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Documentation Principles, Terminology and Requirements

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OVERVIEW

The primary purpose of this manual is to clarify eWiSACWIS placement documentation requirements for child welfare staff, supervisors and managers. The manual is divided into four main components as follows:

- Core Principles to Placement Documentation
- Key Terms and Definitions for Placement Documentation
- Contact Information for Placement-Related Documentation
- “How Do I” Guides by Placement Setting (Appendix)

For purposes of this manual, the term “**child**” is used to address both children and juveniles served by county child welfare agencies, the Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare, and the state Special Needs Adoption Program or as part of the state’s juvenile correction aftercare program. The manual is intended for use by child welfare staff and managers to clarify and support placement documentation responsibilities. Additional direction is provided by the Title IV-E Handbook to the Statewide Eligibility Unit related to the unit’s specific responsibilities in using eWiSACWIS and child welfare documentation to determine and re-determine a child’s Title IV-E Eligibility and reimbursability status.

When using the How Do I’s to guide placement documentation practices, the guides serve only as a core set of activities and pages that pertain to placements. These activities are not inclusive of all documentation needed for children who are subject to state and federal reporting requirements. The documentation depicted in these guides is not actual cases and names or genders of case head/reference persons are not necessarily reflective of typical case information.

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PLACEMENT DOCUMENTATION PRINCIPLES

The following principles support documentation practices consistent with federal Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) and ensure state and local capacity to measure placement outcomes prescribed by the federal Child and Family Services Review:

Following a child's removal from his family home to the date the child achieves a permanent outcome (e.g. reunification, adoption, guardianship), every day needs to be associated with a specific out-of home placement setting for the child.

A child's placement documentation reflects the actual location or the status of the child's location for any given day.

Timely and accurate placement documentation supports the following state and local responsibilities:

- Monitoring critical child placement conditions, e.g. missing or runaway children and child death;
- Complying with the Adoption and Safe Families Act (ASFA) permanency requirements and timeframes, and;
- Determining Title IV-E Eligibility status and claiming federal Title IV-E and Medicaid Targeted Case Management reimbursement.

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KEY PLACEMENT TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Placement Documentation Terminology

One key concept to accurate placement documentation is that of a “**placement episode**.” A placement episode starts with a removal from home and ends with a discharge from out of home care. All days within a placement episode are documented using the Out of Home Placement page in eWiSACWIS (see screen shot below).

Child Removal and Removal Date

A placement episode begins with the date of a child’s **removal** where the child is taken into physical custody or where the child is placed under a formal voluntary placement agreement between the agency, the parents, and the placement provider.

Documentation of the removal date is recorded in the “Removed From Home” field and is required when the placement is the first placement for the child or a previous placement ended with a discharge as described below.

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Placement Setting and Placement Setting Begin and End Dates

A child may be placed with multiple providers and experience multiple placement settings during a single placement episode. These changes may be due to actions initiated by the agency, the provider, the child, the parent, or the court. Also changes in the child's legal or financial status, e.g. SSI Eligibility, are documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

Each of these unique placement settings has a "Placement Begin" and "**Placement End**" date documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

In the instance where a child is removed and has only one placement setting prior to his or her discharge from placement, the placement setting begin date is the same as the removal date and the placement setting end date is the same as the discharge date.

If the child is removed and has multiple placement settings prior to discharge, the removal date is the same as the begin date for the first placement setting and the discharge date is the same as the placement ending date for the last placement setting.

Specific placement service ending values in eWiSACWIS are used to denote changes in a placement setting or a transfer to a new agency while a child's placement episode continues pending permanency goal achievement and subsequent discharge from placement. Values associated with changing a child's placement or transferring responsibility for a child is provided in Attachment 1.

Additional placement service ending values may be used to document specific legal or fiscal changes or to end placements that are made in error for the child, but do not necessarily reflect actual changes in the child's placement provider. These values are listed in Attachment 1.

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Placement Episode Activity - Removal, Placement Changes & Discharge

In summary, a combination of these placement transactions, i.e. child removal, movement from one placement setting to another, discharge and subsequent placement episode, can best be depicted as follows:



Explanation of Codes

- E1 = Date of first removal /initial entry to care; beginning of first Placement Episode
- D1 = Date of discharge from care; ending of first Placement Episode
- E2 = Date of second removal /second entry; beginning of second Placement Episode
- D2 = Date of second discharge; ending of second Placement Episode
- P1 – P3 = Change in Placement Settings with different placement providers, or in different placement settings within the placement episode.

Placement Setting Categories, Types and Settings

Initial placements and changes in placement settings are reflected in the corresponding values associated with **Service Category**, **Service Type** and **Placement Setting** on the Out of Home Placement page.

Service Categories associated with placement documentation are generally established prior to eWiSACWIS implementation by the county and state eWiSACWIS team. Any additions or modifications to accommodate Service Categories related to placement services must be referred to the eWiSACWIS Project Team. Values associated with Service Category are county-specific.

Service Types are linked to a respective Service Category and are generally established prior to eWiSACWIS implementation by the county and state eWiSACWIS team. While counties may add service types, any additions or modifications to accommodate placement services must be referred to the eWiSACWIS Project Team in advance of such changes. Values associated with Service Type are county-specific.

Placement Settings refers to basic placement setting status related to the Service Category and Type and choices are filtered based on the Service Category and Type selected. The Placement Setting values represent different placement settings and are standardized for statewide use.

In order to minimize reporting errors, specific filtering mechanisms are in place between Service Category, Service Type, and Placement Setting. Based on the county-specific values, this ensures consistent linking between these values to Placement Setting values.

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PLACEMENT SETTING EXAMPLES AND DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

Based on the Placement Setting values provided on the Out of Home Placement page, examples of the various placement settings subject to eWiSACWIS documentation are provided below.

As noted above, Placement Setting values are filtered based on the Service Category chosen during documentation of the Out of Home Placement.

