data for all recruitments, as well as for selected categories of jobs.

# Hire Workforce

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## Performance Measures

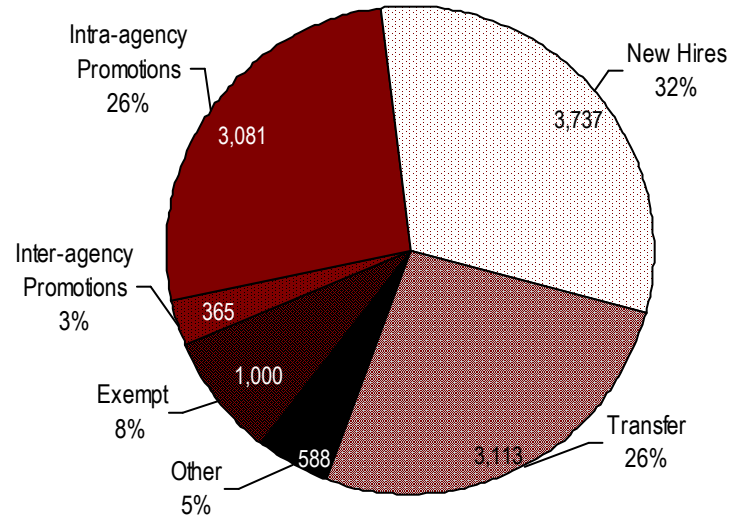
Days to fill vacancies

% satisfaction with candidate quality

**% types of hires (hiring balance)**

**% separation during review period**

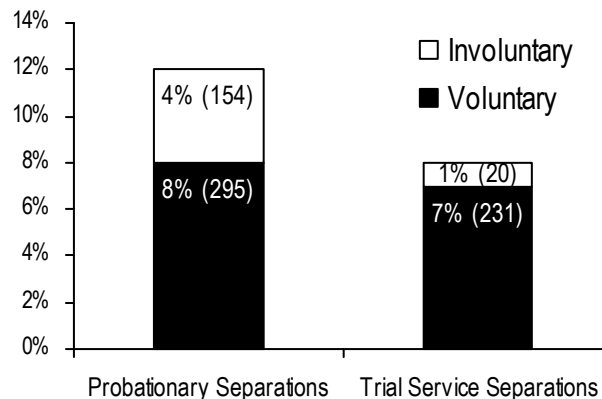
**Types of Appointments - FY 2006**



**Total number of appointments = 11,884\***

Includes appointments to permanent vacant positions only; excludes reassignments  
 \*Other = Demotions, re-employment, reversion & RIF appointments

**Separation During Review Period**



**Total number of separations during review period = 700**

Includes separation from permanent position new hire appointments and classified promotional appointments only

## Analysis:

- Prior to July 1, 2005, the proportion of promotional appointments was typically higher than new hires. FY 2006 data shows a reversal of past trends. New hires now exceed promotional appointments by 6%.
  - Possible causes for this new balance include:
    - Less restrictive candidate referral requirements as a function of civil service reform changes that became effective on 7-1-05
    - Agencies report that emphasis on competency-based, position-specific recruitment allows for more equal balance of new hires to promotionals
  - Some agencies indicate that they are training supervisors on how to carefully select for those skills that are most critical to the organization, rather than broad brush credentials
  - A few agencies use exit interviews to analyze why people leave during the review period
- Action:**
- Develop a standard set of exit interview questions that agencies can use to assess why newly appointed individuals leave before completing the review period

Reporting Period: July 1, 2005 – June 22, 2006

\*Group 1 agencies are not included in the April, May and June 2006 data since they had converted to HRMS.

- Group 1 Employee Count = 5,709
- Group 2 Employee Count = 52,124

Source: HR Data Warehouse



# Deploy Workforce

## Outcomes:

Staff know job expectations, how they're doing, & are supported. Workplace is safe, gives capacity to perform, & fosters productive relations. Employee time and talent is used effectively. Employees are motivated.

## Performance Measures

### Percent employees with current performance expectations

Employee survey ratings on "productive workplace" questions

Overtime usage

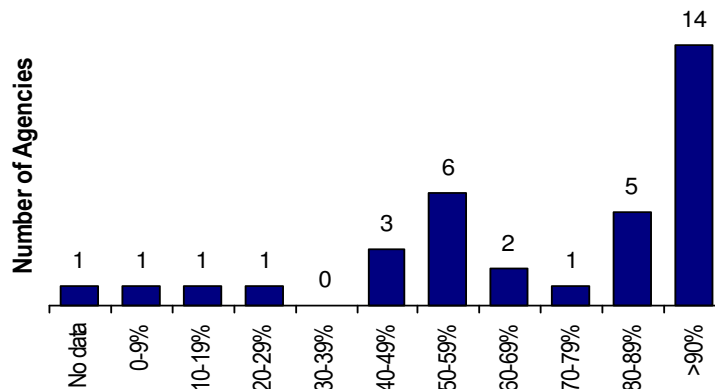
Sick leave usage

Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition

Worker Comp claims (TBD)

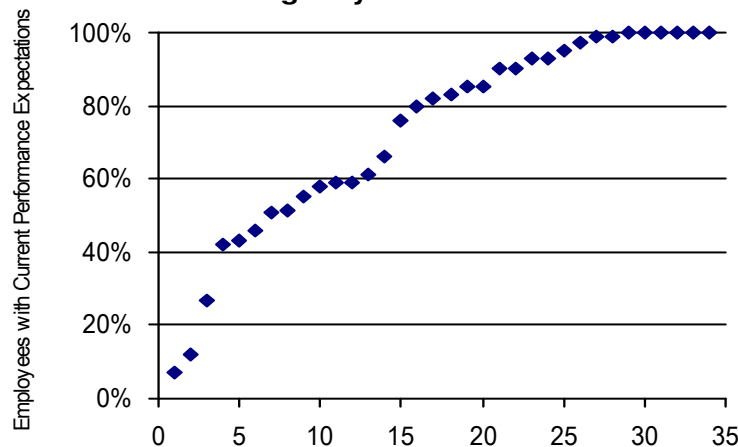
**Employees who have current performance expectations = 64% statewide\***

**Percent Employees with Current Performance Expectations**



1 reporting agency did not submit data for this measure

**Per Agency Distribution**



\* Estimated based on agency size

Data as of July 2006

Source: Agency HR Management Reports Oct 2006 (35 agencies reporting)

## Analysis:

- This data is derived from agencies' HR Management Reports that were submitted to DOP in October 2006.
- The percent of "Current Performance Expectations" is typically determined by whether Part 1 of the employee's PDP is current. This means documented performance expectations that are measurable and clearly linked to the goals of the organization.
- Some agencies indicated in their HR Management Report that they have a clear mandate from the agency executive that supervisors are accountable for documenting current performance expectations. Some monitor this in internal GMAP sessions.
- 14 agencies indicated that they have an action plan to achieve current performance expectations for all employees. Successful completion of these action plans would increase the statewide percentage by roughly 25%.
- 11 agencies indicated no action plan and had less than 90% current performance expectations.
- One agency pointed out that although only one-fourth of their employees have current performance expectations documented, nearly 90% of employees surveyed say they know what is expected of them on the job. Likewise, on a statewide basis, while only 64% have current performance expectations, 84% of those surveyed say they know what is expected of them at work.
- The question then becomes whether what an employee thinks they are supposed to be doing when they come into work is the same as management's priorities. It would also be interesting to ask employees if they know how their performance is measured.

