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### **North Carolina Retirement Systems**

**Experience Study Supplement** 

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- Summary of Proposed Assumptions
- Support for Proposed Assumptions



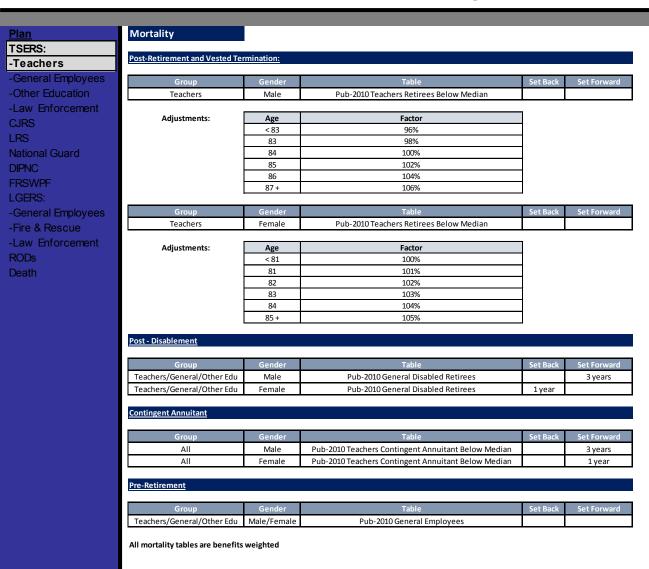


Summary of the following assumptions for each plan:

- Mortality
- Retirement
- Termination
- Disability
- Salary Merit Scale











#### Plan TSERS:

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#### -Teachers

-General Employees
-Other Education
-Law Enforcement
CJRS
LRS
National Guard
DIPNC

# FRSWPF

-General Employees
-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement RODs

Death

#### Retirement

Male				Service			
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.030	0.030	0.700	0.700
55				0.045	0.030	0.400	0.450
60	0.085	0.080	0.100	0.100	0.300	0.400	0.300
65	0.175	0.225	0.250	0.325	0.400	0.300	0.250
70	0.175	0.225	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.150	0.300
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

Female	Service						
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.050	0.045	0.650	0.750
55				0.050	0.045	0.400	0.375
60	0.080	0.100	0.100	0.130	0.250	0.500	0.375
65	0.250	0.300	0.250	0.350	0.475	0.450	0.400
70	0.225	0.250	0.300	0.300	0.300	0.400	0.325
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### **Termination**

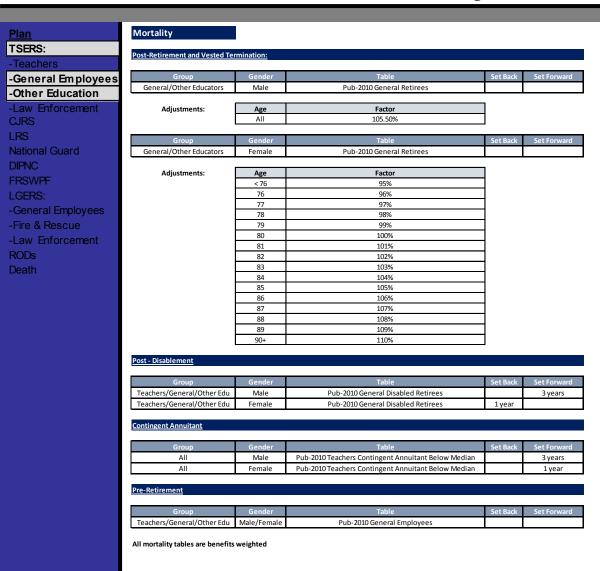
Service	Male	Female
0	0.0500	0.0350
1	0.1750	0.1650
2	0.1550	0.1550
3	0.1450	0.1375
4	0.1150	0.1150

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

Age	Male	Female					
25	0.3000	0.3500					
30	0.0900	0.1000					
35	0.0600	0.0575					
40	0.0475	0.0400					
45	0.0375	0.0350					
50	0.0425	0.0400					
55	0.0425	0.0400					
60	0.0425	0.0400					







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# TSERS:

-Teachers

#### -General Employees

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-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### Retirement

Male		Service					
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.030	0.040	0.600	0.600
55				0.030	0.040	0.400	0.350
60	0.090	0.070	0.070	0.100	0.225	0.400	0.270
65	0.180	0.250	0.250	0.300	0.400	0.275	0.300
70	0.180	0.250	0.225	0.225	0.250	0.300	0.300
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

Female				Service			
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.035	0.040	0.400	0.400
55				0.040	0.040	0.400	0.250
60	0.070	0.080	0.090	0.095	0.200	0.400	0.250
65	0.200	0.250	0.300	0.300	0.350	0.350	0.300
70	0.150	0.200	0.225	0.250	0.350	0.300	0.300
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### Termination

Service	Male	Female		
0	0.0900	0.0900		
1	0.1700	0.1750		
2	0.1500	0.1575		
3	0.1250	0.1400		
4	0.1100	0.1150		

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

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Male	Female
0.2500	0.2500
0.1250	0.1200
0.0750	0.1000
0.0500	0.0575
0.0400	0.0400
0.0400	0.0400
0.0400	0.0400
0.0400	0.0400
	0.2500 0.1250 0.0750 0.0500 0.0400 0.0400 0.0400





#### <u>Plan</u> TSERS:

-Teachers -General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

National Guard

DIPNC

**FRSWPF** 

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

Male	Service						
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.035	0.045	0.500	0.500
55				0.040	0.050	0.300	0.300
60	0.080	0.070	0.100	0.090	0.200	0.300	0.275
65	0.100	0.250	0.250	0.300	0.275	0.250	0.275
70	0.100	0.250	0.250	0.225	0.300	0.250	0.350
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

Female	Service						
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.045	0.045	0.400	0.500
55				0.045	0.060	0.300	0.300
60	0.070	0.090	0.100	0.100	0.300	0.375	0.300
65	0.175	0.250	0.250	0.300	0.350	0.300	0.350
70	0.150	0.200	0.225	0.200	0.275	0.200	0.350
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### **Termination**

Service	Male	Female
0	0.0900	0.0700
1	0.1900	0.1750
2	0.1700	0.1550
3	0.1300	0.1250
4	0.1100	0.1075

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

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Age	Male	Female		
25	0.2500	0.2500		
30	0.1000	0.1500		
35	0.0550	0.0750		
40	0.0500	0.0650		
45	0.0500	0.0475		
50	0.0500	0.0450		
55	0.0400	0.0350		
60	0.0400	0.0350		





# Plan TSERS: -Teachers -General Employees -Other Education -Law Enforcement CJRS LRS National Guard DIPNC FRSWPF LGERS: -General Employees -Fire & Rescue -Law Enforcement RODs

Death

#### Mortality

#### **Post-Retirement and Vested Termination:**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Retirees		1 year

Adjust	ments:
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Age	Factor
All	97.00%

We combined the experience of the TSERS LEOs, LGERS LEOs and LGERS Fire/Safety to come up with the public safety rates.

#### Post - Disablement

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees	3 years	

#### **Contingent Annuitant**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
All	Male	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		3 years
All	Female	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		1 year

#### **Pre-Retirement**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Employees		

All mortality tables are benefits weighted





#### <u>Plan</u> TSERS:

#### -Teachers

-General Employees -Other Education

# -Law Enforcement

National Guard

#### DIPNC **FRSWPF**

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### Retirement

				Service			
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50			0.040	0.050	0.050	0.900	0.800
55	0.200	0.200	0.350	0.350	0.500	0.900	0.650
60	0.100	0.200	0.125	0.250	0.250	0.500	0.500
65	0.150	0.450	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.500	0.500
70	0.250	0.150	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.500
75	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### **Termination**

Service	Rate
0	0.0350
1	0.0925
2	0.0925
3	0.0950
4	0.0800

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

Age	Rate
25	0.0750
30	0.0750
35	0.0350
40	0.0250
45	0.0200
50	0.0200





Plan
TSERS:
-Teachers
-General Employees
-Other Education
-Law Enforcement

LRS
National Guard
DIPNC
FRSWPF
LGERS:

-General Employees -Fire & Rescue -Law Enforcement RODs

Death

# Salary Merit Scale

Service	Teachers	General	Other EDU	LEO
0	4.05%	3.00%	4.25%	4.80%
5	2.87%	1.80%	2.65%	3.10%
10	2.04%	1.10%	1.85%	2.00%
15	1.13%	0.60%	1.33%	0.80%
20	0.00%	0.50%	0.83%	0.80%
25	0.00%	0.40%	0.33%	0.80%
30	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.40%
>=35	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%





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Mortality				
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Post-Retirement	and Vested Termination	<u>:</u>		
Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Retirees Above Median		
Post - Disablemer	<u>nt</u>			
Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees		
<b>Contingent Annui</b>	<u>tant</u>			
Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Contingent Annuitant		
Pre-Retirement				
Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Employees		





#### <u>Plan</u>

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education -Law Enforcement

CJRS

National Guard

DIPNC

**FRSWPF** 

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

Death

RODs

#### Retirement

	Service					
Age	5	10	15	20	24	25+
50	0.020	0.020	0.020	0.020	0.150	0.090
55	0.020	0.020	0.020	0.020	0.050	0.090
60	0.040	0.040	0.040	0.040	0.200	0.170
65	0.120	0.120	0.120	0.120	0.120	0.120
70	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.250	0.250
72	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### Salary Merit Scale

Service	Rates
0	1.50%
5	1.00%
10	0.50%
>=15	0.00%

#### **Termination**

Age	Rate
20	0.020
25	0.020
30	0.020
35	0.020
40	0.020
45	0.020
50	0.020
55	0.020
60	0.020
65	0.020
70	0.020

Age	Rate
25	0.00002
30	0.00003
35	0.00008
40	0.00017
45	0.00035
50	0.00059
55	0.00119
60	0.00192





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	Mortality				
3	Post-Retirement a	nd Vested Termination:			
nt					
	Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
		Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Retirees Above Median		
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	<u>Post - Disablement</u>				
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		Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees		
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	Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
		Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Contingent Annuitant		
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ļ	Pre-Retirement				
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Н	Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
		Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Employees		

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#### <u>Plan</u>

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement CJRS

#### LRS

National Guard

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs Death

DIPNC **FRSWPF** 

# Retirement

Age	Rate
60	0.100
65	0.100
70	0.130
75	0.150
80	1.000

#### Termination

Age	Rate
25	0.100
30	0.100
35	0.100
40	0.100
45	0.100
50	0.100
55	0.100
60	0.100
65	0.100
70	0.100
75+	0.100

Age	Rate
25	0.000
30	0.000
35	0.001
40	0.003
45	0.005
50	0.008
55	0.014
60	0.000



<u>Plan</u>

-Teachers

National Guard

-Fire & Rescue

DIPNC

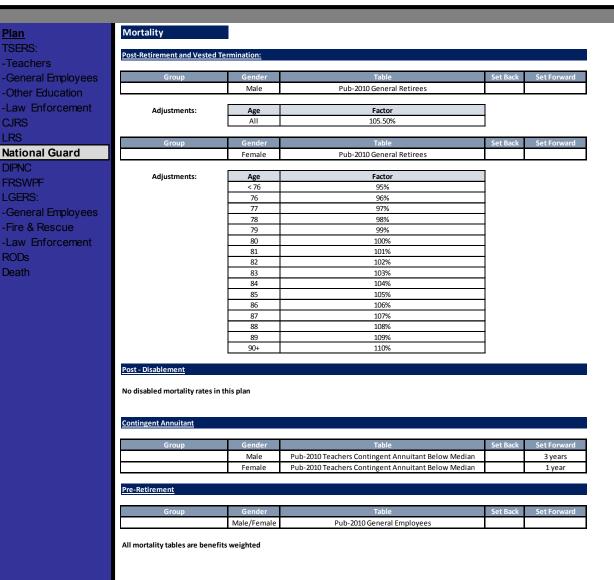
RODs

Death

**FRSWPF** 



# **Summary of Assumptions**





Retirement

Age

50

55

60

65

Rate

0.150

0.250

0.500

1.000



# **Summary of Assumptions**

### <u>Plan</u>

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

CJRS

National Guard

DIPNC

**FRSWPF** 

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

# Termination

Service	Rate
7-9 years	0.175
10-14 years	0.110
15-19 years	0.110
20+ years	0.150





Plan TSFRS:

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

CJRS

National Guard

DIPNC

FRSWPF

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement RODs

Death

DIPNC - uses all of the assumptions from TSERS expect for Disability

Age	Male	Female
25	0.00018	0.00014
30	0.00029	0.00064
35	0.00059	0.00072
40	0.00084	0.00120
45	0.00123	0.00176
50	0.00230	0.00256
55	0.00230	0.00336
60	0.00346	0.00336





#### <u>Plan</u>

TSERS

-Teacher

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

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#### FRSWPF

LGERS:

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### Mortality

#### Post-Retirement and Vested Termination:

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Retirees		1 year

Adjustments:	Ages	Factor	
	All	97.00%	

We combined the experience of the TSERS LEOs, LGERS LEOs and LGERS Fire/Safety to come up with the public safety rates.