Standard Placement Settings (Required to be documented as an Out of Home Placement)

Certain placement settings are always subject to be documented in eWiSACWIS due to Federal AFCARS or Title IV-E requirements. For purposes of this manual, these placement settings are referred to as “**standard**” settings. Standard placement settings represent the use of a facility or provider as a physical placement of the child from his or her family home. Therefore, the standard placement settings included below are always documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

- Foster Homes (Relative and Non-Relative), including Receiving/Assessment Homes
- Court Ordered Relative Homes - Unlicensed Relatives or Court Ordered Kinship Care
- Group Homes and Family Group Homes
- Missing from Out of Home Care
- Pre-Adoptive Homes
- Residential Care Centers (RCCs)
- Shelter Care/Reception Centers (Applicable under situations described below)
- Secure Detentions (Applicable under situations described below)
- Supervised Independent Living
- Treatment Foster Homes (Relative and Non-Relative)
- Trial Reunification
- Unlicensed Non-Relatives

Specific examples of these settings and how they are to be documented on the Out of Home Placement page are detailed in the “How Do I” appendix to this manual. Such documentation should be completed in a timely manner to ensure that the documentation regarding the location and placement status of the child is inclusive of all such placement settings and reflect the past and current location or status of the child. Timely documentation also serves to provide accurate and timely payment to providers when applicable.

A brief explanation and simple case examples regarding the documentation of the use of Secure Detention and Shelter Care facilities follow. For more detail regarding documentation procedures, please refer to the respective “How Do I” guides.

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Variable Placement or Service Settings

Documentation requirements, if any, of other placement settings may vary depending on the reason for using the facility or provider and other case specific circumstances. These placement settings are referred to as “**variable**” settings in that these requirements vary based on whether or not case circumstances require documentation on the Out of Home Placement page or could be documented on the Service page. When documenting the use of a variable placement or service setting, it is important to make the distinction between documenting the use as a placement (Out of Home Placement page) versus documenting the use of a facility as a service (Service page). The use of a Service for a placement is not subject to Title IV-E eligibility and practice requirements or AFCARS reporting requirements.

For example, a child goes from his home into a secure detention facility as part of a sanction and then returns home, this is considered a service that was provided to the family. This situation would be documented on the Service page.

However, if the child goes to the secure detention facility and then moves directly from that facility to a licensed placement facility, the original placement into the secure detention facility was the first placement setting in the child's placement episode and thus, must be documented as an Out of Home Placement.

Ultimately, one should follow the guidelines that if the facility is being used as a court ordered out of home placement, or if it is one of multiple placements within an episode, then it needs to be documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

If the facility is being used to provide a service to the child or family (i.e. secure detention or shelter care as part of a sanctions or respite care as part of an in-home safety plan), then it should be documented on the Service page.

Listed below are some variable placement settings and scenarios describing documentation requirements or options:

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Hospital/Inpatient Facility

Documentation on the Out of Home Placement page for a child in a hospital or inpatient facility is required when the child subsequently enters into a standard placement setting listed above or when the hospital or inpatient facility placement takes place within a current placement episode.

Case Examples- Documentation Required as an Out of Home Placement

Example 1- A child is removed from his family during the course of a CPS investigation and placed in a hospital for medical treatment. Subsequent to the hospital stay, the child is placed in a foster home under a court order. The hospital placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the hospital placement setting and the foster home is the second placement setting within the same placement episode.

Example 2- A child is removed from his family and placed in a foster home. During this placement, the child exhibits significant psychiatric symptomology and is placed in an inpatient psychiatric facility for further assessment and treatment. The foster home placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the foster home placement. The next placement setting within this placement episode is the inpatient facility setting.

Case Example- Documentation as a Service

A child requires medical attention during the course of ongoing services where he is being served in his family home. His parents admit him to the hospital for treatment. The child subsequently returns home. Use of the hospital setting in this example does not constitute the removal of the child from the home or the start of a placement episode.

As presented in the attached How Do I's, documentation of use of hospitals/inpatient facilities not subject to documentation as part of a placement episode can be appropriately documented on the Service page.

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Mental Health Institution

Documentation of the placement of a child in a mental health institution, such as Mendota Mental Health Institute or Winnebago Mental Health Institute, is required when the child subsequently enters into a standard placement setting listed above or when the institutional placement takes place within a current placement episode.

Case Examples- Documentation as an Out of Home Placement

Example 1-A child is removed from his family during the course of delivering ongoing case management services and placed in a mental health institution to address severe emotional and behavioral concerns. Subsequent to the institutional placement, the child is placed in a foster home under a court order. The institutional placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the institutional placement setting and the foster home is the second placement setting within the same placement episode.

Example 2-A child is removed from his family and placed in a foster home. During this placement, the child exhibits severe emotional and behavioral problems and is placed in a mental health institution for further assessment and treatment. The foster home placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the foster home placement. The next placement setting within this placement episode is the institutional placement setting.

Case Example- Documentation as a Service

A child requires specialized mental health treatment services and supervision not available in the community during the course of delivering ongoing in-home services to his family. His parents decide to voluntarily place him in a mental health institution. The child subsequently returns home following treatment within the institution. Use of the mental health institution in this example does not constitute the removal of the child from the home or the start of a placement episode.

As presented in the attached How Do I's, documentation of use of hospitals/inpatient facilities not subject to documentation as part of a placement episode can be appropriately documented on the Service page.

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Secure Detention / Shelter

If secure detention or shelter (i.e. non-secure detention) is being used as a temporary corrective action service, such as a sanction or a 72 hour hold, the county is encouraged to enter the use of the facility in eWiSACWIS. In these cases the data entry may be entered as a service on the Service page.

Case Examples- Documentation Required as an Out of Home Placement

Example 1-A child who has been adjudicated as a delinquent is removed from his family and placed in secure detention or shelter care as part of a 72-hour hold. At the conclusion of the hold, the child is placed in a group home under court order. The secure detention placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the secure detention or shelter placement setting and the group home is the second placement setting within the same placement episode.