# Deploy Workforce

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## Performance Measures

Percent employees with current performance expectations

## Employee survey ratings on "productive workplace" questions

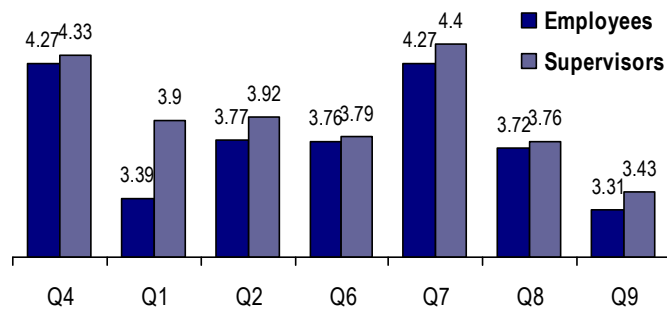
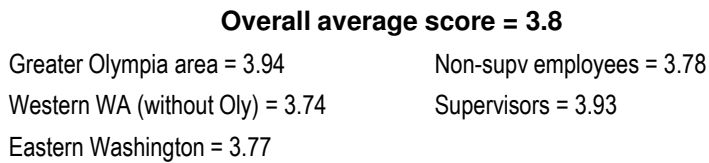
Overtime usage

Sick leave usage

Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition

Worker Comp claims (TBD)

## Employee Survey "Productive Workplace" Ratings



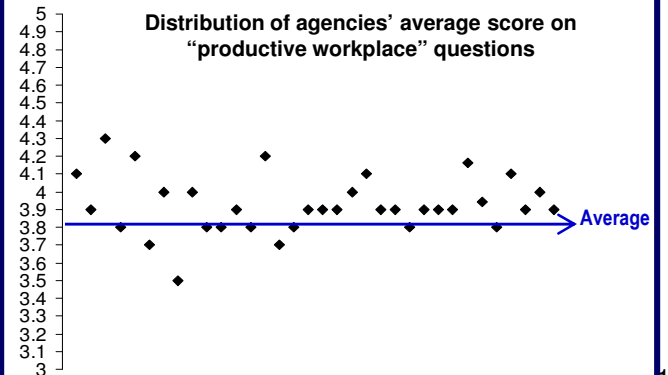
Source: Statewide Employee Survey April 2006 N = 36,440 (58%)

## Highlights:

- 80% indicate that their supervisor treats them with dignity and respect
- Approximately 2/3rd of respondents feel they have the information, tools, and resources to do their job
- While 84% indicate that they know what is expected of them at work, only 64% have current performance expectations documented. See analysis in slide 9.
- Only 62% receive regular feedback and nearly 50% of respondents indicate that they never-to-occasionally receive recognition for a job well done
- 71% of supervisors agree that they have the opportunity to give input on decisions affecting their work, as compared to 52% of non-supervisory employees

## Action:

- At the request of the Governor, DOP has convened an interagency focus group to identify high scoring agencies' best practices on survey questions 8 and 9. Findings will be presented at the Governor's GMAP on January 17, 2007.



# Deploy Workforce

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## Performance Measures

Percent employees with current performance expectations

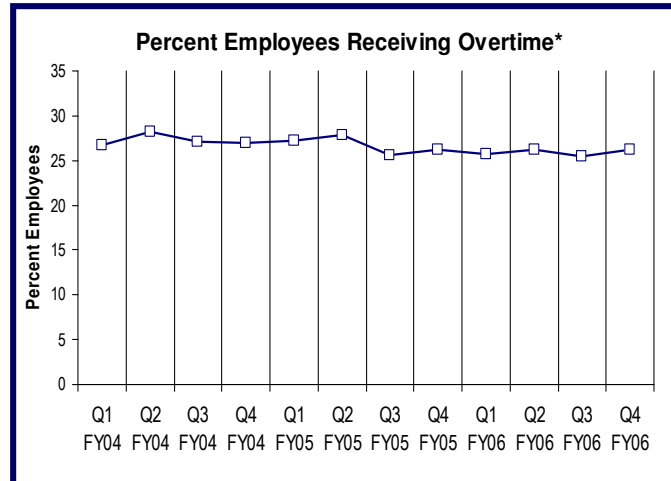
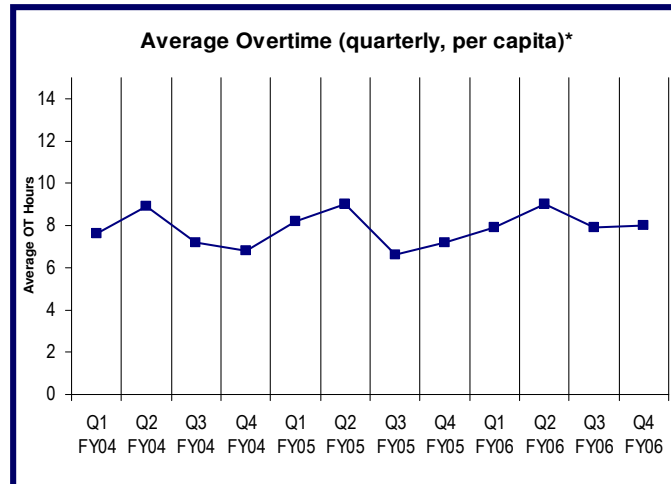
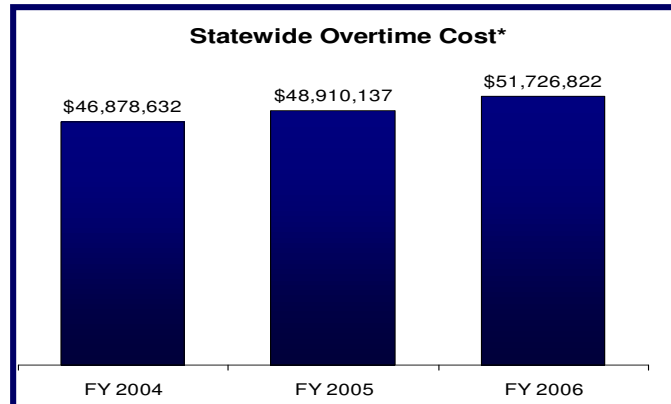
Employee survey ratings on "productive workplace" questions

### Overtime usage

Sick leave usage

Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition

Worker Comp claims (TBD)



## Analysis:

- DNR is excluded from the data and analysis shown as their values cause extreme skewing due to fire season.
- 3 agencies make up 81-83% of the overtime usage and costs:
  - Dept of Corrections
  - Dept of Social & Health Services
  - Dept of Transportation
- The total overtime cost increase shown in FY 2006 (up \$2.8M from FY 2005) is likely due to the 3.2% across the board salary increases for that year.
- There has been speculation that overtime usage might decline in FY 2006 due to civil service reform modifications. Data indicates a slight drop from average usage of 26.7% in FY 05 to 25.9% in FY 06.
- Fiscal year second quarter peaks appear to be driven primarily from overtime usage in the DOC and DSHS institutions. This likely due to holiday coverage, but is also correlated to sick leave use.
- The need for overtime usage is also impacted by vacancy rates in the institutions, especially the correctional facilities

Data as of June 22, 2006

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Values for Q4 of FY06 are estimated from data from 5 of 6 pay periods.

