

# eWiSACWIS 4.3 Highlights

## Release Date: October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Topic	Incident Number and Description
<b>Adoption Assistance and Subsidized Guardianship</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(29512) This Child &amp; Adolescent Needs &amp; Strengths (CANS) change will affect any users that work with Adoption Assistance or Subsidized Guardianship. A new algorithm will be added to eWiSACWIS that calculates the supplemental amount when the child is placed in either an Adoption Assistance or Subsidized Guardianship placement setting. Users may potentially see a difference in the supplemental amount when transitioning from a foster home to an Adoption Assistance or Subsidized Guardianship placement setting.</li></ul>
<b>Assessment</b>	<p>Several changes will be made to the Initial Assessment that will affect most access, initial assessment, and ongoing workers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(26622) Currently, the Approve radio button is grayed out if work is missing, leaving workers to have to blindly find what pieces of work they are missing before they can send it for approval. With the October release, the Approve radio button on the Approval History page (accessed via Options &gt; Approval) will always be enabled. Workers will be able to send the work for approval, but will receive a detailed error message explaining what pieces of work they are missing and where that work is located, making it easier to make the corrections to the initial assessment.</li><li>(29302) The tickler for the Create Notice of Right to Hearing/Appeal will no longer appear for unknown maltreaters.</li><li>(29302) The escalated ticklers supervisors are receiving for the Create Notice of Right to Hearing/Appeal will be deleted after workers document the Notice of Right to Hearing for the maltreaters (the Sent checkbox is selected on the Appeals Notices page).</li><li>(30334) Workers will only be able to link access reports that are within 180 days of each other to a specific assessment. This will prohibit workers from linking old access reports to an assessment that does not apply to the assessment.</li><li>(29662) The Substantiation Notification group box on the Summary tab of the Initial Assessment-Primary, Initial Assessment-Narrative, and Initial Assessment-Secondary or Non Caregivers pages will be removed. Workers will be expected to fill out the Notice of Child Maltreatment Determination and Right to Appeal template in eWiSACWIS. Additionally, the Licensing Notification group box on the Initial Assessment-Primary and Initial Assessment-Secondary or Non Caregivers pages will be removed. The templates associated with these pages will reflect these changes.</li></ul>

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- (30164) Modifications will be made to the Education tab on the Person Management page, as well as the Maintain Education History page, the Permanency Plan page, and the Permanency Plan template as summarized below. Most of these changes have been made in an effort to capture education information that pre-fills to the Permanency Plan template.

The Education tab of the Person Management page will have new fields added and some of the existing drop-down selections will be enhanced.

#### Education

The Maintain Education History pop-up page will have some new fields and drop-down selections added. The new page will also incorporate a new search functionality on the School Name field so that workers can find school names and addresses by entering a partial name of the school. The search function will narrow down the names of the schools as you type the school name.

The Permanency Plan page will be modified so that the Child's name will appear as a hyperlink so that, when clicked, it will take you to the Person Management page for the child .

The Permanency Plan template will be updated so that a number of the fields in the Child's Education Summary section will pre-fill information from the education record.

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- (30325) This foster care rate change will affect any user working with the documentation process of Child & Adolescent Needs & Strengths (CANS) and Foster Care Rates and payment data that is directly affected by the CANS and Foster Care Rates. Two new concepts will be introduced to CANS and the Foster Care Rate as part of this change.

#### Financials

The first change brings about a new Foster Care Rate page that allows the user to document a Foster Care Rate prior to the completion of a CANS. This will provide an ability to document and pay a provider a "receiving home rate" while accurately going through the CANS process and correctly reflecting the effective date of the CANS to be the date the CANS was truly completed.

The second change will provide users the ability to link a Foster Care Rate to a CANS that was already completed and fully approved, and to make that new Foster Care Rate effective up to 30 prior to the CANS while still utilizing the CANS data to derive the supplemental rate. Again, this ensures that the CANS effective date can accurately represent the date the CANS was completed, and it offers a means to tie into that CANS so that a Foster Care Rate with an effective date earlier than the CANS effective date will include the supplemental rate pulled from the CANS.

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- (30289) A number of changes will be made to the Medicaid Certification page:

For newly created certifications, the Initial and Amended radio buttons will be removed. These radio buttons will be replaced with a Certification radio button. The Med Stat Code field will be relocated on the page to display beneath the Agency field. Additionally, the following fields will be removed from the page, as the data is not sent in the interface to Forward Health: Worker ID, Control Name YOB, Is this an address change, Medicare Claim Number, and T18.

eWiSACWIS will be sending the Certification To date in its interface with Forward Health, and therefore the Medicaid will end if a new certification is not documented. Currently, Medicaid certification continues until a 'Cancel' certification is documented.

The Medicaid Certification Due tickler will be removed. To accommodate the need for identifying certifications that are due, two new Medicaid tickler reports will be created: FM0301 Medicaid Certification Due – County and FM0302 Medicaid Certification Review – State.

#### **Medicaid Eligibility**

When the Cancel radio button is selected, the Cancel Date will automatically pre-fill with the date that is the end of the current month. Furthermore, the Certification From and Certification To dates will no longer be required for a cancelled certification, as they will default to the Cancel Date.

For adoptive children, the Medicaid Certification To date will automatically default to the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> birthday month. Furthermore, eWiSACWIS will automatically cancel certifications for adoptive children reaching their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday who have an Adoption Assistance After 18 record with an anticipated graduation date documented.

- (30289) The following changes will be made to the Medicaid Eligibility Determination page:

A Details flare will be for the Request Replacement Card Reason to provide information for why a replacement card cannot be processed.

The MA Number field will be updated to MA Number (MCI) to reflect that the Medicaid number is the MCI ID.

The Case Number column will be removed from the Medicaid History group box, as this is the MCI ID.

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#### Provider

- (29201) The functionality for this change will mainly be used by the Out of Home Care units. Wisconsin's Caregiver Law requires background and criminal history checks of certain personnel who are responsible for the care, safety, and security of children and adults. This eWiSACWIS change will design an interface between the Integrated Background Information System (IBIS) and eWiSACWIS. The information stored in IBIS, that is subsequently transmitted by eWiSACWIS, is used to record provider license denials and revocations. Denials, revocations, and non-renewals that require a Negative Action Notice to be completed will now be done solely in eWiSACWIS. A new page will be added to eWiSACWIS to document a Negative Action Notice. In doing so, the Negative Action Notice template will be removed. The documentation of a Negative Action Notice will send the information to IBIS for the background check for license denials and revocations. A link to the Negative Action Notice will be accessible from the outliner, as well as the Licensing page.
  - (29201) A new Decision of "Non-Renewed" will be added to the Application Activity tab of the Licensing page. By choosing this option when denying a relicense, the Licensing page will function exactly like the decision of "Denied."
  - (29201) When documenting a revoked license, a new Revocation Reasons page will be added to the Additional Licensing Actions page. This new Revocation Reasons page will include the documentation for the licensing code citation for the revocation.
  - (29947) This change will allow workers with appropriate security to enter Licensing Appeal results. Overturning a denial, revocation, or non-renewal appeal will not override the original decision. This change will also include changes to the Licensing page (by adding an Appeals tab when an applicable appeal exists), the Imaging page (by adding a new category for Licensing Appeal), the Home Provider page (by indicating an appeal on the License Activity tab), and the outliner (by indicating an appeal exists).
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