Example 2-A child who has been adjudicated as a delinquent is removed from his family and placed in a group home. During this placement, the child is alleged to have committed another delinquent act and is placed in secure detention or shelter pending the next court hearing. The group home placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the group home placement and the next setting within the placement episode is the secure detention or shelter placement setting.

Case Examples- Documentation as a Service

Example 1-A secure detention facility or shelter care facility is used as a 72-hour or sanction for a child who currently resides with his family. The child subsequently returns home following the hold or the sanction. Use of secure detention or shelter in this example does not constitute the removal of the child from the home or the start of a placement episode. Documentation may only be documented through the Service page.

Example 2-A child is currently placed in out of home care and a secure detention facility or shelter care facility is used as a sanction (versus a change in the child's placement) while the child remains in a placement such as a group home, foster home, etc. The child's out of home placement setting continues to be documented on the Out of Home Placement page. The use of the secure detention or shelter as a sanction may only be documented on the Service page.

As presented in the attached How Do I's, documentation of the use of shelter and secure detention facilities as a corrective action service is not subject to federal AFCARS or Title IV-E requirements. As such, if the agency chooses to document these services in eWiSACWIS, they may only be appropriately documented on the Service page.

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Youth Correctional Facility and Aftercare Placement

Documentation of the placement of a child in a youth or juvenile correctional facility is required when the child subsequently enters into a standard placement setting listed above or when the correctional placement takes place within a current placement episode. In addition, if a child returns to the agency for aftercare placement, documentation of these placements is required.

Case Examples- Documentation as an Out of Home Placement

Example 1- A child is placed in a youth correctional facility due to an adjudicated delinquency. Subsequent to the correctional placement, the child is placed in a group home under a court order. The youth correctional facility placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the correctional placement setting and the group home is the second placement setting within the same placement episode.

Example 2- A child adjudicated as a delinquent is removed from his family and placed in a group home. During this placement, the child commits another delinquent act and is ordered to a youth correctional facility. The group home placement is the start of a placement episode where the removal date is the begin date of the group home placement. The next placement setting within this placement episode is the youth correctional facility placement setting.

The child is not discharged from the group home placement setting as the agency anticipates the child will return for placement under an aftercare supervision order. However, if the child is not expected to return for after care services, the child would be discharged from the group home placement to end the placement episode.

Case Example- Documentation as a Service

A child is directly committed to a youth correctional facility following a brief period in detention. The child is not expected to return to the county of origin for aftercare services or may transition to adult corrections at a future date. Use of the youth correction facility in this example does not constitute the removal of the child from the home or the start of a placement episode.

As presented in the attached How Do I's, documentation of use of a youth correctional facility not subject to documentation as part of a placement episode can be appropriately documented on the Service page.

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Any documentation of variable placement settings where such documentation is not required **can** be documented on the Out of Home Placement or Service page for local reporting and monitoring purposes. In these instances, these placements are not subject to AFCARS reporting requirements and therefore, are excluded from the state's AFCARS file. In addition, these placements are not reimbursable under Title IV-E and therefore, excluded from fiscal claiming by the Department of Children and Families, Bureau of Finance through the use of applicable management reports. As such, an agency may establish local expectations that these specific placement settings are to be documented routinely in eWiSACWIS without compromising federal reporting or claiming responsibilities.

Specific examples of these settings and how they are to be documented on the Out of Home Placement page is detailed in the "How Do I" appendix to this manual. Such documentation should be completed in a timely manner to ensure that the documentation regarding the location and placement status of the child is inclusive of all such placement settings and reflect the past and current location or status of the child. Timely documentation also serves to provide accurate and timely payment to providers when applicable.

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OTHER PLACEMENT-RELATED DATA ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Children, youth, and families served in the child welfare system present a wide array of needs to which agencies respond with a variety of creative service and placement resources. The following examples provide further direction regarding the documentation of placement information under unique service and placement conditions.

Medicaid (MA) Waiver Programs

For children who are both in one of the MA Waiver Programs and in the child welfare system due to either CPS or Juvenile Service concerns, use of any Out of Home Placement must be documented as described in this manual.

Funds that are received by local agencies from CIP, COP or the Children's Waiver to offset the child's cost of care must be documented in eWiSACWIS as described in the respective How Do I guide.

Missing from Out of Home Care

Missing from Out of Home Care (OHC) represents a placement setting within a child or juvenile's current placement episode. When a child or juvenile has been determined to be missing from out of home care, the Missing from OHC placement setting (previously known as the "AWOL/Runaway" placement setting) must be documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

A child or juvenile is considered Missing from Out of Home Care when he or she is under the placement and care responsibility of the department or a county agency, living in an out of home care setting, and any of the following criteria are met:

- The child or juvenile is unaccounted for a period of time that cannot reasonably be justified by the child or juvenile's age, maturity, or emotional capacity which shall not exceed eight hours.
- When efforts to locate the child or juvenile have been unsuccessful.
- When it is known or suspected that a child juvenile has been taken by force or coercion.
- When the child or juvenile is in the company of an unauthorized person or located in an unauthorized place.

The child or juvenile's Missing from OHC placement setting must be documented or updated on the Out of Home Placement page within three business days, excluding holidays and weekends when the child or juvenile:

- Has been missing for 24 hours and
- Returns to out of home care and is no longer missing from out of home care.

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Receiving/Assessment Homes

Placement in a foster home that is used by the agency as a receiving/assessment home constitutes a placement, usually at the start of a placement episode. Pending future policy clarification regarding rate setting for receiving/assessment homes and the direction regarding provider and payment documentation in eWiSACWIS, children placed in these settings are subject to the Uniform Foster Care Rate (UFCR) policy regardless of how payment to these providers is arranged by the agency.

The current method to appropriately document use of receiving/assessment homes is provided in the How Do I contained in the Appendix.