\*Statewide overtime values do not include DNR

Source: HR Data Warehouse

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## Performance Measures

Percent employees with current performance expectations

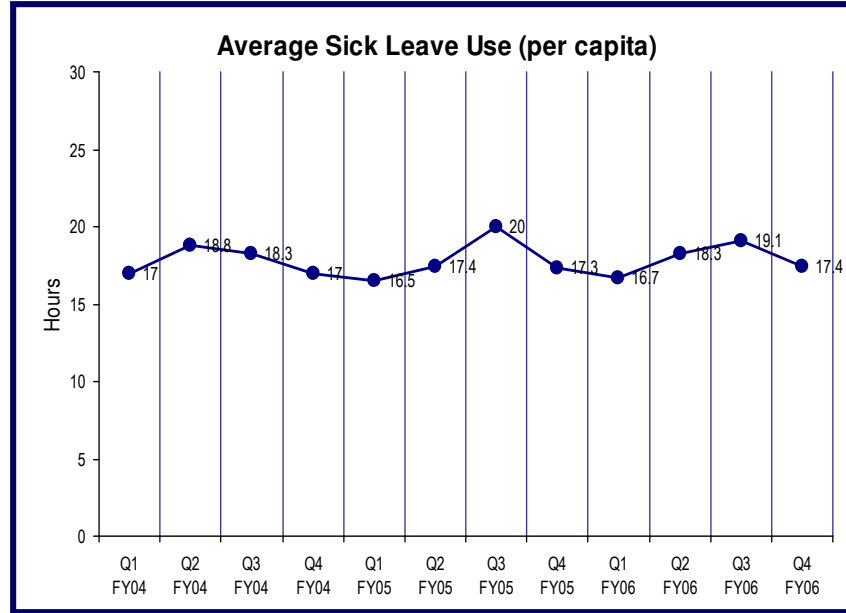
Employee survey ratings on "productive workplace" questions

Overtime usage

### Sick leave usage

Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition

Worker Comp claims (TBD)



	Average Sick Leave use per quarter, per capita	Percent of Sick Leave earned	Average Sick Leave per quarter for just those who took sick leave	Percent of Sick Leave earned
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>17.8 hours</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>22.8 hours</b>	<b>95%</b>

Quarterly average FY04-FY06

## Analysis:

- Not surprisingly, sick leave use tends to peak during the winter months (during FY quarters 2 and 3).
- At present, there is no mechanism to track unplanned sick leave use at the enterprise level. It is hypothesized that a strong correlation exists between unplanned leave and overtime usage, especially in institutional settings.
- The table is intended to help respond to the question as to whether employees tend to use sick leave as soon as it is earned.

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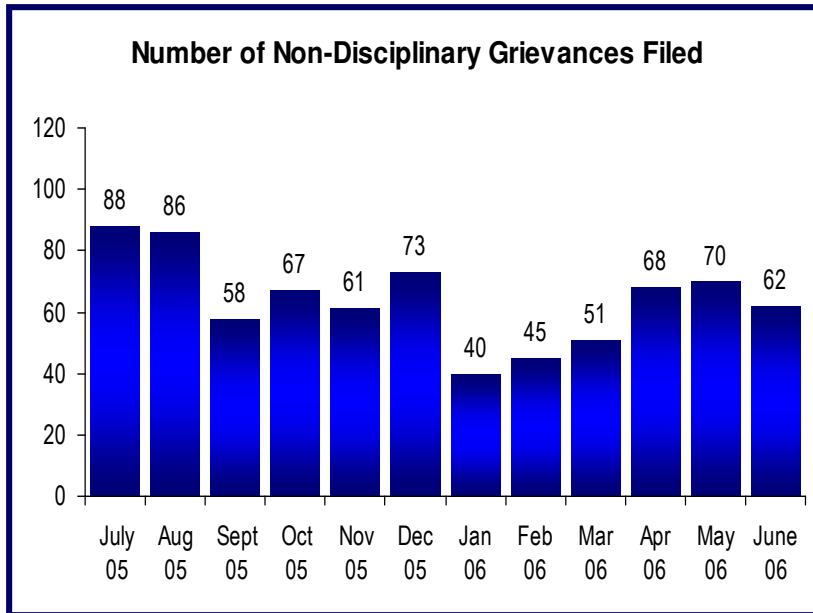
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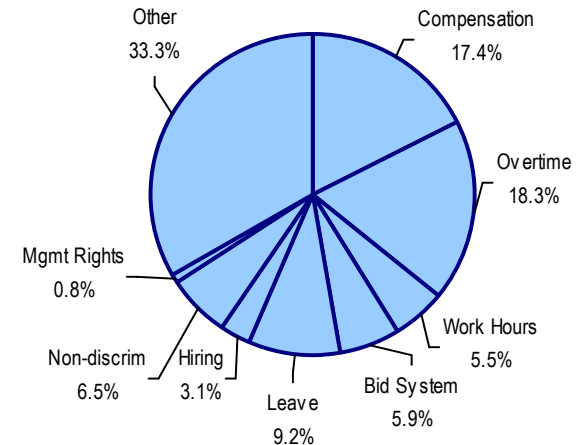
**Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition**

Worker Comp claims (TBD)

## Non-Disciplinary Grievances (represented employees)



FY 06 Total Non-Disciplinary Grievances = 769



<u>Top 10 Agencies</u>	<u># of Non-Disciplinary Grievances</u>	<u>% of all non-disciplinary Grievances</u>
Dept of Soc. & Health Services	233	30.26%
Dept of Corrections	174	22.60%
Dept of Labor & Industries	62	8.05%
WA State Patrol	43	5.58%
Dept of Transportation	39	5.06%
Liquor Control Board	34	4.42%
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	28	3.64%
Dept of Natural Resources	21	2.73%
Dept of Ecology	19	2.47%
Dept of Licensing	17	2.21%

Data as of July 2006  
Source: Labor Relations Office

## Analysis:

- Statewide data on the disposition of grievances during FY 2006 is not yet available from the state's Labor Relations Office.
- The data shown is for non-disciplinary grievances only. Data for disciplinary grievances is shown in slide 19.