#### Post - Disablement

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees	3 years	

#### **Contingent Annuitant**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		3 years
	Female	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		1 year

#### **Pre-Retirement**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Employees		

All mortality tables are benefits weighted



Retirement

Age

55

56+

Service

21+

0.850

0.600

20

0.850

0.750



# **Summary of Assumptions**

#### <u>Plan</u>

- -Teachers
- -General Employees
- -Other Education
- -Law Enforcement

CJRS

National Guard

#### DIPNC FRSWPF

- -General Employees
- -Fire & Rescue
- -Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### **Termination**

	Service				
Age	< 5	5-19	20+		
< 55	0.030	0.015	1.000		
55	0.100	0.075	1.000		

Age	Rate
25	0.0005
30	0.0005
35	0.0008
40	0.0018
45	0.0021
50	0.0030
55	0.0036
60	0.0061
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#### Mortality <u>Plan</u> Post-Retirement and Vested Termination: -Teachers -General Employees Gender Group Set Forward -Other Education Pub-2010 General Retirees General Male 2 years -Law Enforcement Adjustments: Factor Age < 81 96.00% 81 96.80% National Guard 82 97.60% DIPNC 83 98.40% 99.20% 84 **FRSWPF** 85+ 100.00% LGERS: -General Employees Gender Group -Fire & Rescue Pub-2010 General Retirees General Female -Law Enforcement Adjustments: Age Factor RODs 100.00% < 92 Death 92 102.50% 93 105.00% 94 107.50% 95+ 110.00% Post - Disablement Group Gender Set Back Set Forward General Male Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees 3 years Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees General Female 1 year **Contingent Annuitant** Gender Set Back Group General/LEO/FRW Male Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median 3 years General/LEO/FRW Female Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median 1 year **Pre-Retirement** Gender Set Forward Group Pub-2010 General Employees Male/Female General

All mortality tables are benefits weighted





#### Plan TSFRS

#### T- - - b - -

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

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National Guard

DIPNC

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#### LGERS:

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### Retirement

Male	Service						
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.030	0.055	0.400	0.400
55				0.030	0.055	0.350	0.250
60	0.080	0.070	0.070	0.075	0.200	0.400	0.225
65	0.250	0.250	0.275	0.325	0.300	0.350	0.300
70	0.200	0.250	0.200	0.275	0.300	0.350	0.300
75	0.250	0.200	0.300	0.275	0.300	0.350	0.300
80+	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

Female	Service						
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.035	0.050	0.400	0.450
55				0.050	0.055	0.300	0.300
60	0.080	0.090	0.070	0.100	0.250	0.375	0.250
65	0.250	0.250	0.350	0.350	0.350	0.350	0.300
70	0.200	0.250	0.225	0.300	0.200	0.300	0.250
75	0.200	0.200	0.225	0.300	0.200	0.250	0.250
80+	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### **Termination**

Service	Male	Female
0	0.1100	0.1100
1	0.1750	0.1750
2	0.1500	0.1550
3	0.1250	0.1300
4	0.1050	0.1150

After 5 years of membership in the system:

Arter 5 years or membership in the system.				
Age	Male	Female		
25	0.1200	0.1750		
30	0.0750	0.1100		
35	0.0550	0.0900		
40	0.0550	0.0700		
45	0.0425	0.0500		
50	0.0425	0.0450		
55	0.0425	0.0450		
60	0.0425	0.0450		

Male	Female
0.0004	0.0005
0.0005	0.0005
0.0005	0.0005
0.0010	0.0005
0.0020	0.0015
0.0030	0.0030
0.0050	0.0045
0.0065	0.0045
	0.0004 0.0005 0.0005 0.0010 0.0020 0.0030 0.0050





#### <u>Plan</u>

TSERS

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

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LGERS:

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

Death

#### Mortality

#### **Post-Retirement and Vested Termination:**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO/FRW	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Retirees		1 year

Adjustments:	Age	Factor
	All	97.00%

We combined the experience of the TSERS LEOs, LGERS LEOs and LGERS Fire/Safety to come up with the public safety rates.

#### Post - Disablement

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO/FRW	Male/Female	Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees	3 years	

#### **Contingent Annuitant**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
General/LEO/FRW	Male	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		3 years
General/LEO/FRW	Female	Pub-2010 Teachers Contingent Annuitant Below Median		1 year

#### **Pre-Retirement**

Group	Gender	Table	Set Back	Set Forward
LEO/FRW	Male/Female	Pub-2010 Safety Employees		

All mortality tables are benefits weighted





#### <u>Plan</u> -Teachers -General Employees -Other Education -Law Enforcement National Guard DIPNC

# FRSWPF

65

70

75+

0.100

0.320

1.000

-Law Enforcement

RODs Death

LGERS:
-General Employe
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Retirement							
				Service			
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50				0.033	0.043	0.550	0.500
55	0.120	0.0575	0.0575	0.033	0.043	0.550	0.400
60	0.100	0.058	0.058	0.125	0.350	0.600	0.400

0.250

0.250

1.000

	Service			
15	20	25	30	35
	0.033	0.043	0.550	0.500
0.0575	0.033	0.043	0.550	0.400
0.058	0.125	0.350	0.600	0.400
0.250	0.250	0.350	0.500	0.325
0.250	0.250	0.350	0.500	0.325
1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000

#### Termination

Service	Rate
0	0.0750
1	0.1250
2	0.1100
3	0.1000
4	0.1000

After 5 years of membership in the system:					
Age	Rate				
25	0.0700				
30	0.0700				
35	0.0500				
40	0.0400				
45	0.0350				
50	0.0500				
55	0.0500				

Age	Male	Female
25	0.0006	0.0006
30	0.0010	0.0009
35	0.0007	0.0024
40	0.0040	0.0038
45	0.0040	0.0048
50	0.0080	0.0076
55	0.0120	0.0176
60	0.0150	0.0276





# Plan TSERS: -Teachers -General Employees -Other Education -Law Enforcement CJRS LRS National Guard DIPNC

65

70

75+

0.350

0.150

1.000

0.200

0.350

1.000

#### FRSWPF LGERS:

-General Employees
-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs Death

Retireme	nt						
				Service			
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
50			0.04	0.033	0.030	0.900	0.825
55	0.175	0.225	0.300	0.375	0.550	0.900	0.500
60	0.175	0.150	0.125	0.250	0.250	0.350	0.250

0.250

0.250

1.000

0.250

0.400

1.000

0.350

0.350

1.000

0.300

0.275

1.000

0.250

0.400

1.000

#### Termination

Service	Rate
0	0.0900
1	0.0875
2	0.0900
3	0.0925
4	0.0725

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

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Age	Rate				
25	0.1000				
30	0.0600				
35	0.0600				
40	0.0400				
45	0.0300				
50	0.0450				
55	0.0000				

Age	Male	Female
25	0.0006	0.0025
30	0.0010	0.0030
35	0.0020	0.0040
40	0.0030	0.0050
45	0.0040	0.0060
50	0.0040	0.0070
55	0.0040	0.0070
60	0.0040	0.0070





<u>Plan</u>

-Teachers

-General Employees

-Other Education

-Law Enforcement

National Guard

DIPNC

**FRSWPF** 

LGERS:

-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue

-Law Enforcement

RODs

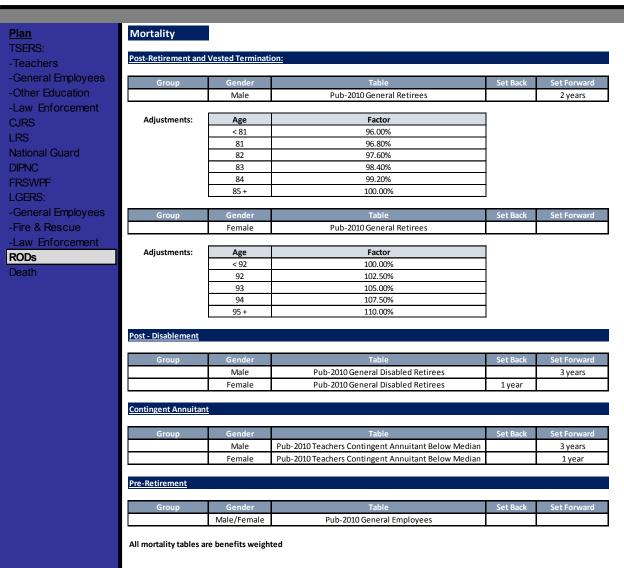
Death

# Salary Merit Scale

Service	General	LEO	FRW
0	5.00%	4.50%	4.75%
5	2.70%	2.60%	2.65%
10	1.73%	1.81%	1.68%
15	1.08%	1.36%	1.03%
20	0.69%	1.10%	0.64%
25	0.55%	0.85%	0.50%
30	0.55%	0.60%	0.50%
35	0.00%	0.35%	0.50%
>=40	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%











#### <u>Plan</u>

#### **TSERS**

#### -Teachers

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-General Employees

-Fire & Rescue -Law Enforcement

#### RODs

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#### Retirement

Male	Service									
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35			
50				0.030	0.055	0.400	0.400			
55				0.030	0.055	0.350	0.250			
60	0.080	0.070	0.070	0.075	0.200	0.400	0.225			
65	0.250	0.250	0.275	0.325	0.300	0.350	0.300			
70	0.200	0.250	0.200	0.275	0.300	0.350	0.300			
75	0.250	0.200	0.300	0.275	0.300	0.350	0.300			
80+	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000			

Female	Service									
Age	5	10	15	20	25	30	35			
50				0.035	0.050	0.400	0.450			
55				0.050	0.055	0.300	0.300			
60	0.080	0.090	0.070	0.100	0.250	0.375	0.250			
65	0.250	0.250	0.350	0.350	0.350	0.350	0.300			
70	0.200	0.250	0.225	0.300	0.200	0.300	0.250			
75	0.200	0.200	0.225	0.300	0.200	0.250	0.250			
80+	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000			

#### Disability

Age	Male	Female
25	0.0004	0.0005
30	0.0005	0.0005
35	0.0005	0.0005
40	0.0010	0.0005
45	0.0020	0.0015
50	0.0030	0.0030
55	0.0050	0.0045
60	0.0065	0.0045

#### **Termination**

Service	Male	Female
0	0.1100	0.1100
1	0.1750	0.1750
2	0.1500	0.1550
3	0.1250	0.1300
4	0.1050	0.1150

#### After 5 years of membership in the system:

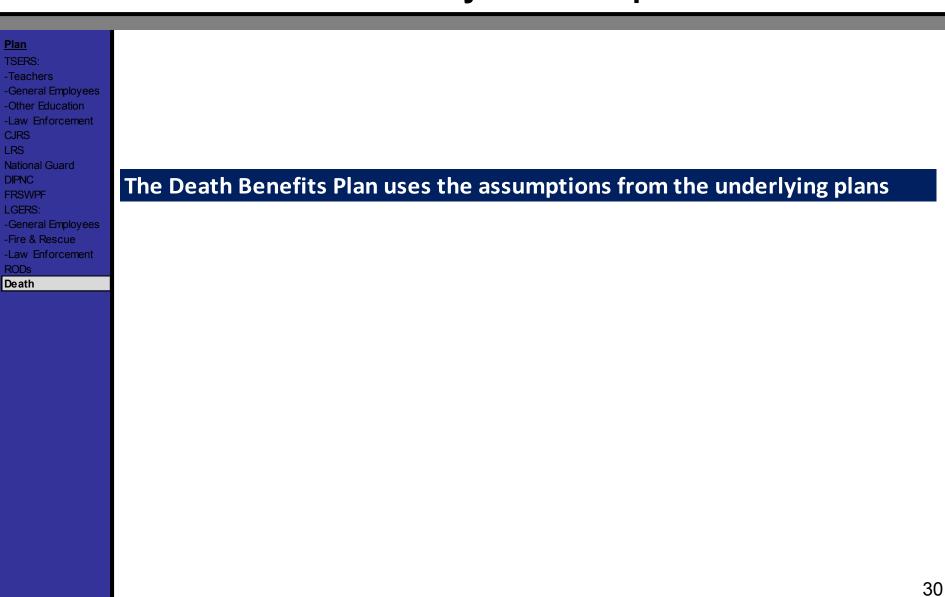
Age	Male	Female
25	0.1200	0.1750
30	0.0750	0.1100
35	0.0550	0.0900
40	0.0550	0.0700
45	0.0425	0.0500
50	0.0425	0.0450
55	0.0425	0.0450
60	0.0425	0.0450

#### Salary Merit Scale

Service	Rate
0	5.00%
5	2.70%
10	1.73%
15	1.08%
20	0.69%
25	0.55%
30	0.55%
35	0.00%
>=40	0.00%











# **Support for Proposed Assumptions**







- Mortality tables vary by age, gender, employee group and health status
  - Current retiree mortality rates are based on RP-2014 tables adjusted to reflect various TSERS and LGERS populations
  - Since last review, public sector tables, collectively known as PUB2010, have been released. These tables were a much better fit, requiring less adjustment.
  - The change in rates did not change results significantly
  - Mortality experience for CJRS and LRS did not fit experience. A standard PUB2010 table with longer life expectancy was used.
- Mortality assumption includes provision to reflect future mortality improvements
  - Current assumption based on mortality projection scale MP-2015
  - Since last review, mortality as increased compared to that predicted by MP-2015. The most recent scale, MP-2019, represents the five straight years of increasing mortality
  - The change to MP-2019 does decrease costs



# **Mortality**



- ➤ The following mortality assumptions make use of standard tables because they are not a big driver of costs and there is not sufficient warrant adjusting the table:
  - Mortality for actives is not a big driver of costs because of the relatively low number of deaths and the potentially lower amount of benefits than had the member retired.
  - Mortality for disabled similarly due to infrequency of disability relative to other benefits
  - Mortality for beneficiaries was based across the whole population to give creditability to the data.



