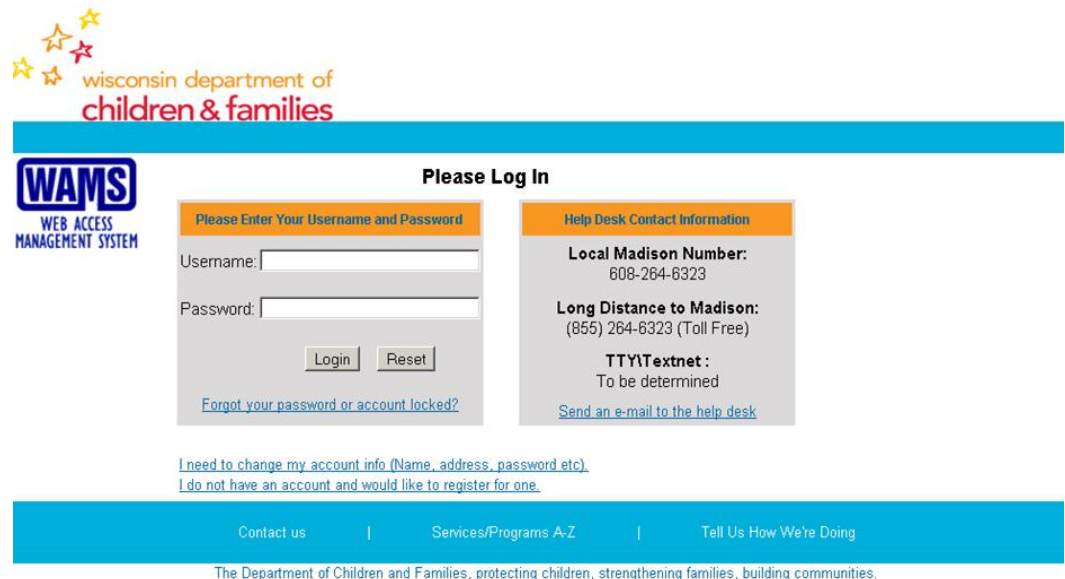


"We are seeing improved application response times."

eWiSACWIS Log In page

We are approaching the release of our new MODERNIZED eWiSACWIS application. This version will come with the next eWiSACWIS release, targeted for July 5th, 2011. Users will be automatically redirected to the new URL, but they will have a new login page. Below is a screenshot of the new login page.



Username/Password

Users will use the same username and password to access eWiSACWIS.

Performance

We are seeing improved application response times. Your counties should see the same improvement in performance, but there could be some limits due to your own local/county network.

Stability

Due to the latest versions of hardware and software, users will see improved stability.

Troubleshooting

We have improved troubleshooting capabilities with our new tools and technologies to assist with troubleshooting application issues. Additionally, we will be able to identify application issues before users.

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What information we need from the counties:

1. **All Counties:**
Acknowledgement that you received the newsletter.
2. **Counties with Interfaces:**
The date that you plan to cut over to the new DCF environment.
3. **All Counties:**
Any changes to your eWiSACWIS IT county contacts.

Email Spam Filter

The domain will be changing from dhfs.state.wi.us to **dcf.wisconsin.gov**. As a result, any county that has an email filter to accept emails from certain domains will need to change their email filter to accept emails from the new domain. This will allow county workers to receive auto-generated emails from eWiSACWIS without being filtered.

New eWiSACWIS OCX

We have migrated from Word 2003 to Word 2010. Consequently, there is a new download of the OCX install files. The VB ActiveX control is used to launch MS Word templates in eWiSACWIS.

Automatic Counties of OCX

For counties that allow automatic download and installation of OCX files, this process will be completed automatically when the worker logs into the eWiSACWIS application after 5 pm on Monday, July 4th, 2011.

If the files are not installed, eWiSACWIS users at your county will receive a warning message stating there are different version numbers of eWiSACWIS. eWiSACWIS can be accessed after receiving this message by selecting the "Click Here" button on the informational message. Any end user who receives this message after July 4th, 2011, needs to have the OCX files installed on their PC.

If you need to install the OCX files manually, please refer to the .ocx Manual Installation Instructions found on the [eWiSACWIS Knowledge Web](#). The new manual OCX files are available, and can be installed 1 week prior to the July 4th implementation date.

Manual Counties of OCX

For the counties that do not allow the automatic download and installation of the OCX files, there will need to be a manual download and install. This should be completed manually 1 week prior to the July 4th implementation date.

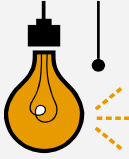
Please refer to the .ocx Manual Installation instructions found on the [eWiSACWIS Knowledge Web](#).

BadgerNet Counties

eWiSACWIS will have a new URL and IP Address. Counties that route eWiSACWIS traffic over the BadgerNet Converged Network (BCN) will need to insert an additional static route for the new application IP Address in the appropriate device(s) in their network. This will ensure the County's network is ready to use BCN for the new application after July 4th. Otherwise, the County's ISP connection will be used.

If you have any questions regarding adding the additional static route, please contact DCF IS Technical Services Consultant, [Peter Wagner](#) via email or telephone at (608) 267-7930.

Application	NEW IP Address starting July 5 th , 2011
eWiSACWIS	165.189.66.218



We welcome any questions, comments or suggestions to improve communication. Please send your feedback to Susan.Zemke@wisconsin.gov and Adriana.Gross@wisconsin.gov.

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Tablet

eWiSACWIS had an offline component named eWiSACWIS Anywhere that allowed workers the flexibility to work offline using a mobile device such as a tablet or laptop PC. As of February 28th, support for this component ended.

County Workstation Requirements

We have upgraded the underlying hardware, software, and database used by the eWiSACWIS application. These infrastructure changes have impacts to various applications and county integration components but have **NO** impact to the county workstation requirements for OS, hardware and software.

County Interfaces

Thank you to all the counties that volunteered for testing. We have successfully tested all interfaces and **Non-CIA Counties** can begin cutover of their REPL and Financial interfaces beginning June 1, 2011 and should be completed prior to July 4th, 2011.

See attachment that was sent with this newsletter for instructions of where and how to download all the new files.



Please contact [Sue Zemke](#) via email or telephone at (608) 266-6712 with the date that you plan to cutover in June. This is especially important for Financial Interface Counties because we need to coordinate the placement of the necessary files.

County Interfaces Timeline

Interface	Date	Efforts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> REPL Financial Interface 	June, 2011	<p>Non-CIA Counties:</p> <p>The GO-LIVE date for both REPL and the Financial Interfaces will be in June for all non-CIA counties. All counties must be cutover to the new DCF environment prior to July 4th.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> REPL Financial Interface CIA Interface 	July 1 – July 4, 2011	<p>CIA Counties Only:</p> <p>For counties using the Common Intake Agent (CIA) interface, MQ Series server connectivity from the old environment to the new environment prevents you from going live with all your county interfaces (CIA, REPL, and Financial Interfaces) prior to the July 4th weekend.</p>