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State-Level Statistical Report Template



In development by **ERAC** since mid-2014, this template is intended to give states the ability to more easily and accurately generate state-level statistical reports from the accident report data they enter into the Boating Accident Report Database (BARD). The report template is being built right into BARD-Web, with the intent of allowing users to generate an editable

Microsoft® Word document with narrative, summary statistics, and detailed tables.

WHO IS THIS FOR? States that *want* to identify accident-related issues or answer questions posed by the public or legislators, but don't have the resources, time, or expertise to build reports on their own from BARD queries. It might also benefit states already producing basic reports and looking for ways to improve their products and reduce production time and effort.

PROJECT UPDATE In April 2015, the ERAC project team invited feedback on its Statistical Report Template working document from a broader audience of potential users. *Thank you* to the states that responded to the call. In late July 2015, a [revised, working template](#) was delivered to the U.S. Coast Guard so that staff could begin work

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with the BARD contractor on developing the report into the system. Initial testing with states currently represented on ERAC occurred March 2016. The Coast Guard has since taken the feedback to the contractor to continue product refinement. Watch this site in coming weeks for any beta test announcements and product updates.

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