# Deploy Workforce

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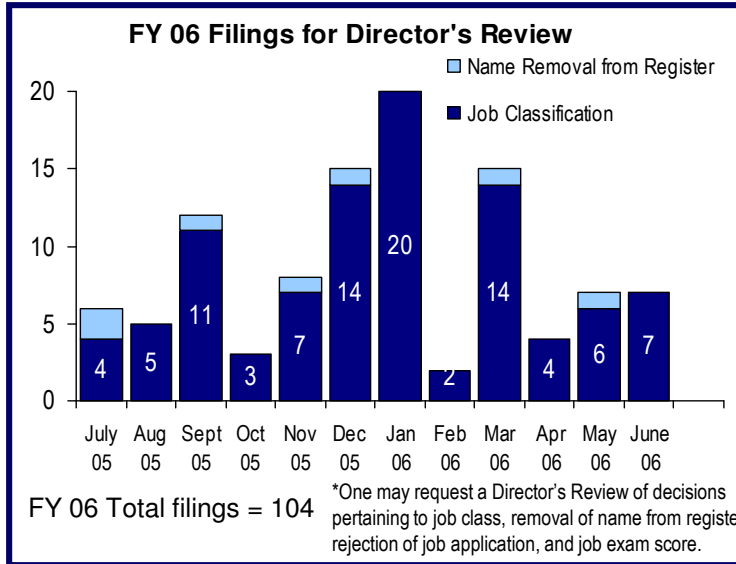
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**Number & type of non-disciplinary grievance, appeals, and disposition**

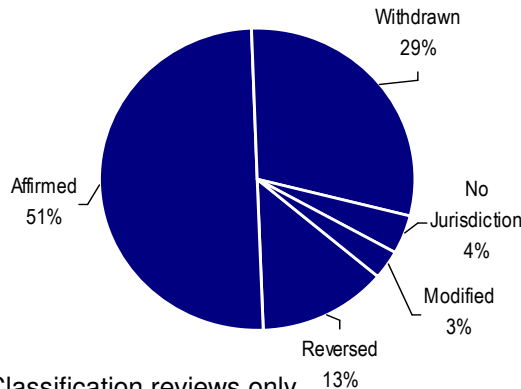
Worker Comp claims (TBD)

## Non-Disciplinary Appeals (mostly non-represented employees)

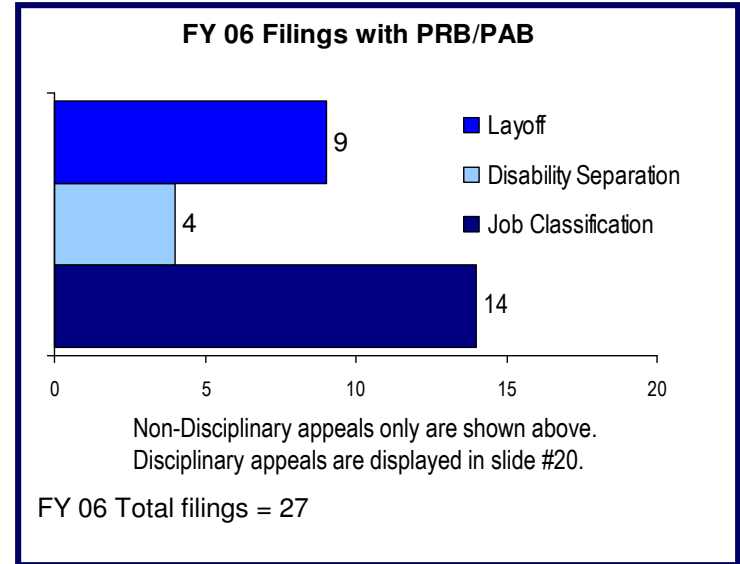


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**FY 06 Director's Review Outcomes**

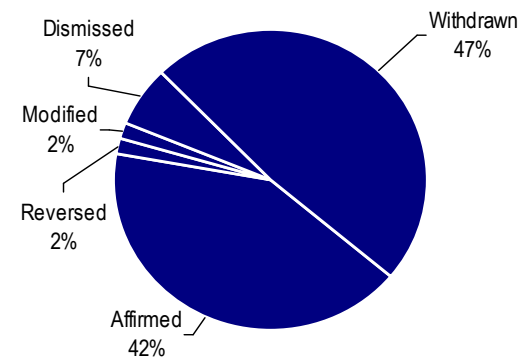


Job Classification reviews only  
Total outcomes = 68



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**FY 06 PRB/PAB Outcomes**



Total outcomes = 60

Data as of July 2006  
Source: DOP LAD

# Develop Workforce

## Outcomes:

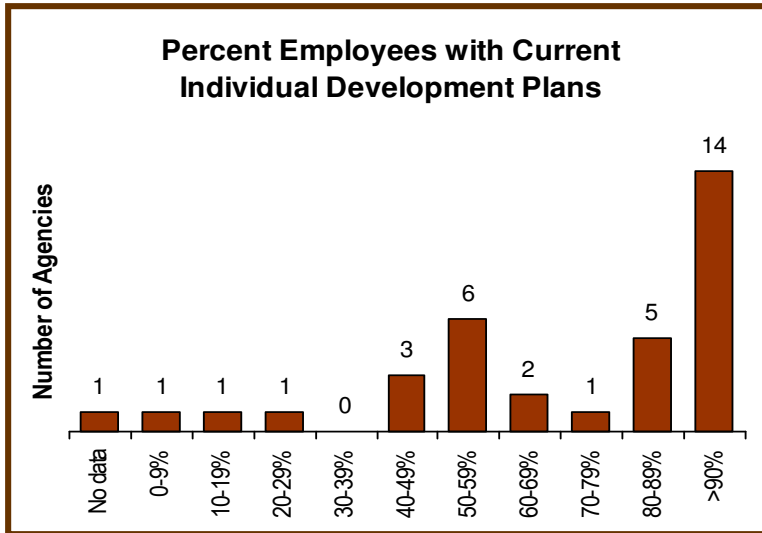
A learning environment is created. Employees are engaged in professional development and seek to learn. Employees have competencies needed for present job and future advancement.

## Performance Measures

### Percent employees with current individual development plans

Employee survey ratings on "training & development" questions

## Employees who have current Individual Development Plans (IDPs) = 64% statewide\*

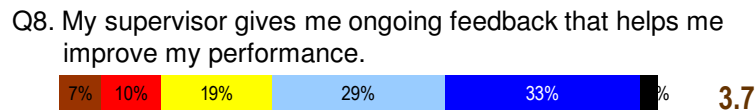
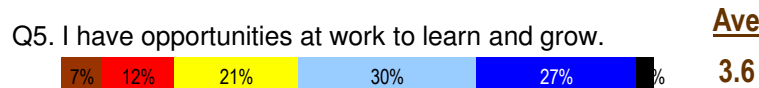


1 reporting agency did not submit data for this measure

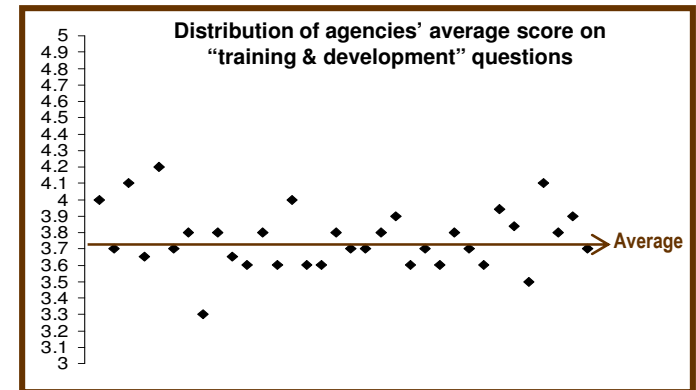
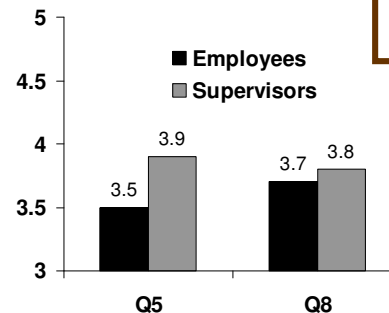
## Analysis:

- Upon review of agencies HR Management Reports, 12 appear to have action plans to achieve current IDPs for all employees. Fully achieving these action plans would increase the statewide percentage by roughly 17%.
- 15 agencies indicated no action plan and had less than 90% current IDPs.
- With regard to employee survey results, only 55% of employees indicate that they have opportunities to learn and grow, as compared to 70% of supervisory employees.
- Approximately 36% of both supervisors and employees indicate that they never-to-occasionally receive ongoing feedback from their supervisor that helps them improve their performance.