Plan

TSERS: -Teachers

DIPNC **FRSWPF** 

RODs Death

Retiree

Males

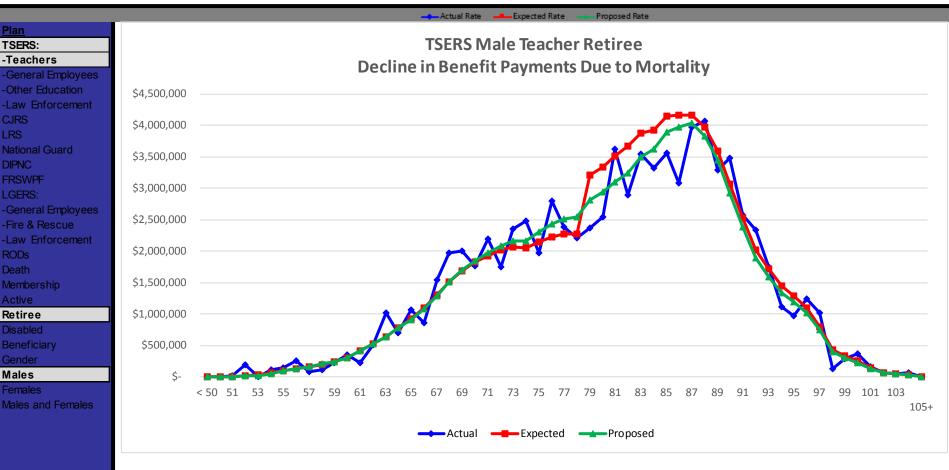
-Fire & Rescue

Membership Active

Beneficiary



# **Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	83.29	85.97	0.9688	82.93	1.0043	the period than expected overall
Total	83 29	85.97	0.9688	82 93	1.0043	

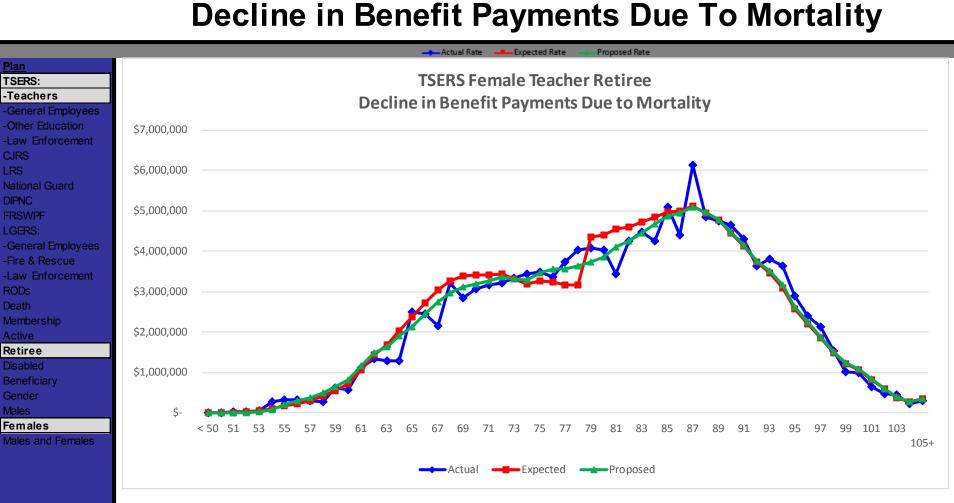
Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: increase





# Mortality acting in Benefit Payments Due To



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	134.92	137.34	0.9824	135.21	0.9978	the period than expected overall
Total	134.92	137.34	0.9824	135.21	0.9978	

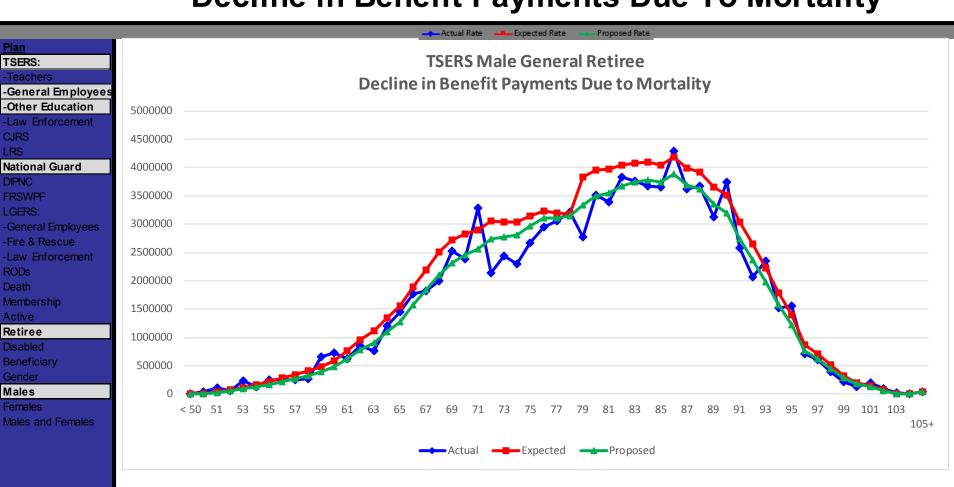
Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: increase





# Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	96.00	106.79	0.8990	95.89	1.0011	the period than expected overall
Total	96.00	106.79	0.8990	95.89	1.0011	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: increase



Plan

TSERS: -Teachers

DIPNC

RODs

Death Membership

Active Retiree

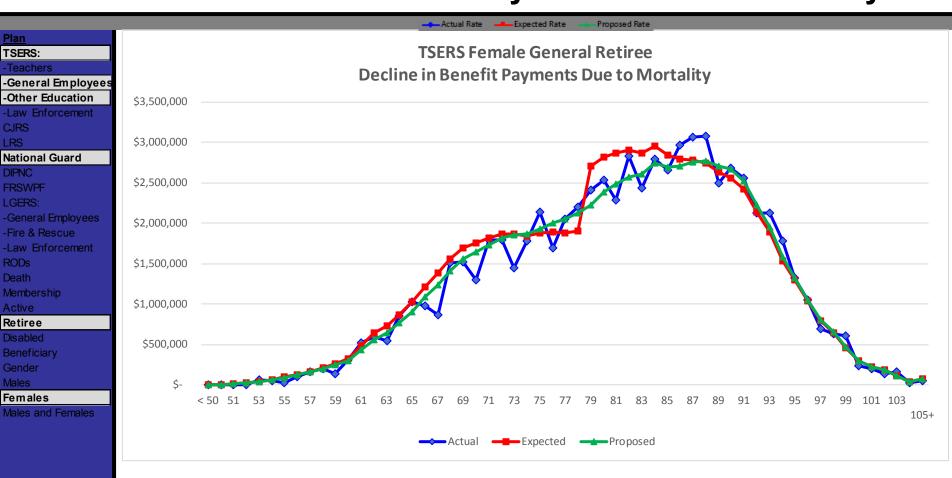
Beneficiary

**Females** 

**FRSWPF** 



# **Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	71.69	74.38	0.9638	71.84	0.9979	the period than expected overall
Total	71.69	74.38	0.9638	71.84	0.9979	

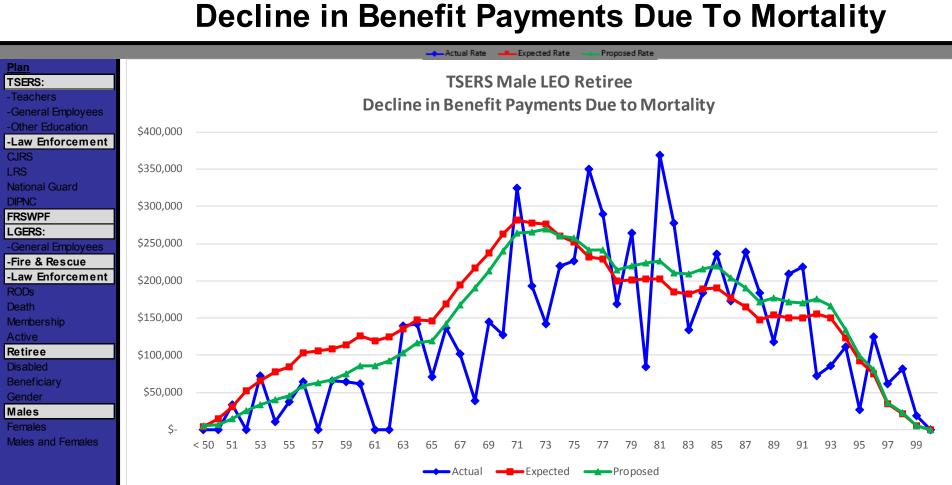
Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: increase





# Mortality acting in Benefit Payments Due To



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	6.50	7.62	0.8540	7.34	0.8855	the period than expected overall
Total	6.50	7.62	0.8540	7.34	0.8855	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

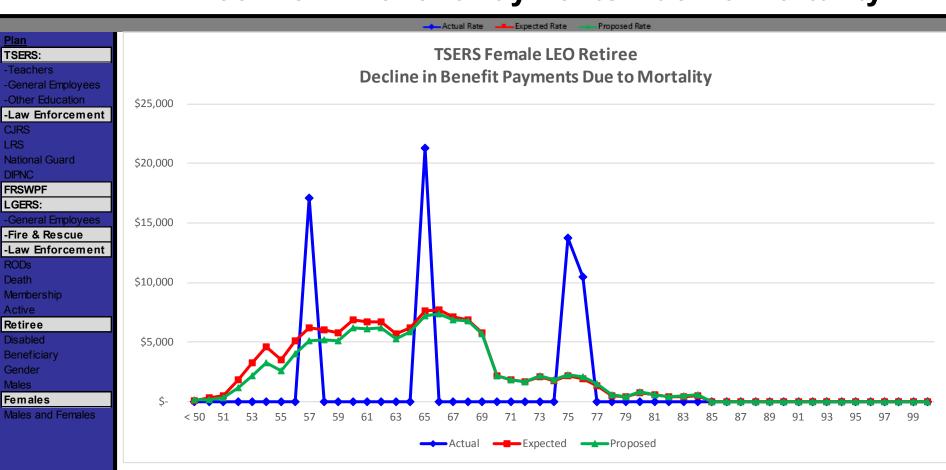
Impact: increase





# Mortality

# **Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	0.06	0.12	0.5084	0.11	0.5568	the period than expected overall
Total	0.06	0.12	0.5084	0.11	0.5568	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience



Plan

DIPNC

RODs

Death Membership

Active Retiree

Males

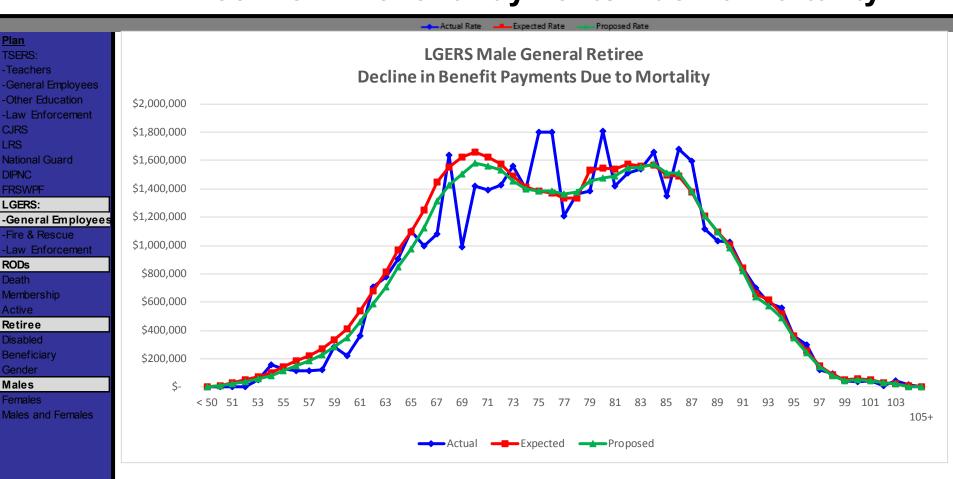
Beneficiary

**FRSWPF** LGERS:

-Teachers



# **Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



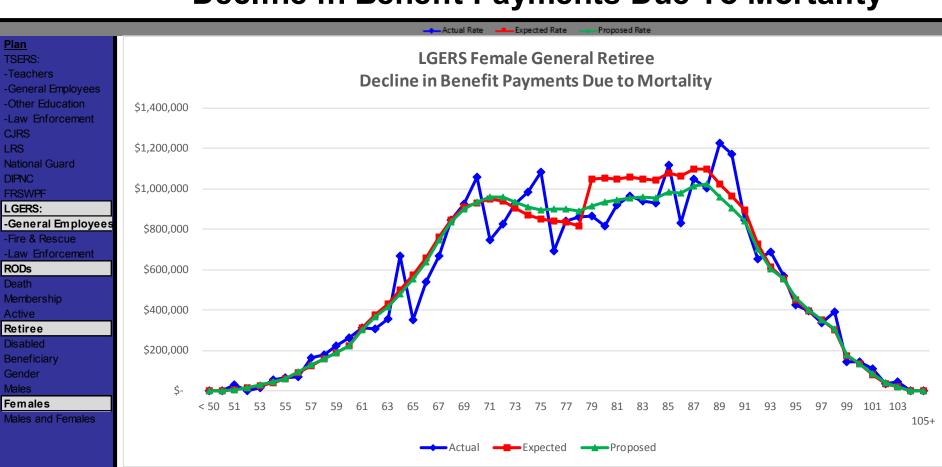
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	44.04	45.72	0.9633	43.87	1.0038	the period than expected overall
Total	44.04	45.72	0.9633	43.87	1.0038	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience





# Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality



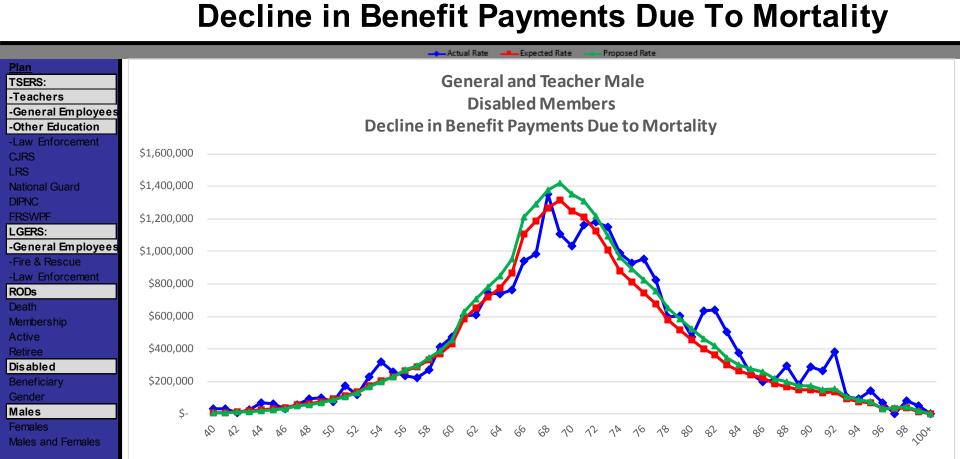
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	30.71	31.66	0.9702	30.72	0.9999	the period than expected overall
Total	30.71	31.66	0.9702	30.72	0.9999	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience





# Mortality



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	25.81	23.84	1.0826	25.91	26.0785	the period than expected overall
Total	25.81	23.84	1.0826	25.91	0.9961	

-Actual ---- Expected ----- Proposed

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal



Plan

TSERS: -Teachers

DIPNC **FRSWPF** 

LGERS:

RODs

Death Membership

Active Retiree

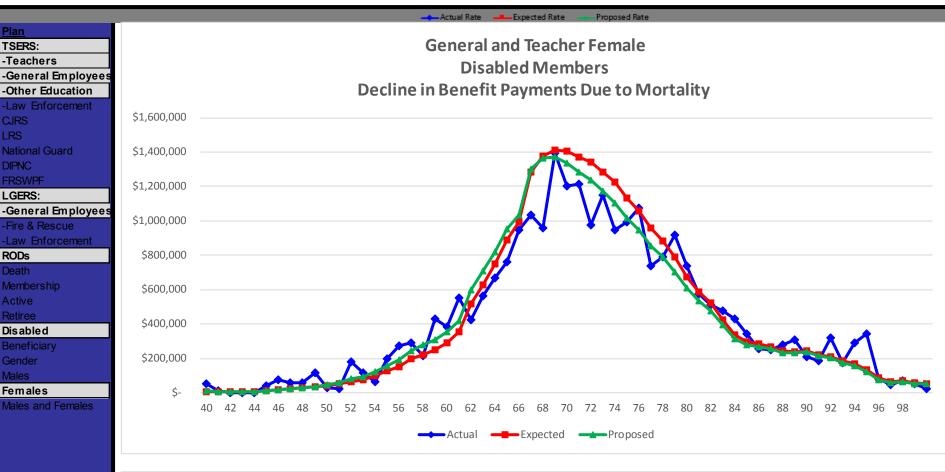
Males **Females** 

Disabled Beneficiary



# **Mortality**

# **Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	26.08	26.87	0.9706	26.24	26.0785	the period than expected overall
Total	26.08	26.87	0.9706	26 24	0.9938	

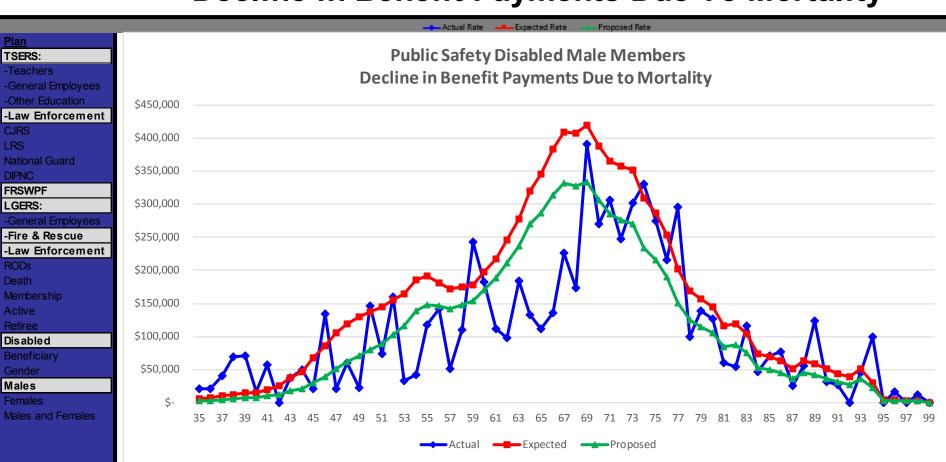
Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal





# Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	7.03	9.56	0.7354	7.25	0.7937	the period than expected overall
Total	7.02	0.56	0.7354	7.25	0.0606	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal



Plan

TSERS: -Teachers

**National Guard** DIPNC

-Fire & Rescue

**FRSWPF** LGERS:

**RODs** Death

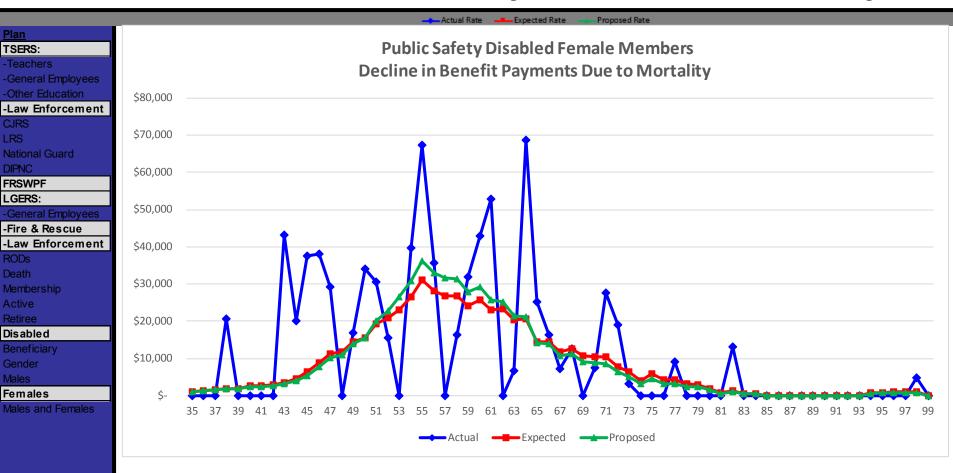
Membership Active Retiree

Disabled Beneficiary

**Females** 



# **Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	0.79	0.57	1.3917	0.59	0.7937	the period than expected overall
Total	0.79	0.57	1.3917	0.59	1.3498	

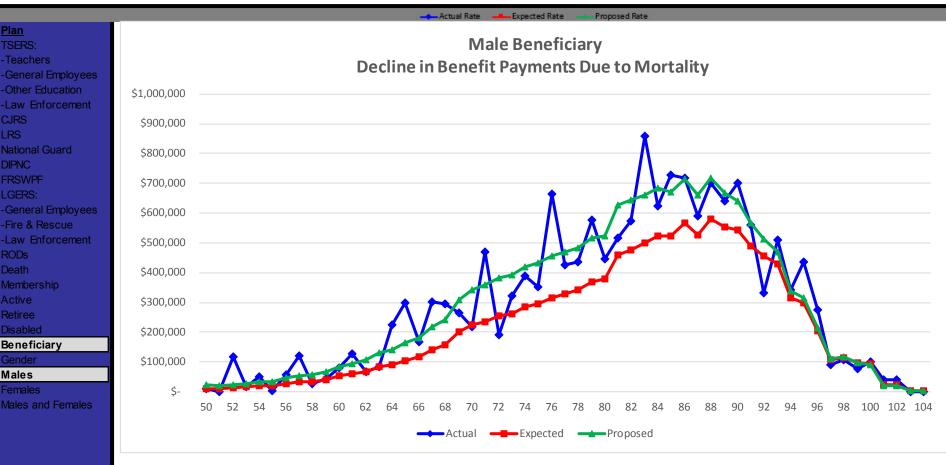
Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal





# **Mortality Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	16.44	12.47	1.3185	16.46	0.9987	the period than expected overall
Total	16.44	12.47	1.3185	16.46	0.9987	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal

Active Retiree Beneficiary Males Males and Females

Plan

-Teachers

DIPNC **FRSWPF** 

RODs Death

-Other Education

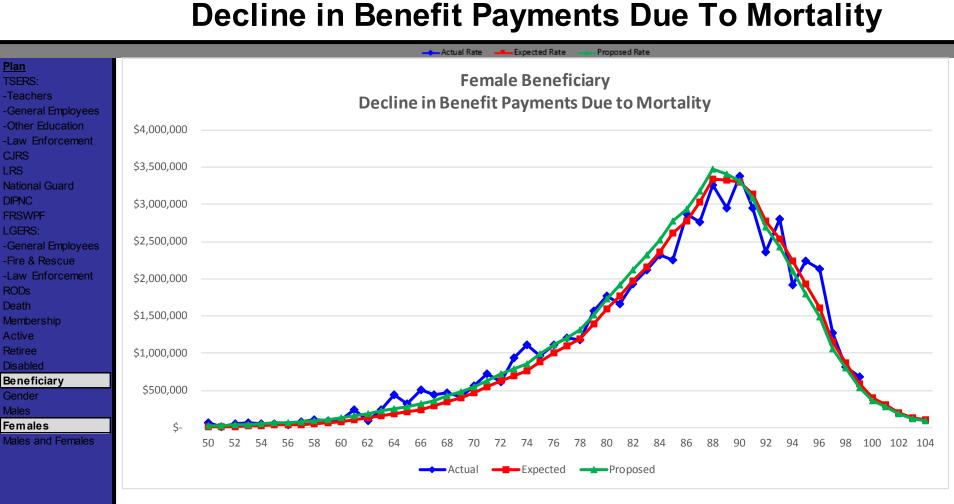
-Fire & Rescue

Membership





# Mortality ocline in Benefit Payments Due Te



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
Reduction in benefits \$M	59.12	56.80	1.0408	59.36	0.9959	the period than expected overall
Total	59.12	56.80	1.0408	59.36	0.9959	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal





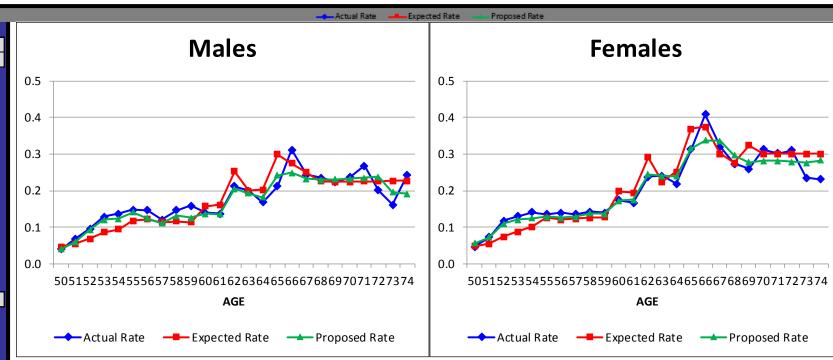
- ➤ Retirement rates vary by age, gender, employee group and type of retirement (i.e., reduced and unreduced)
- The current retirement rates are based on the recommendation made in the prior experience study
- Use of actual experience of the plans is common practice
- ➤ The current retirement rates resulted in expected retirements greater than actual retirements for all employee groups other than National Guard and Law Enforcement Officers; proposed rates were adjusted to reflect this experience
- Generally, assuming more (fewer) retirements results in higher (lower) estimated costs







Males and Females



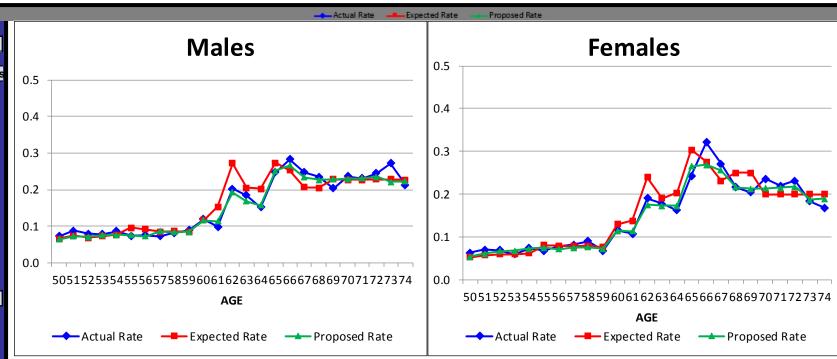
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	4,112.00	4,392.88	0.9361	4,202.17	0.9785	
Females	16,948.00	17,311.73	0.9790	16,986.32	0.9977	
Total	21,060	21,704.61	0.9703	21,188.49	0.9939	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
		-				actual experience
						Impact: slight decrease







Males and Females



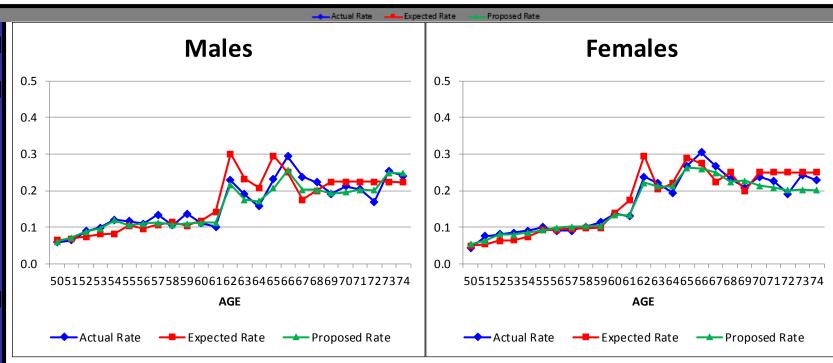
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	6,611.00	7,585.02	0.8716	6,828.53	0.9681	
Females	7,990.00	9,012.03	0.8866	8,118.88	0.9841	
Total	14,601	16,597.05	0.8797	14,947.41	0.9768	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
	·	-				actual experience
						Impact: slight decrease







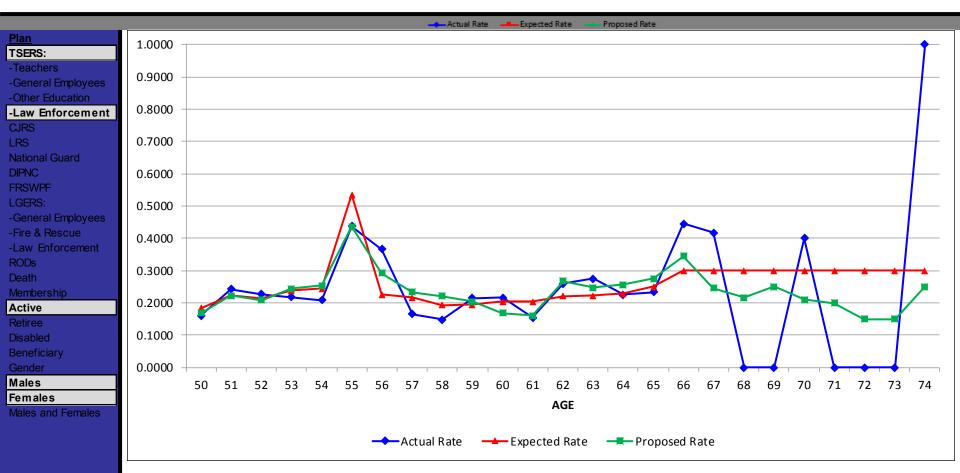
Males and Females



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	2,900.00	3,463.93	0.8372	3,116.94	0.9304	
Females	6,505.00	7,087.38	0.9178	6,631.55	0.9809	
Total	9,405	10,551.31	0.8914	9,748.49	0.9648	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
	•					actual experience
						Impact: slight decrease







	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	754.00	697.88	1.0804	742.05	1.0161	
Total	754.00	697.88	1.0804	742.05	1.0161	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual experience

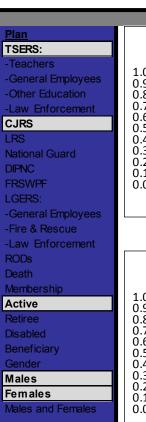
Impact: slight increase

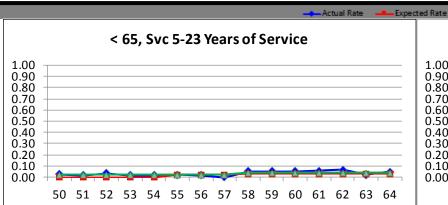


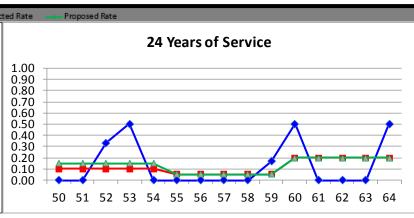


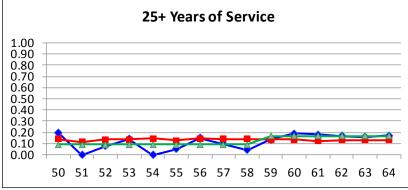
# **Mortality**

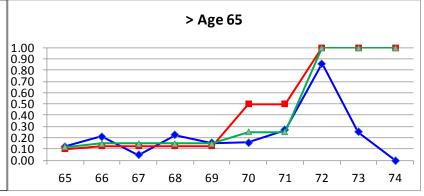
## **Decline in Benefit Payments Due To Mortality**







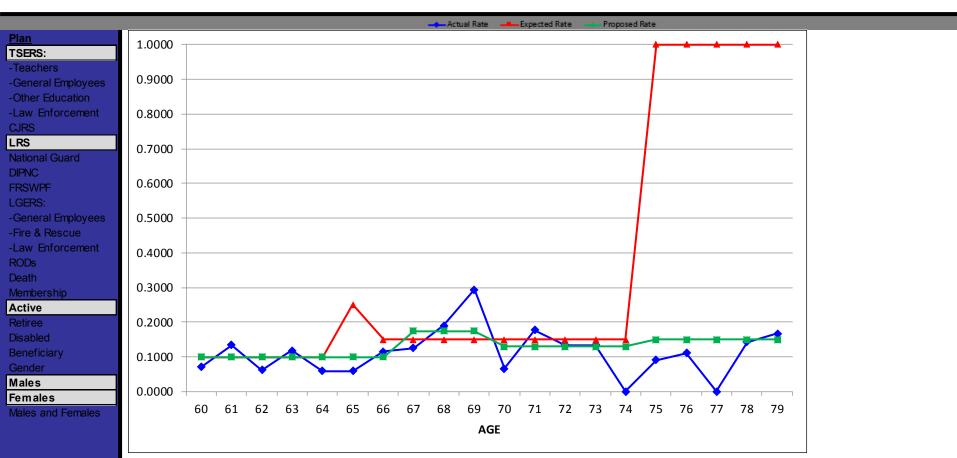




	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er decline in benefit payments due to mortality over
5 - 23 years of Service	28.00	14.67	1.9087	25.42	1.1015	the period than expected overall other than the following groups: 5 -
24 Years of Service	7.00	6.60	1.0606	7.30	0.9589	23 years of Service, 24 Years of Service
25+ Years of Service	36	40.24	0.8946	37.75	0.9536	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
> Age 65	92	118.17	0.7785	105.60	0.8712	actual experience
Total	163	179.68	0.9072	176.07	0.9258	Impact: slight increase







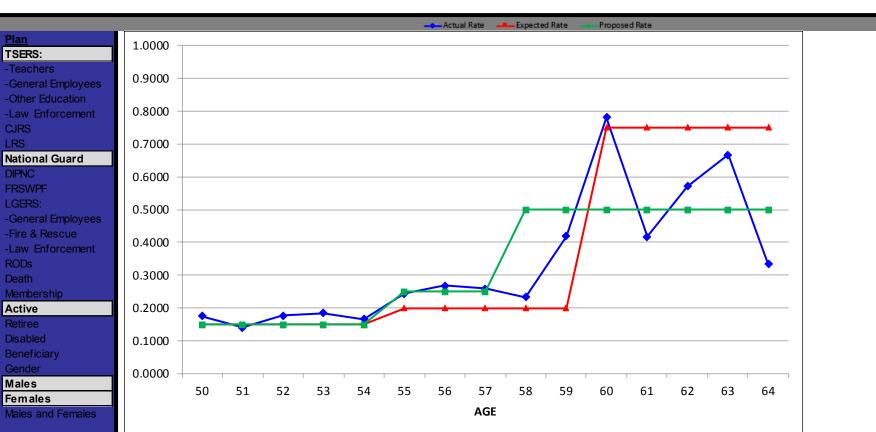
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	39.00	89.45	0.4360	51.67	0.7548	
Total	39.00	89.45	0.4360	51.67	0.7548	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect actual experience

Impact: slight decrease







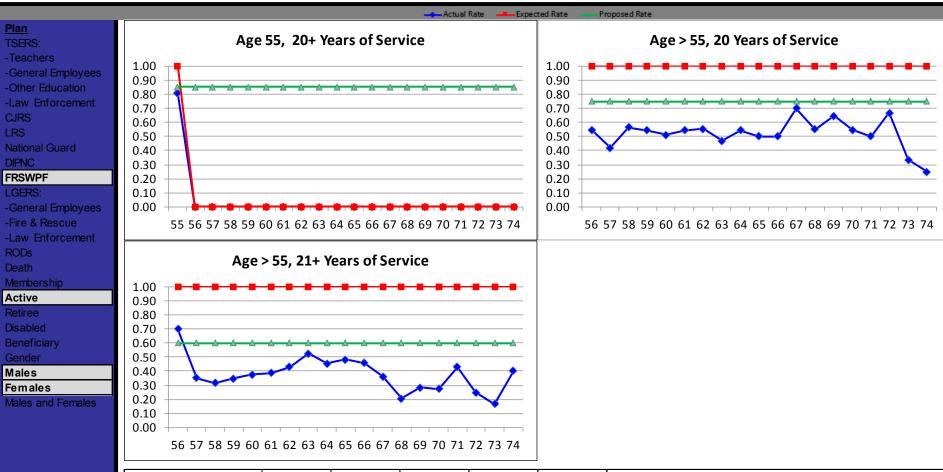
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more retirements over the period than expected overall
Males	327.00	290.60	1.1253	324.40	1.0080	
Total	327.00	290.60	1.1253	324.40	1.0080	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: slight increase