The placement must be ended on or before the 30th day of placement to coincide with policy; if the child remains in the same foster home this does not mean you get an additional 30 days to complete the Child & Adolescent Needs & Strengths (CANS). If the placement is to continue, a new placement and subsequent UFCR (reflecting actual supplemental and exceptional fees) should be created.

Respite Care

Respite care services may be provided to parents or foster parents. In instances where respite care services are provided to parents to ensure child safety or support family reunification, the service (whether provided by a foster home or some other provider arrangement) is to be documented as part of a service on the Service page.

If respite care is provided to a foster parent, the service is to be documented as part of a service on the Service page while the foster home Out of Home Placement remains open.

Supervised Independent Living

A Supervised Independent Living placement offers 16- to 21-year-olds, who are in court ordered out of home care (OHC) placement through the county child welfare agency or the Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare (BMCW), the ability to live in their own (or shared) apartment, flat or room with supervision, support and monitoring from a caseworker and/or provider from a contracted agency.

The child welfare agency responsible for supervision of the youth maintains case management and any associated ongoing services for the duration of the court order. In addition, the child welfare agency provides financial assistance when needed.

Supervisory contact with the youth can range from moderate (2-3 times a week based on stability of the youth and the length of time the youth has been involved in Supervised Independent Living) to intense (where daily contact with the youth is necessary for a successful placement).

Note: If the county child welfare agency, BMCW, or contracted agency is not supervising a child's independent living placement, then the placement should not be documented in eWiSACWIS and the final placement prior to the independent living placement should be documented as a discharge.

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Trial Reunification

Per federal AFCARS and Title IV-E requirements, Trial Reunification is referred to as a “trial home visit” and represents a placement setting within the child’s current placement episode. Use of the Trial Reunification placement setting is documented on the Out of Home Placement page.

If successful and full reunification of the child with his or her family is achieved following use of a Trial Reunification placement setting, the Trial Reunification placement setting is ended and the child is discharged from the placement episode to reunification with his or her family. If the child requires an Out of Home Placement after a successful Trial Reunification, this new placement would constitute a removal from his or her home and would represent the first placement in another placement episode.

If the Trial Reunification is not successful and full reunification cannot be achieved, the Trial Reunification placement setting is ended and the next placement setting selected for the child is documented on the Out of Home Placement page. This change in the child’s placement setting, from Trial Reunification to the next placement setting, occurs within the current placement episode and therefore, does not represent a re-entry of the child into out-of-home care.

For further technical direction regarding documentation of the Trial Reunification on the Out of Home Placement and payment pages, please refer to the corresponding How Do I guide.

Voluntary Kinship Care

Many children reside with relatives where the parent and the relative have made the living arrangement voluntarily and the relative caregiver is eligible for and receives a Kinship Care services payment to support their care of the relative child. Voluntary Kinship Care services also include long-term kinship care as authorized by Chap. 48.977, Stats., and the agency is not or is no longer responsible for placement or permanency planning responsibilities.

In some situations, the child and his or her parents become involved in the child welfare system due to CPS or juvenile service concerns and the relative caregiver continues to provide care under a court order. When the child’s voluntary Kinship Care services becomes court ordered a placement episode has begun as defined. This new status is true even though the child has not changed placement providers. As such, the voluntary kinship placement (documented on the Service page) must be ended. The child’s court-ordered placement is documented as part of his or her family case and the placement is documented using the Service Type and Placement Setting of Kinship Care – Court-Ordered must be initiated. The removal date and the placement begin date are to reflect the date the court authorized the court-ordered placement with the relative caregiver. Court ordered kinship care is subject to Federal AFCARS reporting and IV-E Eligibility determinations are done.

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Wraparound Services

Placement documentation for children who are in wraparound-type programs such as Wraparound Milwaukee, Family Partnerships, Inc., and Children Come First, are subject to the same documentation requirements as prescribed above. Based on the unique arrangements made by local agencies with these types of providers, documentation of placement information is to be consistent with local protocol and provider payment arrangements. eWiSACWIS has functionality to streamline payment processes with the prescribed documentation requirements.

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CONTACT INFORMATION

For additional information regarding placement data entry or problems in carrying out placement documentation responsibilities consistent with the direction provided in this manual, please contact the help desk. The help desk can be reached by phone or via e-mail as described below:

Phone: 608.261.4400

Toll-free: 866.335.2180

TTY: 888.845.4160

E-mail: Helpdesk@wi.gov

Note: For e-mail submissions, please use eWiSACWIS in the subject line or in the body of the email.

Provide the help desk agent a brief but informative description of the problem. Information like the Case ID or Provider ID and the name of the page on which the problem occurs will facilitate a quicker response and resolution. (For cases, access reports, and providers, the ID can be found at the top of the respective page.)

Remember that the person taking the call does not know the eWiSACWIS application, so the more detail you can provide the better. Let the help desk agent know if the problem is affecting multiple users. This is especially important for technical problem calls.

