# **Bystander Intervention**

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## Respectful Workplaces Pilot Project

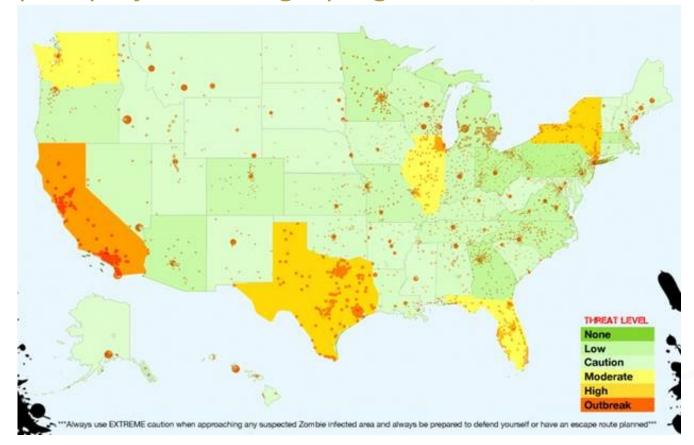
- Funded by the Oregon Department of Transportation's
   Workforce Development program and the Oregon Bureau of
   Labor and Industries Office of apprenticeship
- Project has multiple approaches to increase apprenticeship retention amongst diverse women and men of color in the highway construction trades
  - Worksite Awareness
  - Worker Education
  - Opportunities for Voice
  - Bystander Intervention
  - Evaluation





## What is Bystander Intervention

- Grassroots focuses on affected population interrupting problematic behaviors, in this case workers helping workers
- This pilot project is using a program called, Green Dot



#### Keys to Success for Green Dot

- Already implemented in male dominated fields: Air Force wide, starting roll out in Army
- Linked to safety workers experiencing harassment
- Interactive Training
- Based on Social Change Theory
- Addresses all populations
- Meets people where they are
- Multi-pronged Approach: campaign, levels of training, proactive and reactive Green Dots, Day to day intervention

#### **Green Dot Interventions**

- How do you send a message, immediately on a workplace, that harassment will not be tolerated?
- Proactive Green Dots
- Media Campaign
- Leadership Backing
- Reactive Green Dots
  - Direct
  - Distract
  - Delegate