	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
Age 55, 20+ Yrs of SVC	-	28.00	14.6700	1.91	25.4200	other than the following groups: Age 55, 20+ Yrs of SVC, > 55, 20 yrs
> 55, 20 yrs of Service	7.00	6.60	1.0606	7.30	0.9589	of Service
> 55, 21+ Yrs of Service	36	40.24	0.8946	37.75	0.9536	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
Total	43	74.84	0.5746	46.96	0.9157	actual experience
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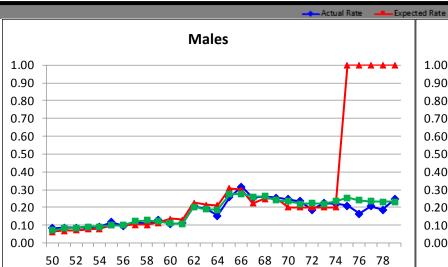


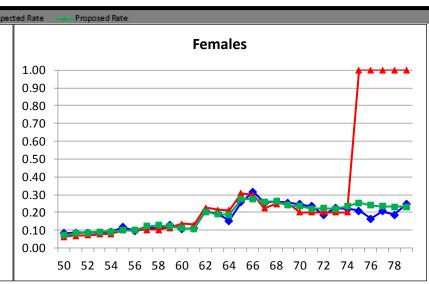


Disabled Beneficiary

Males Females

Males and Females



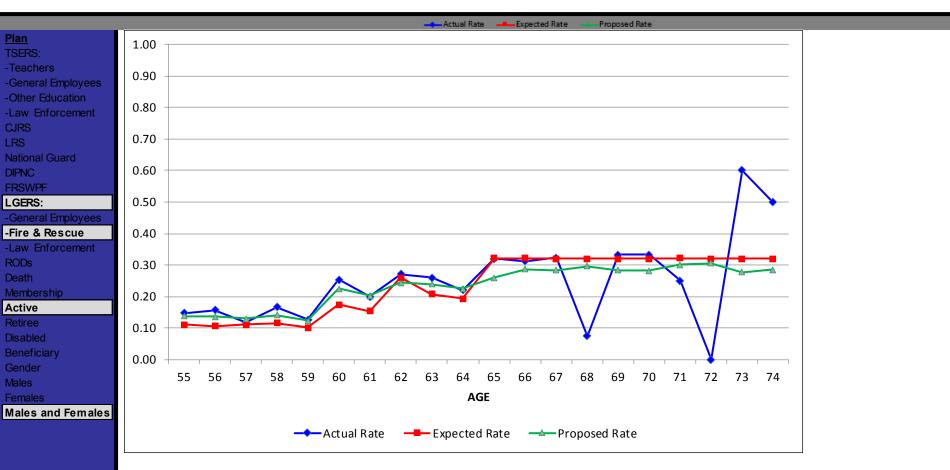


		Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: few er retirements over the period than expected overall
N	Vales	6,359.00	7,191.42	0.8842	6,545.59	0.9715	
F	emales	7,698.00	8,828.28	0.8720	7,844.64	0.9813	
Т	Total	14,057	16,019.70	0.8775	14,390.23	0.9768	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally downwards to reflect
	<u> </u>	<del></del>					actual experience

Impact: slight decrease







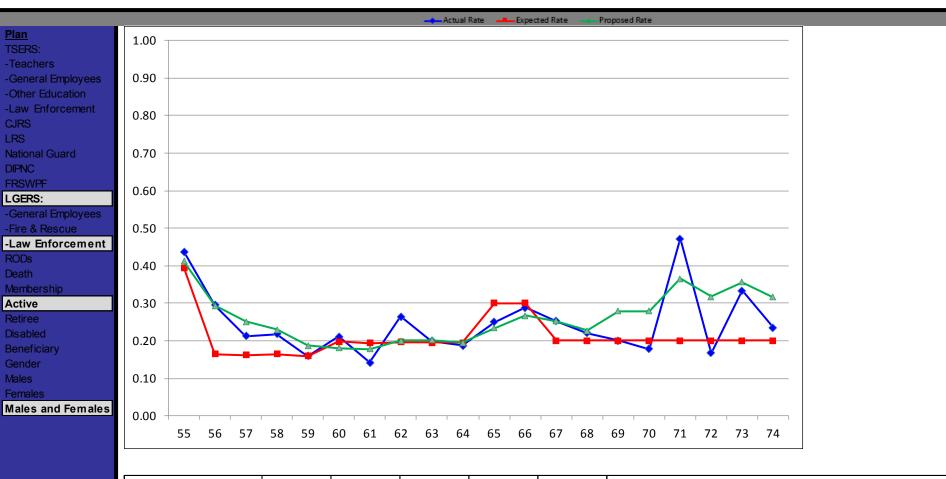
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more retirements over the period than expected overall
Total	1,116.00	876.89	1.2727	1,040.72	1.0723	
Total	1,116.00	876.89	1.2727	1,040.72	1.0723	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: slight increase







	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more retirements over the period than expected overall
Total	2,874.00	2,665.77	1.0781	2,806.94	1.0239	
Total	2,874.00	2,665.77	1.0781	2,806.94	1.0239	

Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: increase



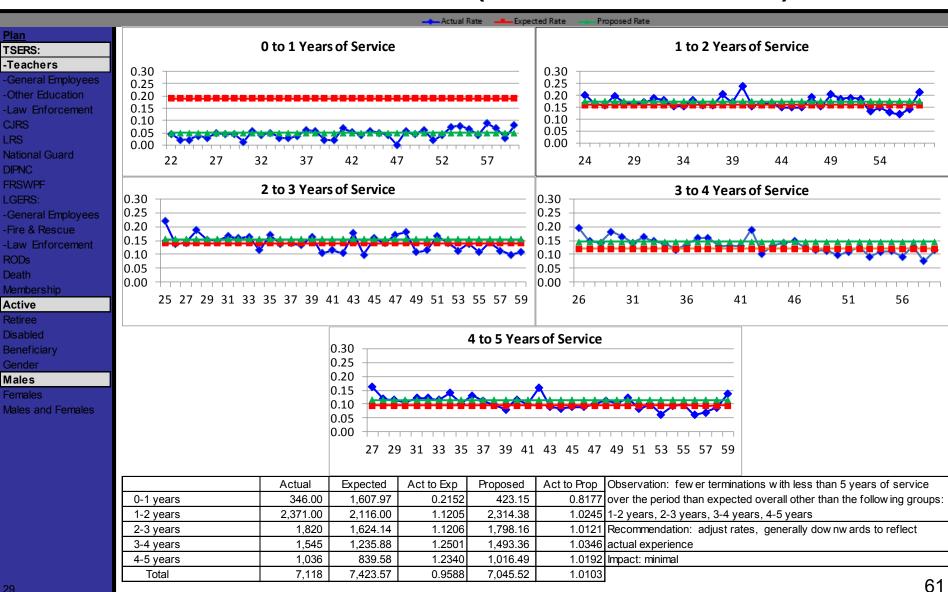
#### **Termination**



- The valuation anticipates that members may leave active service for reasons other than retirement, disability and death. We refer to these other reasons as termination
- ➤ Rates of termination can vary significantly from plan to plan, employee group and by gender, so use of actual experience of the plan is common practice
- Rates of termination tend to be higher earlier in a member's career, so two sets of rates are developed:
  - A set of rates for the first five years of a member's career. These rates are higher than those assumed in the rest of the career and vary based on the member's service
  - A set of rates for the rest of a member's career that vary based on the member's age
- The current termination rates resulted in expected terminations greater than actual terminations for all employee groups other than Fire and Rescue; proposed rates were adjusted to reflect this experience; for CJRS we recommend rates for the first time
- Generally, assuming more (fewer) terminations results in higher (lower) estimated costs