## Employee Survey "Training & Development" Ratings



**Overall average score = 3.7** Non-supv employees = 3.62  
 Supervisors = 3.83  
 Greater Olympia area = 3.77  
 Western WA (minus Oly) = 3.60  
 Eastern Washington = 3.62



\* Estimated based on agency size  
 Source: Agency HR Management Reports Oct 2006 (35 agencies reporting)  
 State Employee Survey April 2006 N = 36,440 (58%)

# Reinforce Performance

## Outcomes:

Employees know how their performance contributes to the goals of the organization. Strong performance is rewarded; poor performance is eliminated. Successful performance is differentiated and strengthened. Employees are held accountable.

## Performance Measures

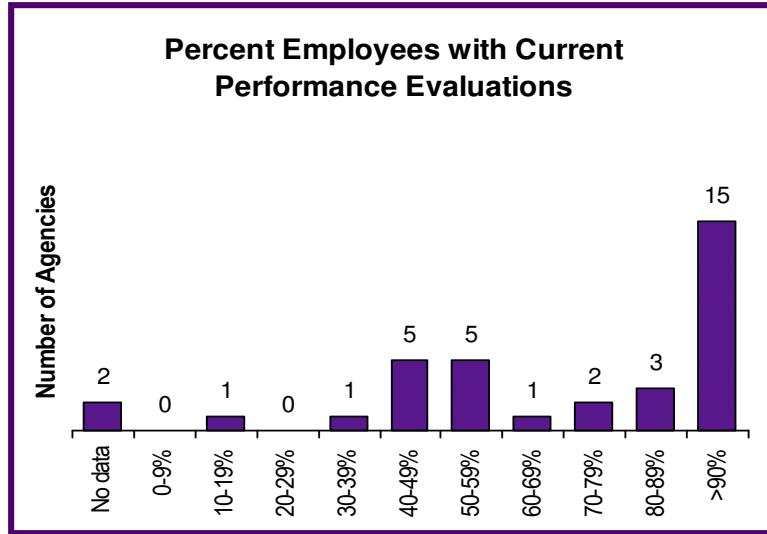
### Percent employees and managers with current annual performance evaluations

Employee survey ratings on "performance and accountability" questions

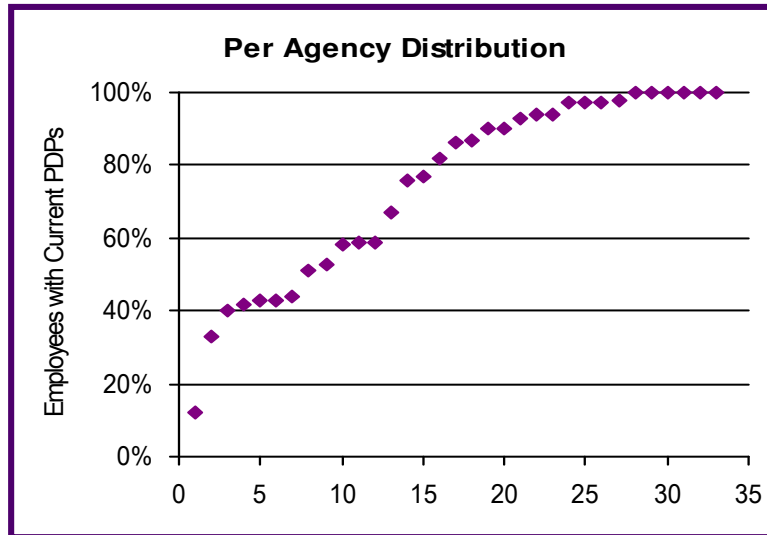
Number/type of disciplinary issues, actions, grievances, appeals, and disposition

Recognition program measure (TBD)

## Employees who have current performance evaluations = 63% statewide\*



2 reporting agencies did not provide specific data for this measure



## Analysis:

- Annual performance evaluations are required by statute. In the past, most agencies conducted evaluations on the employee's anniversary date. Today, many agencies are transitioning to all-agency, once-a-year timing. During this transition period, the reported completion percentage may be impacted.
- Upon review of agencies' HR Management Reports, 12 appear to have action plans to achieve current performance evaluations for all employees. Fully achieving these action plans would increase the statewide percentage by roughly 19%.
- 14 agencies indicated no action plan and had less than 90% current performance evaluations.
- In the 15 agencies that have 90-100% of performance evaluations completed, 59% of employees say the evaluation provides meaningful information.
- On a statewide basis, although 63% of workforce has a current performance evaluation, only 51% of employees indicate that their performance evaluation provides them with meaningful information about their performance. Reference slide 17 for survey data.

\* Estimated based on agency size

Data as of July 2006

Source: Agency HR Management Reports Oct 2006 (35 agencies 16 reporting)



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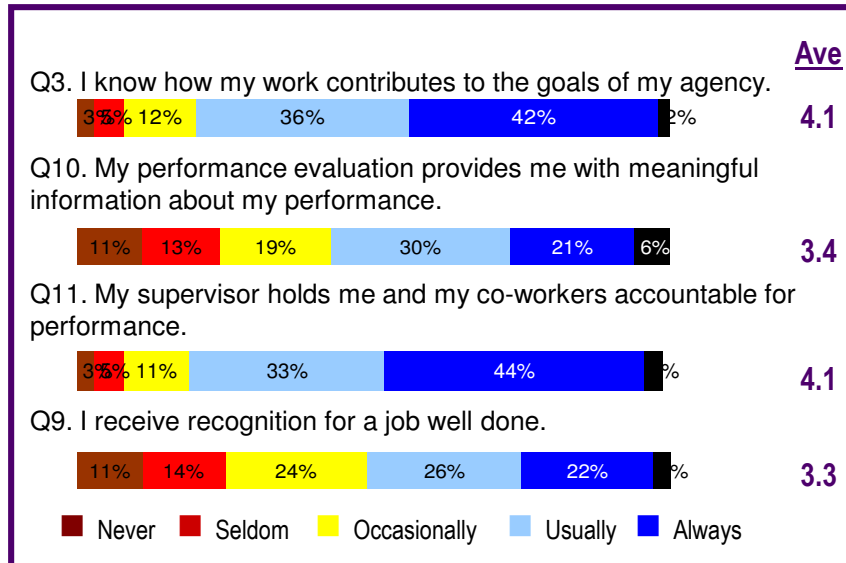
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Number/type of disciplinary issues, actions, grievances, appeals, and disposition