HOW DO I'S

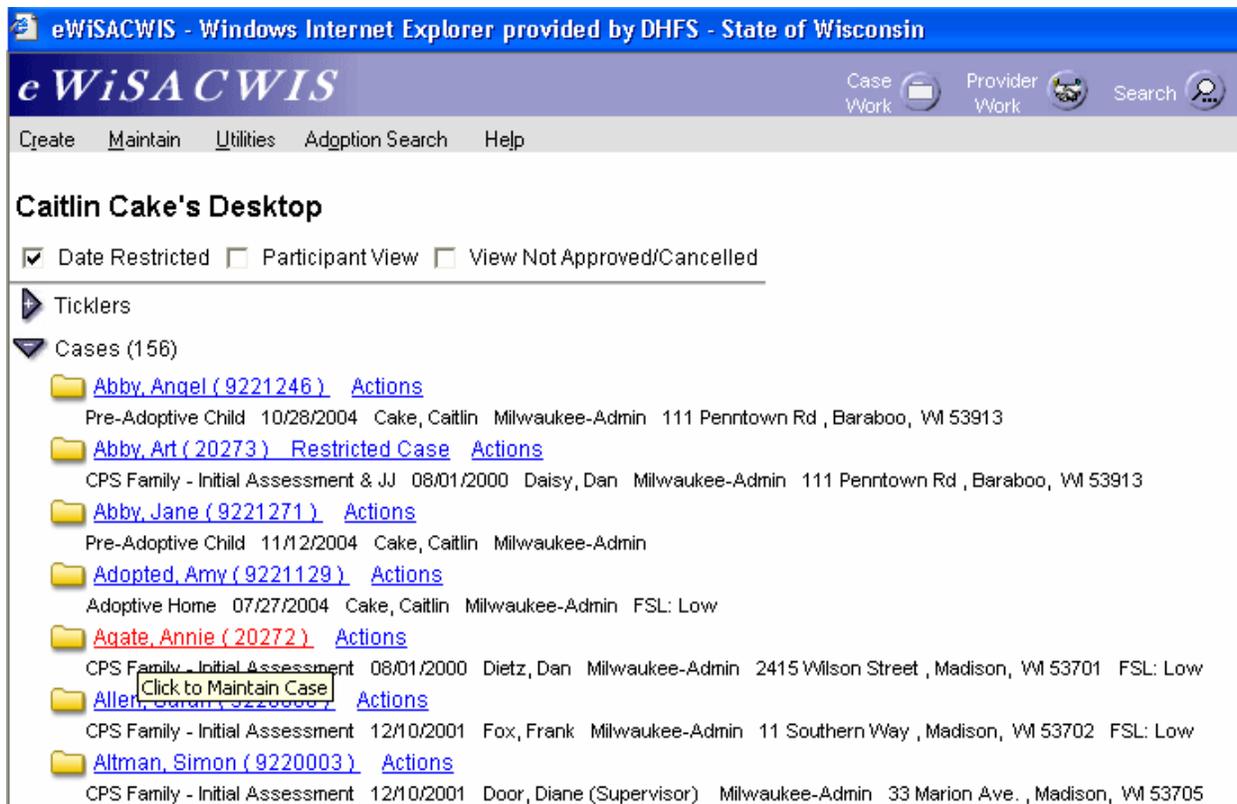
For each of the above Standard and Variable Placement Settings described above, technical instructions on how to document the actual placement setting appropriately are provided in the attached Appendix.

APPENDIX (INDIVIDUAL HOW DO I GUIDES)

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Documenting a Person's Demographics

Accurate documentation of a child's demographic information is critical to successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or Service. This page pulls Adoption and Foster Care (AFCARS) reporting data as well as ties parent to child, which allows pertinent demographic information to populate into legal templates. Most specifically, a child must have his or her date of birth, gender, and mother/father documented before an Out of Home Placement can be completed in the system.



The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS desktop interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the text "eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". Below this is a navigation bar with the "eWiSACWIS" logo and several icons: "Case Work", "Provider Work", and "Search". A menu bar contains "Create", "Maintain", "Utilities", "Adoption Search", and "Help". The main content area is titled "Caitlin Cake's Desktop" and includes several checkboxes: "Date Restricted" (checked), "Participant View" (unchecked), and "View Not Approved/Cancelled" (unchecked). Below this is a "Ticklers" section and a "Cases (156)" section. The "Cases" section lists several cases with their names, dates, and other details:

- [Abby, Angel \(9221246 \)](#) [Actions](#)
Pre-Adoptive Child 10/28/2004 Cake, Caitlin Milwaukee-Admin 111 Penntown Rd , Baraboo, WI 53913
- [Abby, Art \(20273 \)](#) [Restricted Case](#) [Actions](#)
CPS Family - Initial Assessment & JJ 08/01/2000 Daisy, Dan Milwaukee-Admin 111 Penntown Rd , Baraboo, WI 53913
- [Abby, Jane \(9221271 \)](#) [Actions](#)
Pre-Adoptive Child 11/12/2004 Cake, Caitlin Milwaukee-Admin
- [Adopted, Amy \(9221129 \)](#) [Actions](#)
Adoptive Home 07/27/2004 Cake, Caitlin Milwaukee-Admin FSL: Low
- [Agate, Annie \(20272 \)](#) [Actions](#)
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 08/01/2000 Dietz, Dan Milwaukee-Admin 2415 Wilson Street , Madison, WI 53701 FSL: Low
- [Allen, Anthony \(9220007 \)](#) [Actions](#)
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 12/10/2001 Fox, Frank Milwaukee-Admin 11 Southern Way , Madison, WI 53702 FSL: Low
- [Altman, Simon \(9220003 \)](#) [Actions](#)
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 12/10/2001 Door, Diane (Supervisor) Milwaukee-Admin 33 Marion Ave. , Madison, WI 53705

Desktop

Step 1 of 4

- From the eWiSACWIS desktop, click on the case expando.
- Click on the appropriate case name to launch the Maintain Case page.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Case
 Last/Provider: Number: 20272 Status: Open
 First: Initial: Open Date: 08/01/2000

Participants | Address | Collaterals | Closing/Merge History

Basic
 Case Type: Restricted Case
 County: Site/Region: W-2 Region:
 Number of Household Members: CARES Case Number: County Case Number:

Participants

| Name | Hshld | Status | DOB | Gender | Relationship | Legal | Prg | | |
|---|-------|--------|------------|--------|---|-------|-----|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Agate, Alfred | U | Active | 06/23/1999 | Male | <input type="text" value="Biological Child"/> | None | N | DeActivate | Remove |
| Agate, Alfred | Y | Active | 01/01/2002 | Female | <input type="text" value="Biological Child"/> | None | N | DeActivate | Remove |
| Agate, Alice | U | Active | 03/26/2006 | Female | <input type="text" value="Biological Child"/> | None | N | DeActivate | Remove |
| Agate, Ar <input type="button" value="Click to Edit Person"/> | | Active | 08/11/1968 | Female | <input type="text" value="Reference Person"/> | None | N | DeActivate | Remove |