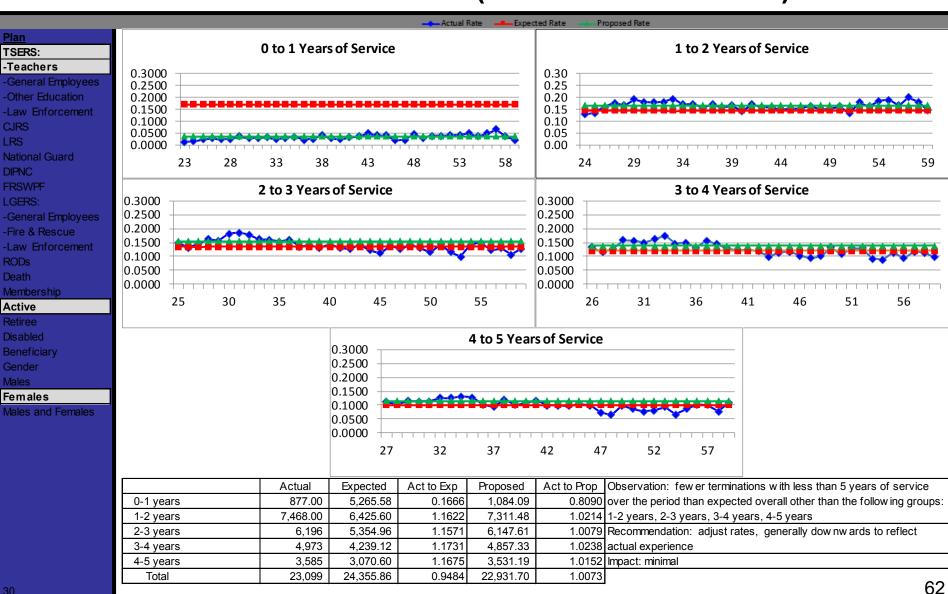






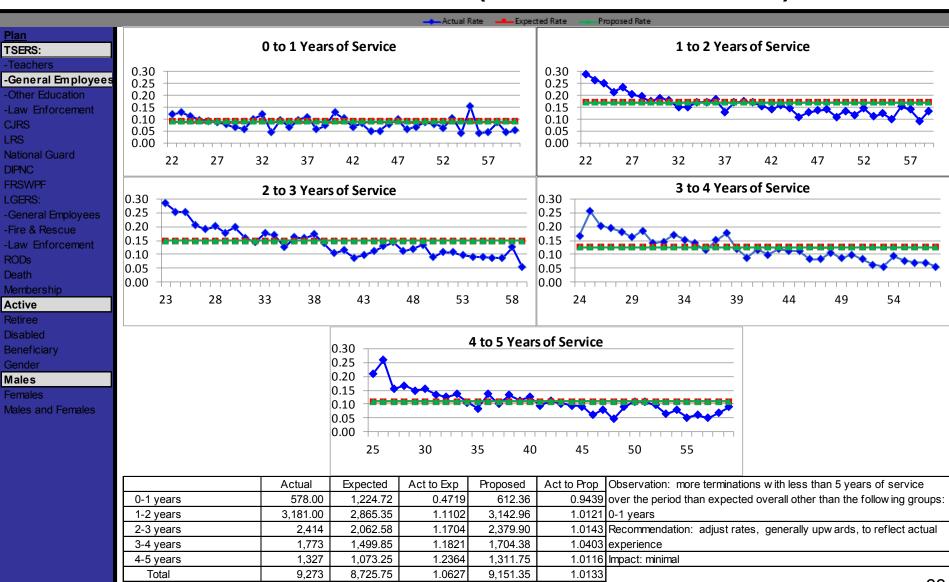






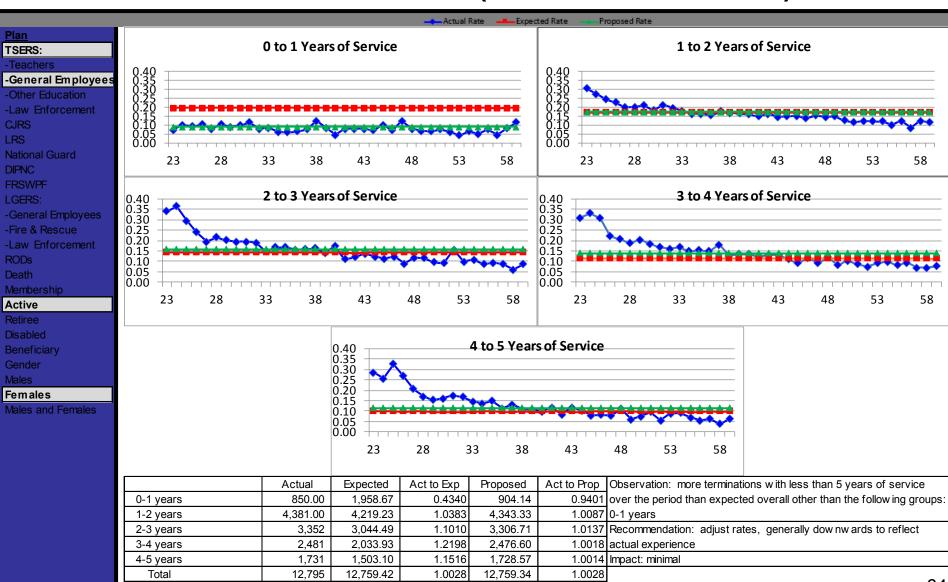






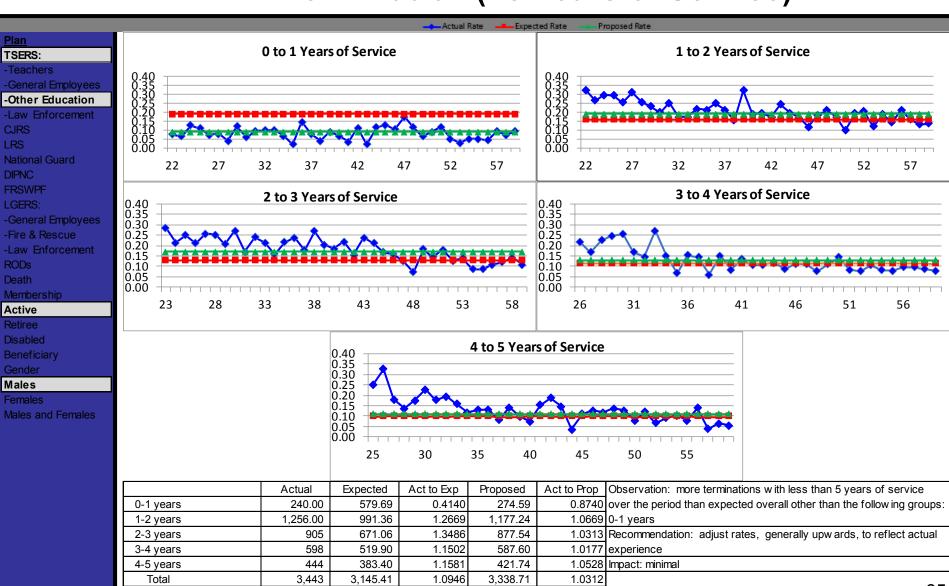






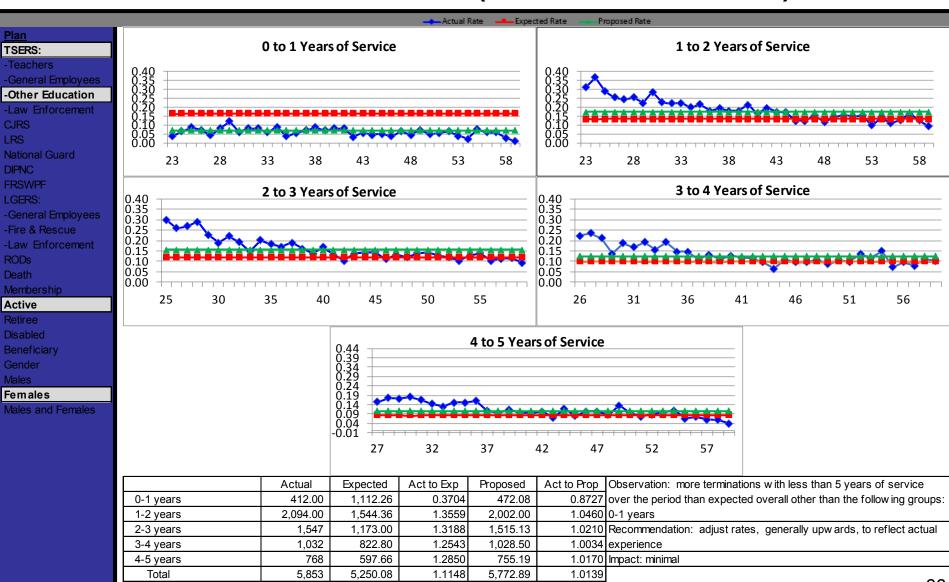






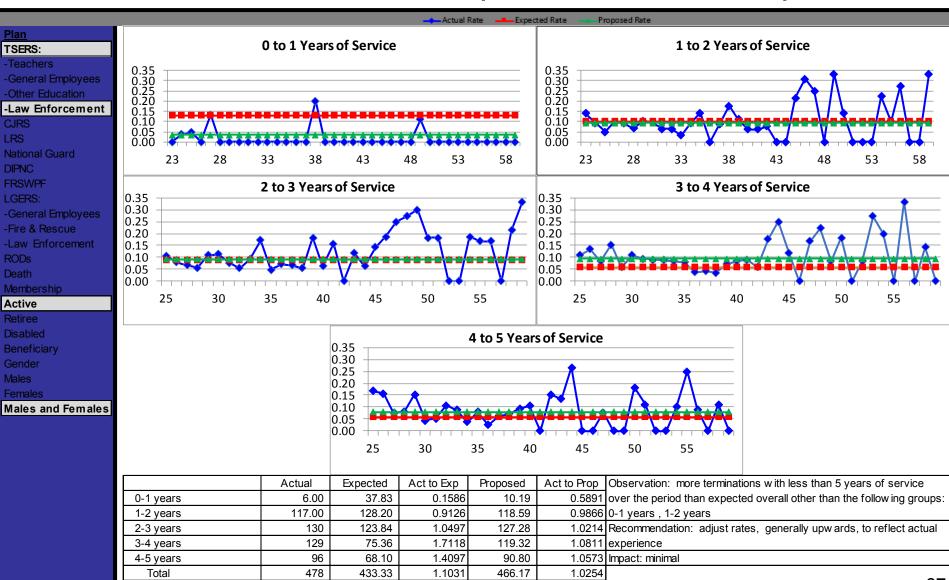






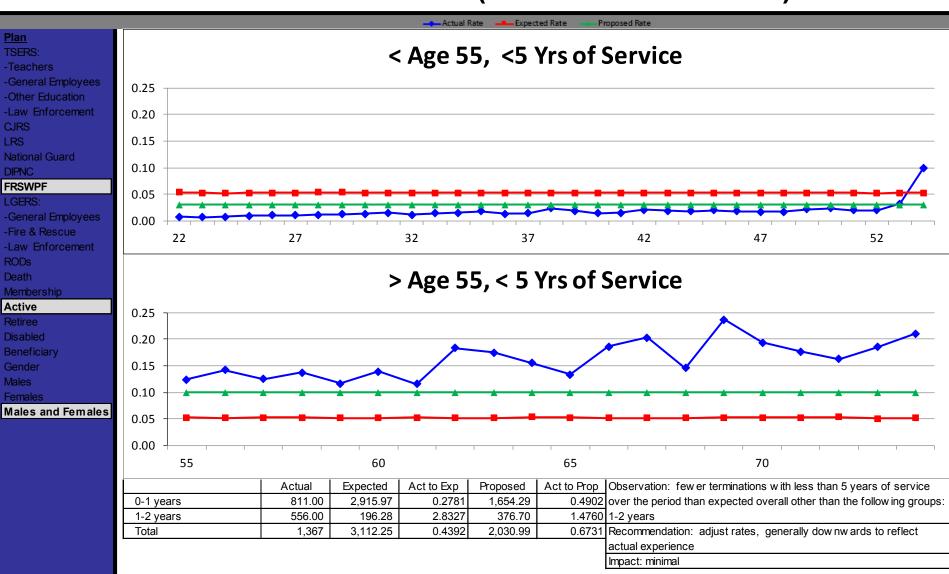






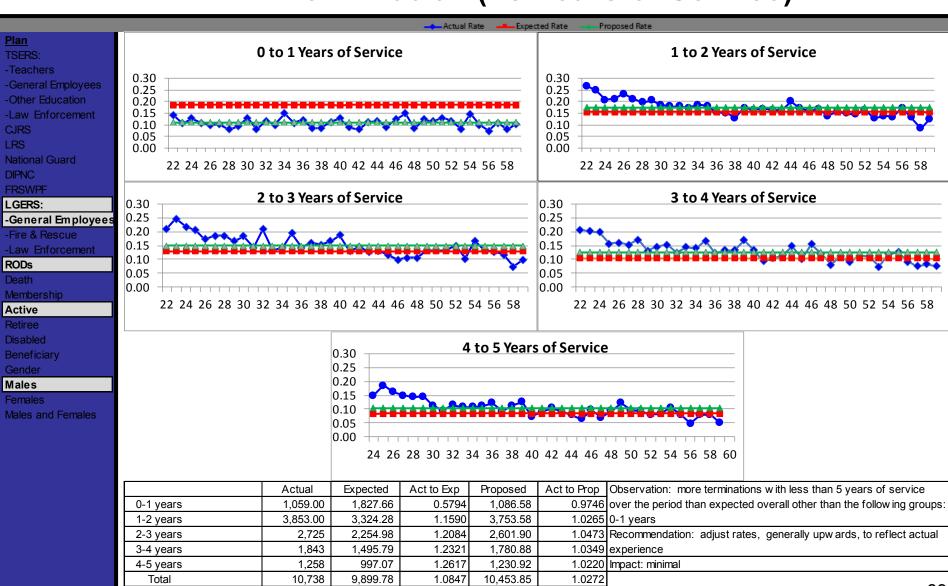








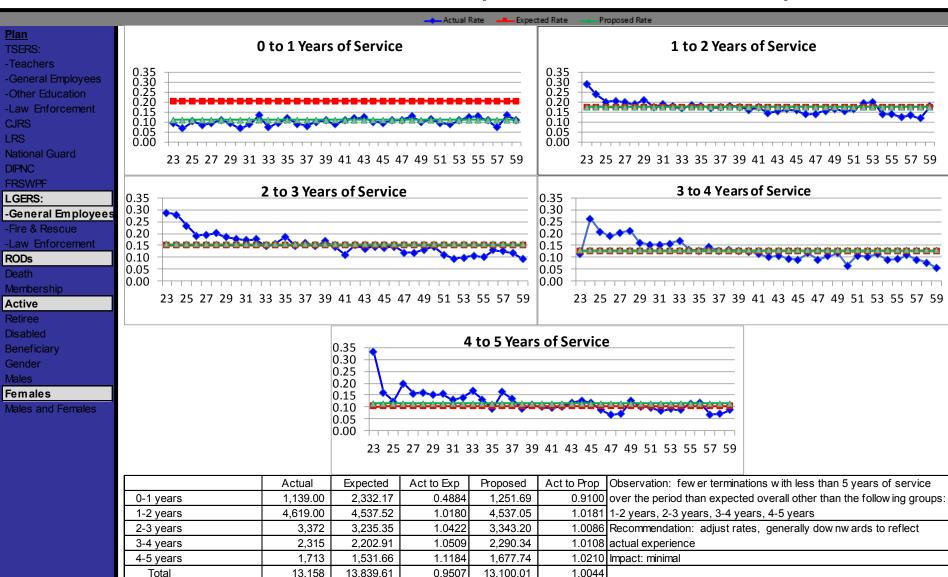






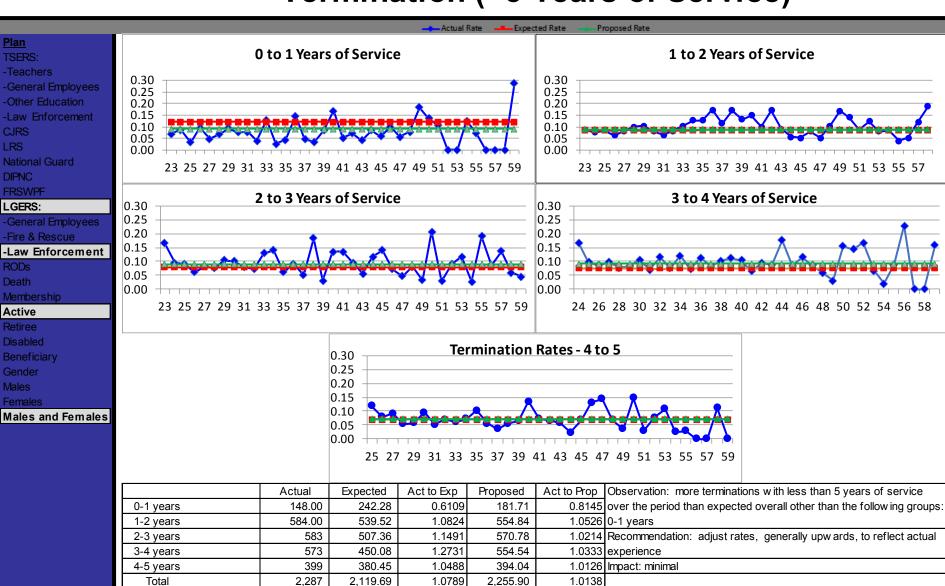


# **Termination (<5 Years of Service)**







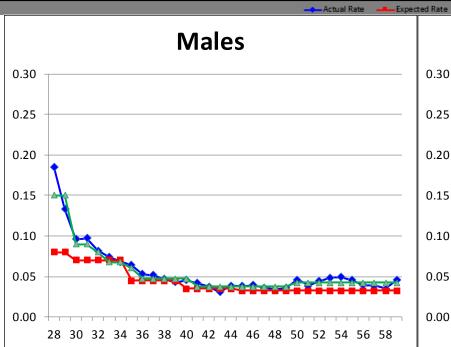


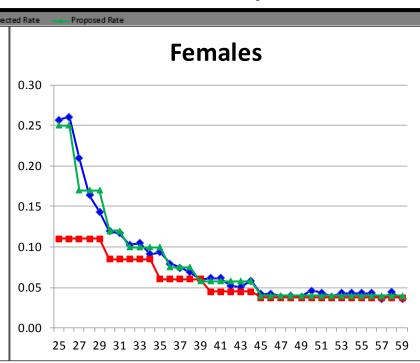






Males and Females

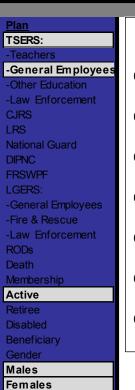




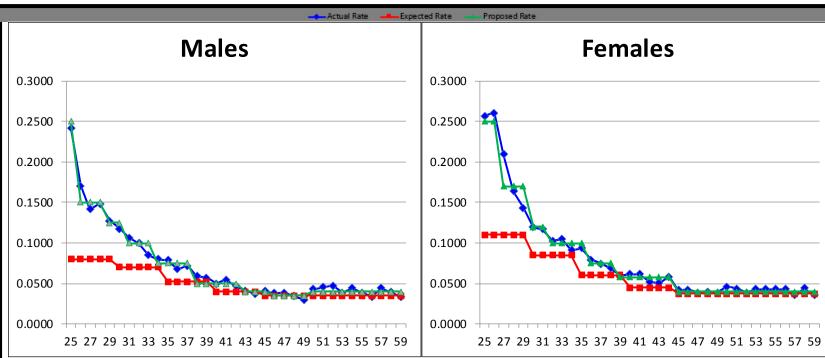
	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more terminations with more than 5 years of service
Males	3,818.00	3,153.41	1.2108	3,762.83	1.0147	over the period than expected overall
Females	15,404.00	13,641.03	1.1292	15,285.14	1.0078	
Total	19,222	16,794.44	1.1445	19,047.98	1.0091	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual
			-		-	experience
						Impact: decrease







Males and Females



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more terminations with more than 5 years of service
Males	5,521.00	4,577.57	1.2061	5,479.16	1.0076	over the period than expected overall
Females	7,646.00	6,464.54	1.1828	7,636.44	1.0013	
Total	13,167	11,042.11	1.1924	13,115.60	1.0039	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual
						experience
						Impact: decrease

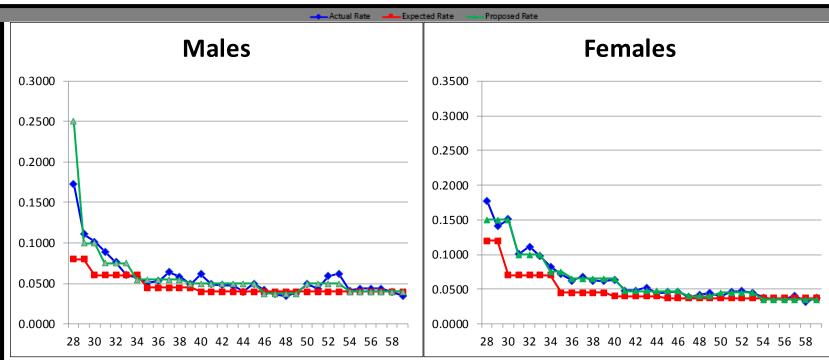
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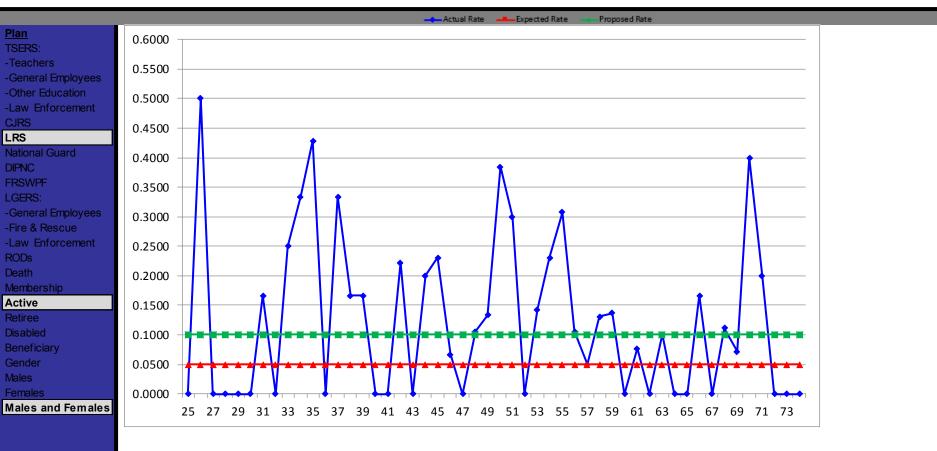


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Males	1,607.00	1,371.04	1.1721	1,589.40	1.0111	over the period than expected overall
Females	3,896.00	3,241.25	1.2020	3,843.31	1.0137	
Total	5,503	4,612.29	1.1931	5,432.71	1.0129	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual
					•	experience