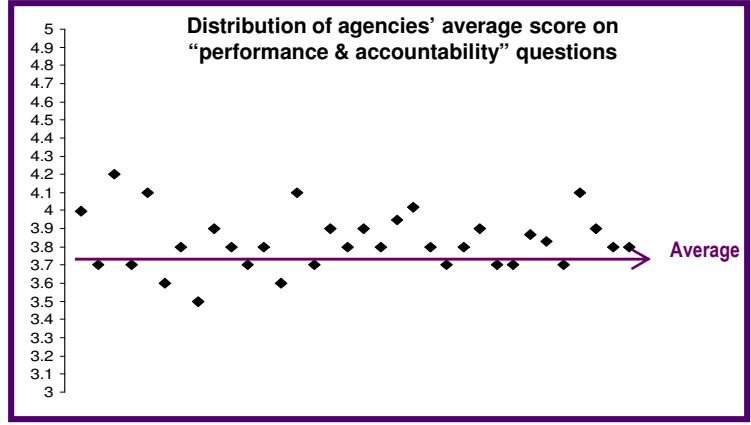
Recognition program measure (TBD)

## Employee Survey "Performance & Accountability" Ratings



**Overall average score = 3.7**

- Non-supv employees = 3.73
- Supervisors = 3.85
- Greater Olympia area = 3.84
- Western WA (without Oly) = 3.69
- Eastern Washington = 3.72



## Analysis:

- Approximately 78% of employees say that they know how their work contributes to the goals of their agency, and that they are held accountable for performance.
- Although 63% of employees statewide have current performance evaluations, only 51% of employees indicate that their performance evaluation provides them with meaningful information.
- A number of agencies have indicated in their HR Management Reports and/or other venues that they are providing training and consultation to supervisors on how to do effective performance evaluations.
- See also data and analysis in slide 20.

## Action:

- At the request of the Governor, DOP and the HR Management Advisory Group convened an interagency focus group to address the lowest scoring employee survey questions (including #9 and #10). The focus group represented agencies that scored highest on these questions. Findings are now being compiled, with the objective of identifying best practices that can be shared with other agencies. The findings will be presented at the Governor's GMAP forum scheduled for January 17, 2007.

## Formal Disciplinary Actions, Appeals, Grievances

# Reinforce Performance

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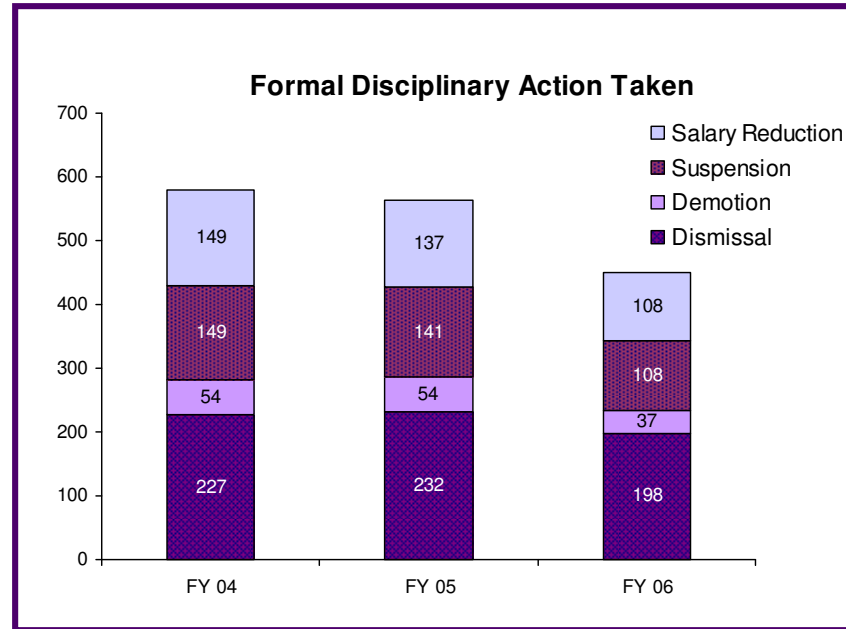
### Performance Measures

Percent employees and managers with current annual performance evaluations

Employee survey ratings on "performance and accountability" questions

**Number/type of disciplinary issues, actions, grievances, appeals, and disposition**

Recognition program measure (TBD)



**Issues Leading to Disciplinary Action**

# Agencies	Issue	# Agencies	Issue
9	Inadequate/Poor Performance	1	Loss of driver's license following DUI
6	Misuse of State Resources / Ethics Violation	1	Failure to complete work assignments and comply with work schedule
6	Misconduct / Inappropriate comments & behavior	1	Abuse of Position
4	Insubordination and unprofessional conduct	1	Falsifying documents
3	Not following agency policy/procedures	1	Inappropriate offender contact
3	Sexual harassment	1	Loss of keys
3	Ethics Violation	1	Failure to call/show to work
3	Attendance	1	Sleeping on duty
2	Confrontational/Disruptive Behavior	1	Confidentiality
2	Failure to follow directions	1	Theft
2	Impaired at work / on duty	1	Sale to minor
1	Failure to communicate w/supervisor regarding absence from work following an arrest	1	Lying to internal investigator
1	Inappropriate use of a state vehicle	1	Inappropriate use of language
		1	Other

Source: Agency HR Management Reports (October 2006) and HR Data Warehouse

Group 1 Agencies are not included in the April, May and June 2006 data since they had converted to HRMS.

