

**eWiSACWIS Release 2.6  
Pre-Release Summary TOP 15  
Scheduled for Release on January 8<sup>th</sup> 2007**

Within this document you will find the release summary of eWiSACWIS (Release 2.6) TOP 15 system changes and enhancements. This summary includes changes that may impact workflow, data entry, procedures and reporting. Some of the changes may have been the result of a policy change while others may have been the result of PEP decisions. Many of the changes are the result of issues reported to the helpdesk by system users. The purpose of this information is to provide users with an overview of the information in a eWiSACWIS Release before it is released. "How Do I" and "Quick Reference" guides should continue to be accessed for more specific usage of the application and/or new functionality.

**Note: eWiSACWIS will be unavailable on January 5<sup>th</sup> 2007 from approximately 5pm to 11pm.**

**The eWiSACWIS Knowledge Web will continue to host the following information:**

- **Online Training**
- **Pre-Release Summaries**
- **Detailed Post-Release notes**
- **Program Activity Workshop/Technical Activity Workshop documentation**
- **Operations Memos**
- **Quick Reference Guides**
- **"How Do I" Guides**

## eWiSACWIS Release 2.6 – TOP 15 Incidents and Enhancements

Incident	Topic	Description
6930*	Assessment	This enhancement will display a pop-up message indicating the piece of work is going to be recalled to alert a worker when a change is made that results in a piece of work being recalled. Additionally, this change will recall the approval to the worker making the change to the piece of work. If a supervisor assigned to the case who has the approval makes an update to the piece of work, then the update will be allowed with no auto-recall. The supervisor will still have the ability to manually recall/reroute the piece of work through the standard recall/reroute processing.
21149*	Case Visual Metaphor	<p>Display filtering has been added to:</p> <p>Assessments, Placements, Assignments, Legal, Access Reports (date report received) and Eligibility.</p> <p>The Pending/Most Recent work will appear at the beginning of the associated icon. Work will appear in descending date order. Rate Settings will be tied to Placements.</p>
21419*	Case Visual Metaphor	<p>The following changes have been made to the desktop display of Narratives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Changes the Case Notes hyperlink to display Category –Type as the hyperlink. This will make the case notes display consistent with the provider notes display. This change will be applied to both Case and Participant views.</li> <li>2. The word (Details) has been added to the right of the Category –Type. A screen tip will be added that displays the first 120 characters of the case note text when the worker hovers over (Details). The text can wrap to display the text on 2 lines. This change will be applied to both Case and Participant views.</li> <li>3. Adds the case participants identified in the case note to the desktop display. Names will display in ( ) and will be separated by a “;”. This change will be applied to the case view only.</li> </ol> <p>The changes outlined above will also apply to the Narrative, Assessment, and Access subject areas as these areas display case or provider notes.</p> <p>The changes outlined above apply to the Desktop (Cases and Providers expandos), cases and providers accessed from the Workers expando, and to the Utility Search.</p>
21368*	Document Plans	In August 2006, the JD-1791 (Permanency Plan Hearing Order) form was updated. This enhancement synchronizes the pages in eWiSACWIS with the form. The template has not been added to the application.
20439*	Eligibility	Expanded the Adoption Eligibility module to better accommodate the separate parts of adoption funding and claiming and the subsidy eligibility of the child. Added a new “Adoption After Age 18” page. Integrated the State sign-off procedures into the adoption funding determination process.
20849*	Foster Care/Out of Home Placements	On the SM10a20 Time to Adoption Report, the following changes have been made to the files: Time to TPR field has been added to the summary file; On the detail file, Adoption Site/Region will now retrieve the site/region location of the adoption worker; the adoption fields are now displayed toward the beginning of the report. This report can now also be submitted by region for on demand.
20833*	Foster Care/Out of Home Placements	A new report, SM10a33 Placement Correction, is available on eWRports. The purpose of this report is to identify cases that look to have errors regarding out-of-home placements to aid future data clean up effort. The focus of the report will be children with valid AFCARS placements. The report will review placement history for

		<p>children across multiple cases and identify the following placement errors where applicable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Placement Gap Error: one or more gaps within a placement episode;</li> <li>-Discharge Error: a placement that ends without a discharge and a new placement has not been recorded; or placement episodes exists where there are two consecutive removals without a discharge in between the two removal dates;</li> <li>-Removal Error: a placement episode where the removal date has not been identified or placement episodes where there are two consecutive discharges without a removal in between the two discharge dates;</li> <li>-Potential Discharge Error: a discharge with a new placement episode beginning with a removal within 7 days of the previous discharge.</li> </ul>
<b>21089*</b>	Foster Care/Out of Home Placements	The eWiSACWIS application will be modified to support policy changes surrounding Trial Reunification (TR). The change will allow workers to accurately reflect a trial reunification via the Out of Home Placement window. Additional policy and procedural information to follow. Please visit the Knowledge Web for further information on how to document a Trial Reunification in the application.
<b>21327*</b>	ICPC	<p>1. Adds a new date field to record the date ICPC receives the completed home study from the WI County/Agency. (The new federal law requires ICPC staff to approve or deny placement within 14 days of receipt of the completed home study.)</p> <p>2. Adds a new date field entitled "Provisional Approval". (The new federal law provides "provisional" approval to home studies exempting education &amp; training of prospective foster/adoptive parents in order to meet the 30 day timely home study incentive.)</p> <p>3. Adds a new date field entitled "Extension Requested". (The new federal law allows an additional 15 day extension to complete a home study if held up due to circumstances beyond the agencies control.)</p> <p>4. Adds a new field entitled "Extension Reason" for ICPC to document the circumstance leading to the request for an extension.</p>
<b>7282*</b>	Maintain Case	This enhancement adds the case or provider ID to the Create Case Work and Create Provider Work pages. It also adds each participant's Person ID under the Case Participants group box on the Create Case work window.
<b>20827*</b>	Manage Worker	A new report, CM1801 Worker Training, will be delivered to eWReports on a quarterly basis and available on an on demand request basis. This report will be based on the information completed on the eWiSACWIS worker record.
<b>21252*</b>	Merge Person	Modifies the duplicate person logic so that duplicate people are not identified as potential duplicates based on a name match only. Additionally, this enhancement includes adding new processing to the person merge batch to record all the information necessary for a reversal of the merge if a merge is completed in error.
<b>21316*</b>	Person Management	The Quality Service Review Protocol template is now available in eWiSACWIS. This template is child specific and is launched from the Create Case Work page under Administration.
<b>20913*</b>	Search	The new View Not Approved/Cancelled checkbox on the desktop for release 2.5 has been added to both case and provider search pages.
<b>852*</b>	Worker Assignment	The system will provide the ability to create all assignments to a case at one time. For example when creating primary and secondary assignments to the same case, these assignments can be completed in one transaction.