Options:

Maintain Case Page

Step 2 of 4

- On the Maintain Case page, click on the child's name whose date of birth, gender, and mother/father will need to be documented. This will launch the Person Management page for that child.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

The screenshot shows the 'Person Management' page for 'Agate, Alice' with ID 20988. The 'Basic' tab is active, displaying the following information:

- Name:** ID: 20988, Prefix: [dropdown], First Name: Alice, MI: [dropdown], Last Name: Agate, Suffix: [dropdown]
- Basic Information:**
 - Gender: Female [dropdown]
 - US Citizen Status: U.S. Citizen [dropdown]
 - County Person ID: [text box]
 - Birth Date: 03/26/2006
 - Citizenship Verification: Birth Certificate [dropdown]
 - SSN: 123-45-6789
 - Commitment#: -
 - Birth Place: Madison, WI
 - Death Date: 00/00/0000
 - Wisconsin Resident: Yes [dropdown]
 - Identity: [dropdown]
 - HSRS ID: [text box]
 - Religion: [dropdown]
 - Marital Status: Single Female [dropdown]
 - MCI ID: [text box]
 - Primary Language: English [dropdown]
 - Interpreter Required
- Race/Ethnicity/Tribal Identification:**
 - Race: White [dropdown]
 - Ethnicity: Caucasian [dropdown]
 - Hispanic/Latino: No
 - Indian Tribe: [dropdown]
 - Indian Tribe 2: [dropdown]
 - Clan: [text box]
 - Clan 2: [text box]
 - Status: [dropdown]
 - Status 2: [dropdown]
 - Tribal Membership #: [text box]
 - Tribal Membership # 2: [text box]
- Adoption Information:**
 - Child was previously Adopted: No [dropdown]
 - Type of Adoption: Details [dropdown]
 - Age Adopted: [dropdown]
 - Pre-Adoptive Relationship to Child: [dropdown]
 - Child Receives WI Adoption Assistance
 - Options: [dropdown]
 -

Person Management Page > Basic Tab

Step 3 of 4

- On the Basic tab of the Person Management page, complete the child's Gender, Birth Date, SSN, Race and Ethnicity fields.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Person Management Page > Parent Info Tab

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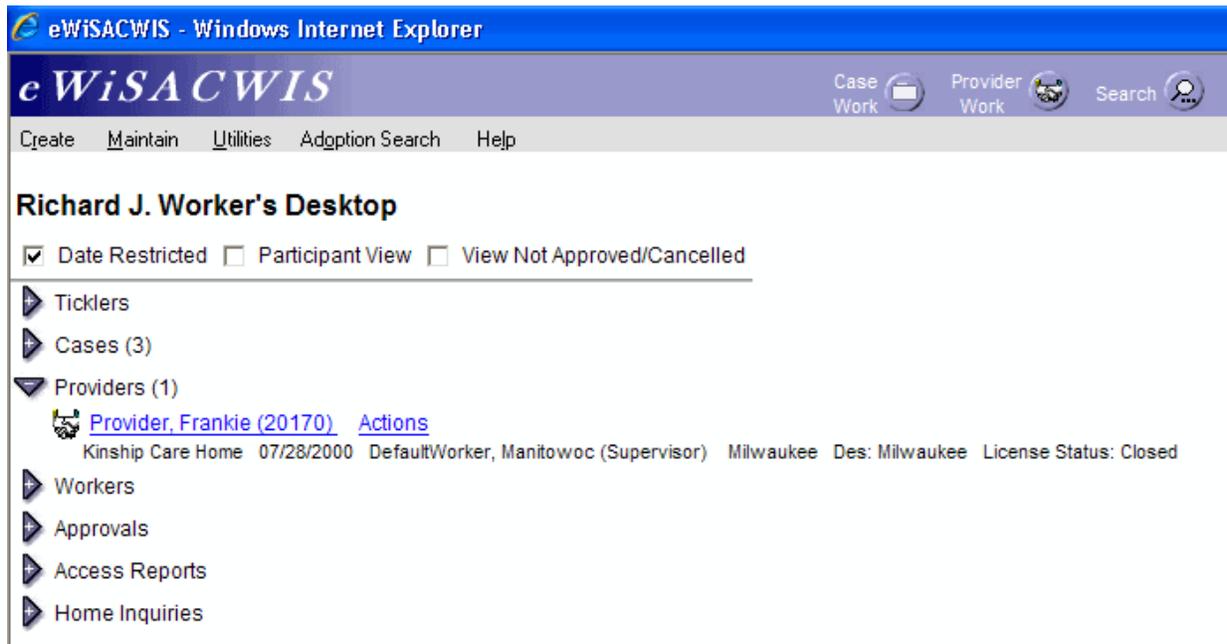
- From the Person Management page, select the Parent Info tab.
- Click the Search hyperlink next to Child's Mother and/or Child's Father to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate person.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the person you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Parent Info tab and (depending on which hyperlink you selected) will populate the person you selected into the Child's Mother or Child's Father field.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Person Management page.
- Click Close on the Maintain Case page.

Note: Completing the information above will ensure the CFS-2123T form (created during the completion of the child's Title IV-E Determination record) pre-fills correctly.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Adding Service Types to Document an Out of Home Placement or Service

Before an Out of Home Placement or Service can be documented, it is critical to first attach the appropriate service type to the provider record.