- Group 1 Employee Count = 5,709
- Group 2 Employee Count = 52,124

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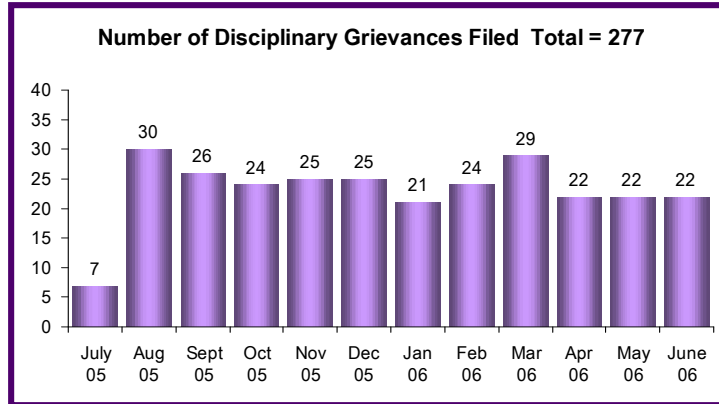
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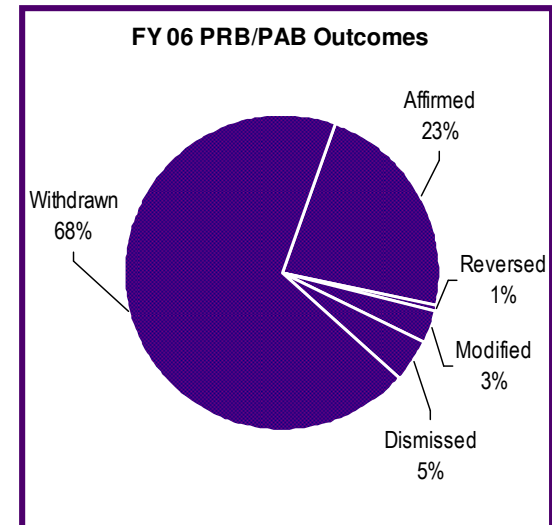
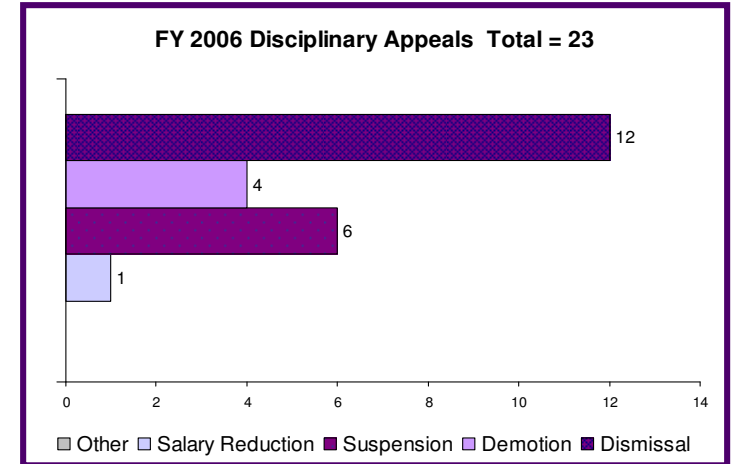
## Disciplinary Grievances (Represented Employees)



Statewide data on the disposition of disciplinary grievances for FY 2006 was not available

<u>Top 10 Agencies</u>	<u># of Disciplinary Grievances</u>	<u>% of all Disciplinary Grievances</u>
Dept of Soc. & Health Services	96	34.66%
Dept of Corrections	82	29.60%
Liquor Control Board	19	6.86%
Dept of Transportation	12	4.33%
Employment Security Dept	11	3.97%
Dept of Labor & Industries	9	3.25%
WA State Patrol	7	2.53%
Dept of Health	6	2.17%
Dept of Natural Resources	5	1.81%
Dept of Revenue	5	1.81%

## Disciplinary Appeals (Non-Represented Employees)



# ULTIMATE OUTCOMES

**Employees are committed to the work they do and the goals of the organization**

**Successful, productive employees are retained**

**The state has the workforce breadth and depth needed for present and future success**

## Performance Measures

**Employee survey ratings on "commitment" questions**

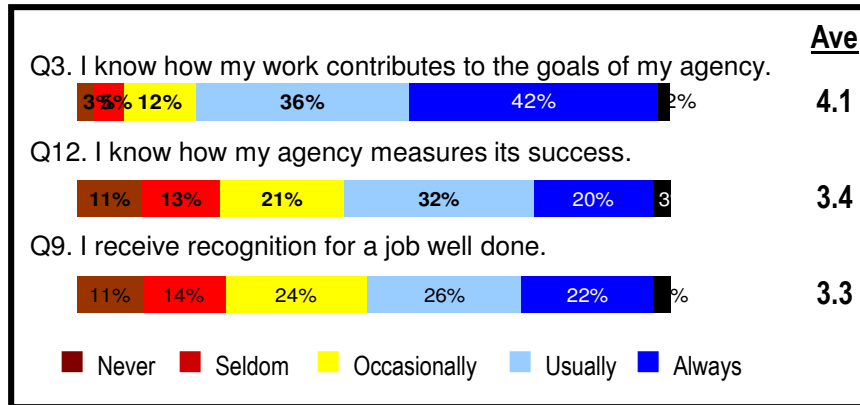
Turnover rates and types

Turnover rate of key occupational categories (TBD)

Workforce and diversity profile

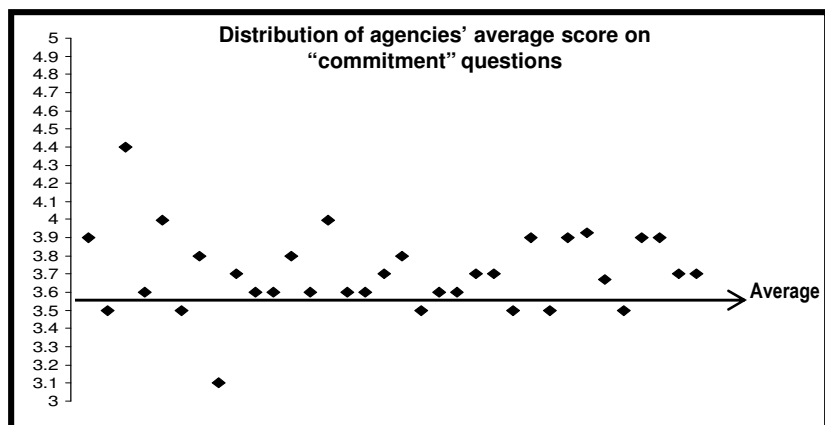
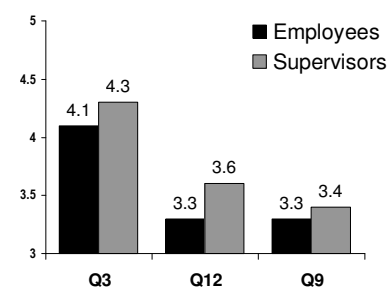
Retention measure (TBD)

## Employee Survey "Employee Commitment" Ratings



**Overall average score = 3.6**

- Non-supv employees = 3.57
- Supervisors = 3.77
- Greater Olympia area = 3.76
- Western WA (without Oly) = 3.53
- Eastern Washington = 3.58



## Analysis:

- Although 78% of employees indicate that they know how their work contributes to the goals of the agency, 45% do not have a good feel for how the agency measures success against those goals.
- In a performance-based culture, recognition should be tied to performance that is clearly linked to progress in successfully achieving the agency's priorities. The low ratings on knowledge of agency success measures parallel the low survey ratings on recognition, although it is not known if there is a causal relationship.
- Informal discussions with agency HR managers suggest that the low recognition ratings relate to day-to-day informal recognition, as opposed to more formal ceremonies.

