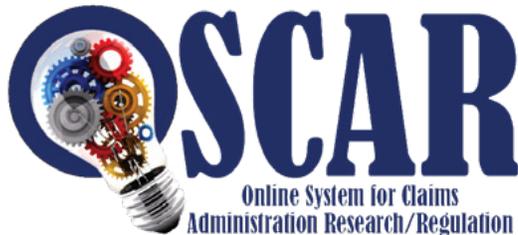


# Work Comp Connection

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## OSCAR's Weekly Updates

**July 16 (Week 77)** - Sign-off for Track 12 was completed. This week was the second of a four-week development phase in which programming code was being written for user stories.

Track 13 includes external and internal roles and permissions (paid-loss, self-insurance, records request, scanning and indexing, payment); external group member permissions (law firm, employer, insurer, claim administration, medical provider, state agency); mobile development (my form history, related cases, subpoena, assessments, case history, entry of appearance).

Track 14 completed the final week of a requirements gathering phase. Also called, *Requirements Elicitation* this is an advanced programming practice of collecting the requirements of a system from users, customers and other stakeholders. When complete, Track 14 will include settlements, administration console and medical fee disputes.

The team also planned handoff requirements for Track 14. *Handoff* occurs when the project team receives the requirements for a track. Those requirements are then handed to the OSCAR project team for review, feedback and approval.

**July 23 (Week 78)** - CapTech and WorkComp Strategies completed Track 14 requirement handoff and review in Topeka and Lenexa.

Track 13 completed the third of a four-week development phase.

Track 15 began the first of a four-week requirements gathering phase. Track 15 will include developing functionality to allow users to upload/download large files; various updates and enhancements to existing functionality to improve user experience; judicial roles and permissions and system wide functionality e.g. tool tips; update document revision dates, phone numbers, privacy policy; contact us; terms & conditions, etc.

**July 30 (Week 79)** - Track 14 completed requirements handoff.

Track 13 completed the four-week development phase of writing programming code.

Track 15 completed the second of a four-week requirements gathering phase.

**Aug. 6 (Week 80)** - The OSCAR Team (CapTech, WorkComp Strategies and division staff) prepared Track 13 user stories for User Acceptance Testing (UAT). UAT are tests that must be successfully executed in order to validate a specific piece of programmed functionality to meet the needs of the user.

Track 15 completed the third of a four-week requirements phase.

**Aug. 13 (Week 81)** - The OSCAR Team completed User Acceptance Testing (UAT) on Track 13. UAT are tests that must be successfully executed in order to validate a specific piece of programmed functionality to meet the needs of the user.

**Aug. 13 (Week 81) Cont.** - Track 14 completed the first of a four-week programming phase. The OSCAR Team also planned handoff requirements for Track 14.

Track 15 completed the fourth of a five-week requirements phase.

## OSCAR Insider

**Customer Training** - Classes are planned in Kansas City and Topeka during the weeks of Oct. 29 and Nov. 12 and in Wichita over a two-day period beginning Nov. 5.

A class overview with learning objectives is being created now and the details will be highlighted in future issues of the *Work Comp Connection* newsletters as plans are completed.

Class schedules will also be posted on the [OSCAR Web page](#).



**Tutorials, webinars and interactive training manuals** - [Tracy Smith](#) (CapTech builder) is creating a series of Vimeo-based tutorials and internal and external interactive training manuals scheduled to debut in October.

[Vimeo](#) is a video-sharing website in which users can upload, share and view videos. It was the first video sharing site to support high-definition video. Vimeo was founded in 2004 and it offers free and a number of paid services aimed at helping organizations control how their videos appear on the Internet. OSCAR's Vimeo-based tutorials are screen recordings with voice over instructions meant to simulate assistance from an actual staff member.

The completed training manuals will provide step by step instructions containing embedded hyperlinks which will take you directly to the place where you asked for assistance.

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### Speaking for Lorax

Lorax (the back scanning project) are preparing 2011 through 2016 cleanup dockets.

Dockets were picked up for scanning on Aug. 9 by Business Technology Career Opportunities, Inc. (BTCO).



### 2018 Seminar



**Handouts**

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**Opens Sept. 13 and closes at 4 p.m. Oct. 10.**  
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