Desktop

Step 1 of 4

- From your eWiSACWIS desktop, click on the provider expando.
- Click on the appropriate provider name for the provider in which you will be creating the Out of Home Placement or Service. This will open either the Home Provider page or the Private Provider page.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Home Provider
eWISACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Basic
 Name: Frankie Provider (20170) Open Date: 07/28/2000 Type: Kinship Care Home Status: Open
 Lcns. Type: Not Licensed Lcns. Agency: Not Licensed Restricted Provider

Home Members Characteristics **Services** Training License Activity Closing History

Provider Preferences
 Max # of Placements Preferred: 4
 Males Preferred: 4
 Females Preferred: 4
 Age: From: 0 To: 18

Provider Details
 Total Bed Capacity: 4

| | Male | Female | Total |
|---------------|------|--------|-------|
| Capacity: | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Placements: | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Reservations: | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vacancies: | 3 | 3 | 2 |

Service Specifics
 All Counties Milwaukee [Edit Unlicensed Services](#)

Active Unlicensed Services

| Category | Type | Click to Edit Unlicensed Services |
|----------|------|-----------------------------------|
| | | |

Options:

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Home Provider Page > Services Tab

Step 2 of 4

- To attach unlicensed services to a home provider, click on the Services tab.
- In the Service Specifics group box, click on the Edit Unlicensed Services hyperlink.

Note: All services types except foster home are identified as unlicensed services. To add licensed services to foster homes, contact your foster care coordinator.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Private Provider - Windows Internet Explorer

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Basic

Name: ABC Shelter (9221489) Open Date: 01/08/2008 Type: Group Home Status: Open

Lcns. Type: Licensed by State of WI Lcns. Agency: Licensing Agency Restricted Provider

Provider | **Characteristics** | **Services** | **Closing History**

Provider Preferences

Max # of Placements Preferred: 8

Males Preferred: 8

Females Preferred: 8

Age: From: 0 To: 17

Provider Details

Total Bed Capacity: 8

| | Male | Female | Total |
|---------------|------|--------|-------|
| Capacity: | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Placements: | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Reservations: | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vacancies: | 14 | 15 | 14 |

Active Services

County: Milwaukee [Edit Services](#)

| Category | Type | Status |
|-----------------------------------|------|--------|
| Click to Edit Unlicensed Services | | |

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Private Provider Page > Services Tab

Step 3 of 4

- To attach unlicensed services to a private provider, click on the Services tab.
- In the Active Services group box, click on the Edit Services hyperlink.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Provider Name: Provider, Frankie (20170) Total Bed Capacity: 10 County: Milwaukee

| Category | Type | Status | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Kinship - Court Ordered | Kinship Care-Court Ordered | Active | Delete |

Options: Service Rate Go

Insert Save Close

Edit Unlicensed Services Page

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Insert button.
- Select the Category, Type, and update the Status from Inactive to Active.
- Click Save and then Close on the Edit Unlicensed Services page.
- Return to the Home Provider or Private Provider page and click Close.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Creating the IV-E Eligibility Record in eWiSACWIS

Note: Complete the appropriate (initial removal from home) Out of Home Placement. Upon final approval of the Out of Home Placement, eWiSACWIS will automatically and immediately generate an Eligibility icon and associated Title IV-E Eligibility Determination line for the child and also send the referral to the Eligibility Unit.

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eWiSACWIS Case Work Provider Work Search

Create Maintain Utilities Adoption Search Help

Caitlin Cake's Desktop

Date Restricted Participant View View Not Approved/Cancelled

Ticklers

Cases (156)

- Abby, Angel (9221246) Actions
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- Abby, Art (20273) Restricted Case Actions
CPS Family - Initial Assessment & JJ 08/01/2000 Daisy, Dan Milwaukee-Admin 111 Penntown Rd , Baraboo, WI 53913
- Abby, Jane (9221271) Actions
Pre-Adoptive Child 11/12/2004 Cake, Caitlin Milwaukee-Admin
- Agate, Annie (20272) Actions
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 08/01/2000 Dietz, Dan Milwaukee-Admin 2415 Wilson Street , Madison, WI 53701 FSL: Low

- Access Reports
- Administration
- Assessment
- Assets and Income
- Assignment
- Eligibility
 - Title IV-E Eligibility Determination 08/01/2009 Agate, Alfred
 - Title IV-E Eligibility Determination 08/01/2009 Agate, Alice
- Trust Account-General Agate, Alfred Milwaukee
- Trust Account-General Agate, Alice Milwaukee

- File Cabinet
- Legal
- Ongoing Services
- Payment
- Placements

Desktop > Eligibility Icon

Step 1 of 2

- From your eWiSACWIS desktop, click on the case folder icon for the case in which you've just created the (initial removal from home) Out of Home Placement.
- Click on the Eligibility icon to expand it and then click on the Title IV-E Eligibility Determination line for the child you have just placed. This will open the Eligibility page for that child.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

The screenshot shows the 'Eligibility' page in the eWiSACWIS system. At the top, there are navigation icons for 'Print', 'Spell Check', and 'Help'. Below the header, the 'Eligibility' section displays case details: Child Name: [Agate, Alice \(20988\)](#), Case Name: [Agate, Annie \(20272\)](#), DOB: 03/26/2006, MCI ID, SSN: 321-24-3513, Eligibility ID: 9221358, and Title IV-E Removal Date: 08/01/2009.

The 'Removal Information' tab is active, showing 'Removal from Home Information'. Key fields include:

- Age at Removal: 3
- Turning 19 on: 03/26/2025
- Anticipated Graduation Date: (empty)
- Removal from Home was: Court Ordered, VPA
- Petition/TPC Request Date: 00/00/0000 (with Search button)
- Court Order Date: 00/00/0000 (with Search button)
- Signature Date: 00/00/0000
- VPA Removal Date: 00/00/0000
- Days of VPA: (empty)
- VPA To: 00/00/0000
- Child Removed from home of: Mother, Father, Both, Other
- Date Last Lived with Relative: 00/00/0000
- Name: Agate, Annie
- Relationship to Child: Mother (dropdown)
- Removal Type: (dropdown)
- Eligibility Month: 00/0000
- Completed

Below this section is 'AFDC Household Information' with a right-pointing arrow. An 'Actions' menu is open, showing options: 'Deprivation', 'Text', and 'IV-E Referral Form - CFS-2123T' (which is highlighted). At the bottom left, there is an 'Options:' dropdown menu with a 'Go' button. At the bottom right, there are 'Save' and 'Close' buttons.