## Action:

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Data as of April 2006

Source: Statewide Employee Survey N = 36,440 (58%)

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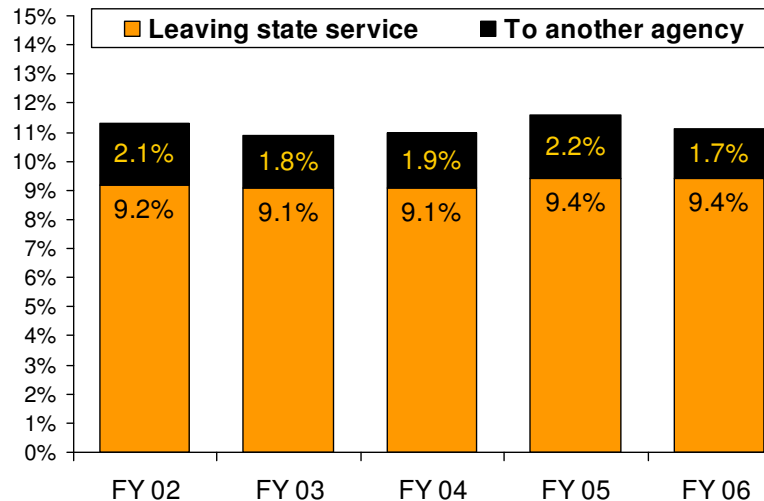
## Turnover rates and types

Turnover rate of key occupational categories (TBD)

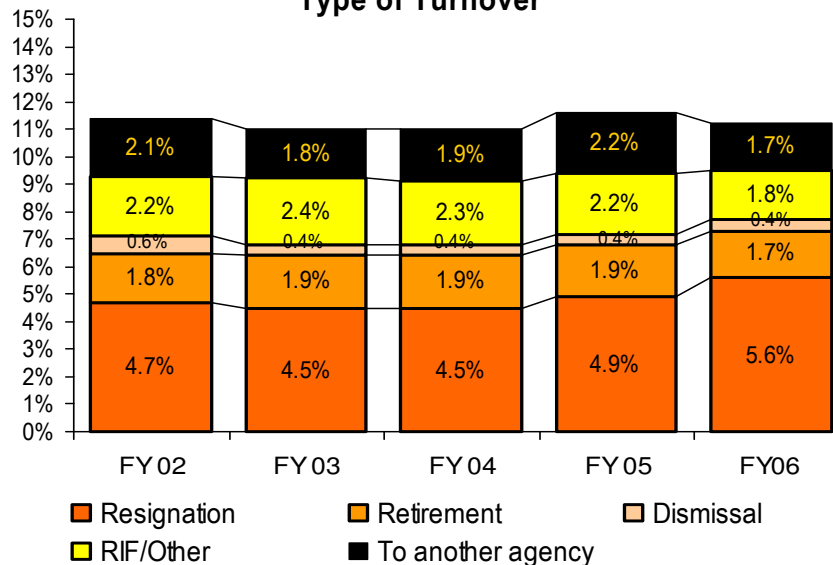
Workforce and diversity profile

Retention measure (TBD)

### Statewide Turnover



### Type of Turnover



## Analysis:

- On a statewide basis, employees leaving state service has maintained a steady rate of about 9.2% over the past five years. There has been a slight increase in the past two years.

- Despite the aging workforce data and concerns of baby boomer retirement projections, turnover due to retirement has not increased on a statewide level.

Retirement pockets: It is noted that some agencies and some occupational groups are more vulnerable to retirement turnover.

- The most significant increase in type of turnover is resignation. Since FY 04, resignations have increased by 1.1% (from 4.5% to 5.6%)

Resignation pockets: It is noted that some agencies and some occupational groups are more vulnerable to resignation turnover.

- Agencies' HRM Reports indicate the need to analyze exit interview data to determine why people resign and what the best strategies are to address this issue.

## Action:

- Analyze pocket retirement and resignation data and challenges
- Assess/develop statewide workforce planning needs and approach
- Develop standard exit interview questions for agency use and statewide data

Data as of June 22, 2006

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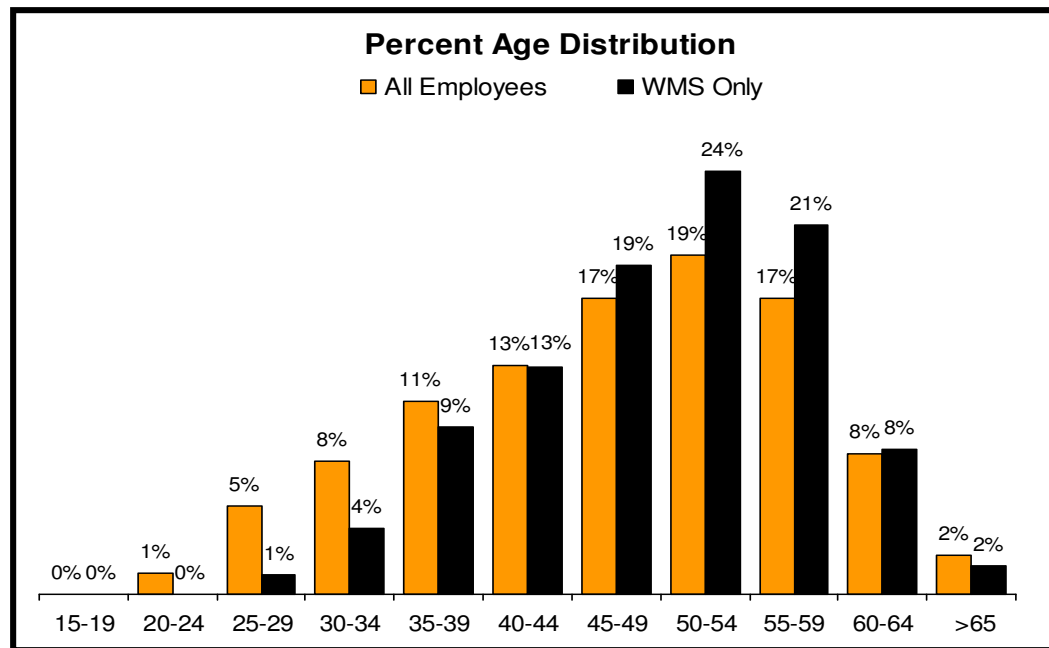
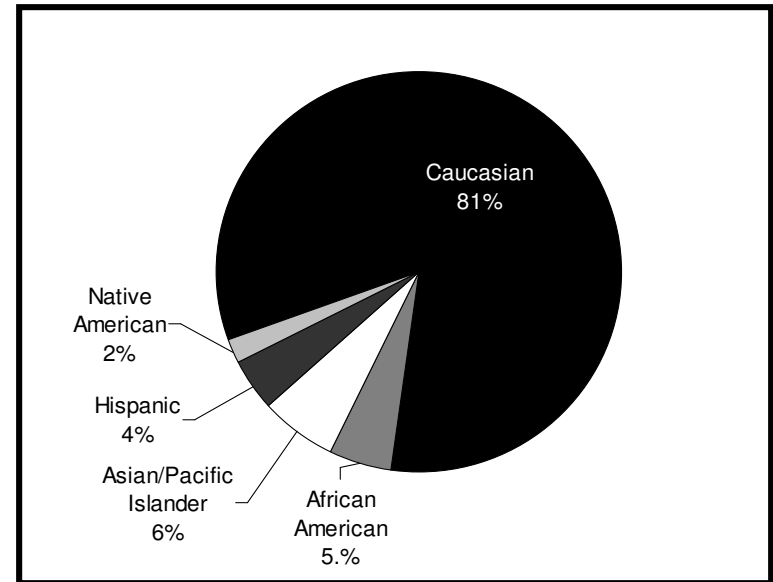
Turnover rate of key occupational categories (TBD)

## Workforce and diversity profile

Retention measure (TBD)

### Diversity Profile

Women	52%
Persons with disabilities	5%
Vietnam Veterans	7%
Disabled Veterans	2%
People of color	17.5%
Persons over 40	76%



Approximately 86% of WMS is >40 years old.  
Approximately 54% of WMS is >50 years old.