Impact: decrease







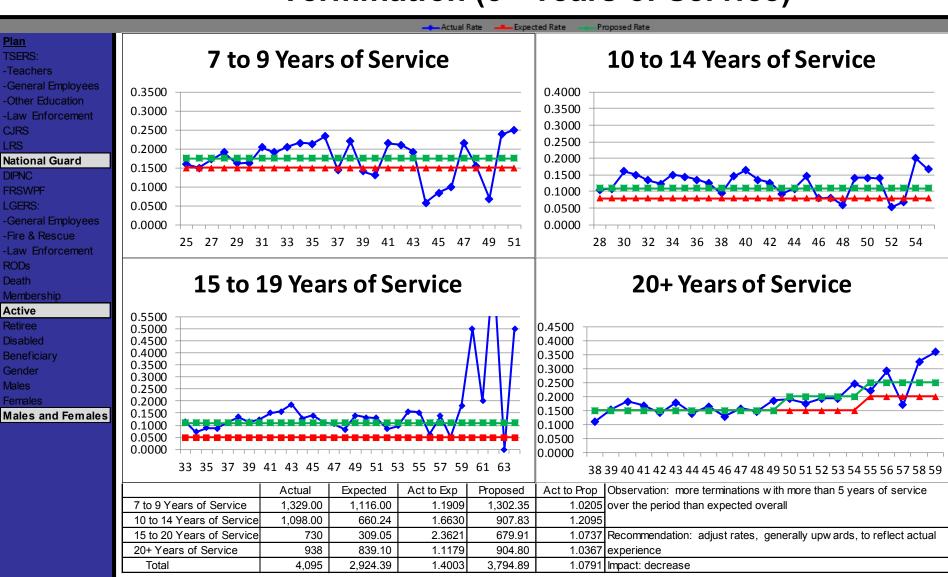
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Total	67.00	26.85	2.4953	53.70	1.2477	over the period than expected overall
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Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal

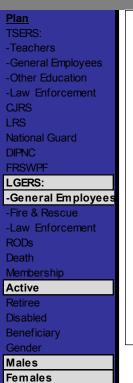




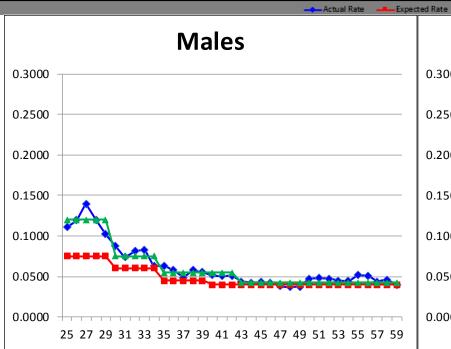


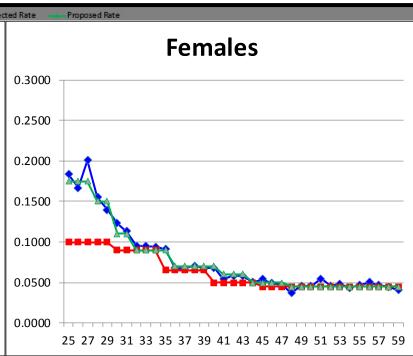






Males and Females





	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more terminations with more than 5 years of service
Males	4,925.00	4,174.27	1.1798	4,884.85	1.0082	over the period than expected overall
Females	6,785.00	6,188.16	1.0964	6,770.28	1.0022	
Total	11,710	10,362.43	1.1300	11,655.13	1.0047	Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upwards, to reflect actual
						experience

Impact: decrease

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RODs Death Membership

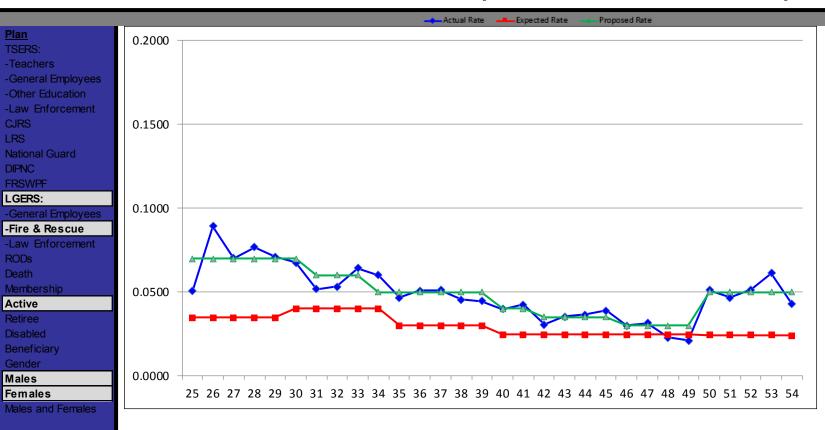
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Males Females



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# **Termination (5+ Years of Service)**



	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more terminations with more than 5 years of service
Total	1,557.00	1,003.31	1.5519	1,573.63	0.9894	over the period than expected overall
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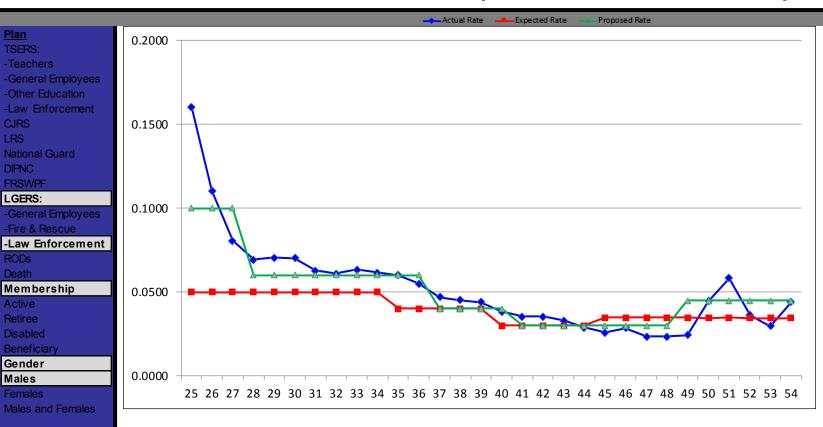
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Beneficiary Gender



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	Actual	Expected	Act to Exp	Proposed	Act to Prop	Observation: more terminations with more than 5 years of service
Total	2,809.00	2,497.43	1.1248	2,817.83	0.9969	over the period than expected overall
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Recommendation: adjust rates, generally upw ards, to reflect actual experience

Impact: minimal





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