Eligibility Page > Basic Tab

Step 2 of 2

- Select Options > IV-E Referral Form – CFS-2123T and click Go. Complete the CFS-2123T form and click Close and Return to eWiSACWIS.
- Click Close on the Eligibility page.

Note: By following the steps above, the system will automatically assign this case and send an e-mail to the Eligibility Unit.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Ending an Out of Home Placement or Service in eWiSACWIS

A case will not be able to be closed unless the placement ending reason and date of the last placement setting documented on the Out of Home Placement page has a corresponding discharge reason selected for each child who has been in placement. This rule applies to all situations except those placements ended for reason of Transfer to Adoptions, where the child is subsequently transferred to the state special needs adoption program. In these instances, the case can be closed even though the placement end reason is not a discharge from all placements.

Below is a listing of the placement Ending Reasons used on the Service Ending page and how they filter by placement Ending Purpose.

Placement Ending Reasons and Structure Key

Administrative Change w/in Placement Episode- refers to legal, fiscal or administrative transactions; generally these values are either system-driven or used for Adoption Assistance or Kinship Care cases.

| |
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| Adoption Assistance |
| Adoption by Foster Family |
| Adoption by Non-Relative |
| Adoption by Relative |
| Child No Longer Living with Relative |
| Child Receiving SSI |
| Death of Adoptive Parent(s) |
| Duplicate Provider Clean-up |
| Fiscal Cleanup |
| Lost Contact with Provider |
| Out of Home & Parent Not Supporting |
| Parent Incarcerated |
| Placement Made in Error |
| Prvd Not Able to be Licensed/Certified |
| Verification of Support Requested |

Agency Transfer within Placement Episode- refers to placements where the child remains in care by the responsible agency changes, i.e. transfer from county to county or from county to adoptions.

| |
|---|
| Transfer to Adoptions - Eastern Region |
| Transfer to Adoptions - Milwaukee |
| Transfer to Adoptions - Southern Region |
| Transfer to Adoptions - Western Region |
| Transfer to County (County list) |

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Placement Change within Placement Episode- refers to placement changes from one provider to another while the child remains in the same placement episode.

| |
|---|
| Adoption Disruption |
| Agency Requested Change |
| Child Committed to Other State Inst. |
| Child in Correctional Fac. w/Aftercare |
| Child Placed in Detention |
| Child Requested Change |
| Missing From OHC - Not Closing Case |
| Parent/Relative/Guardian Requested Change |
| Provider No Longer Licensed |
| Provider Requested Change |
| Trial Reunification |

Discharge from Placement Episode- refers to placements that end with no subsequent placement by the agency or the court. In these instances the child is exiting placement to a permanent outcome and the agency is no longer responsible for the child's physical custody; the child may remain under court supervision, but is no longer in placement. A subsequent placement is counted as a re-entry to out of home care.

| |
|--|
| Child in Correctional Fac. NO Aftercare |
| Custody Transfer to Licensed Priv Agency |
| Death of Child |
| Entered Military Service |
| Independent Living |
| Marriage |
| Missing From OHC - Closing Case |
| Over 18 and Graduated |
| Permanent Placement with Relative |
| Reunification w/Parent(s)/Primary Crtrkr |
| Transfer of Guardianship Non-Relative |
| Transfer of Guardianship Relative |
| Turned 18 |
| Turned 18 and not in School |
| Turned 18 Non Supp Prnt(s) |
| Turned 19 |

Placement Discharge and Discharge Date

The placement episode ends with the date the child exits placement.

The Ending Purpose is considered a discharge from the placement when the ending is a permanent outcome, i.e. reunification with parent/relative or adoption.

The End Reason describes how the individual's placement came to be a discharge from all placements.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

The Discharge Reason field further identifies (if necessary) how the ending of the placement is considered an ending of all placements.

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer' window with the 'eWiSACWIS' logo. The 'Child' section at the top identifies 'Altman, Sammie (9226767)' with Case Name 'Altman, Simon (9220003)'. The 'Service' tab is active, and the 'Provider' sub-tab is selected. The 'Placement Information' section includes fields for County (Milwaukee), Removed From Home (02/04/2011), Placement Begin (02/04/2011), Placement End (00/00/0000), and VPA Effective (00/00/0000). The 'Service Category' is 'Foster Care', Service Type is 'Foster Home (12-14 yrs)', and Placement Setting is 'Treatment Foster Home - Non-Relative'. Child's Level of Need and Provider's Level of Care are both set to 3. Cost fields show Child Specific Costs at \$0.00, Current Basic Costs at \$455.00 per month, and Supplemental, Exceptional, and Administrative Costs at \$0.00. The 'Removal Reasons' section has several checkboxes, with 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement' checked. An 'Options' dropdown menu is open, showing 'Placement Ending' selected. The browser's status bar at the bottom indicates 'Internet | Protected Mode: Off' and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 1 of 2

- From the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page select Options > Placement Ending and click Go.

Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings (Out of Home Placements and Services)

Child
Child: Altman, Sammie (9226767) Case: Altman, Simon (9220003)
Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170) Service Begin: 02/04/2011

Service Ending

End Date: 04/15/2011

Ending Purpose: Discharge from Placement Episode

End Reason: Reunification w/ Parent(s)/Primary Crtr

Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements?
 Yes No N/A

Discharge Reason: Reunification w/ Parent(s)/Primary Crtr

Override

Options: []

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Service Ending Page

Step 2 of 2

- On the Service Ending page enter the correct End Date.
- Select an Ending Purpose that accurately reflects why the placement ended (See Ending Purpose Descriptions in the Key Placement Terms and Definitions section of this manual).
- Select an End Reason. Note that the list of values filters based on the Ending Purpose that you chose initially. The End Reason that you choose will automatically record a Yes to the question: “Is the End of This Child’s Placement a Discharge from All Placements?”
- If the Child’s Placement is a Discharge from All Placements, you must also record the appropriate Discharge Reason.
- To approve the Placement Ending and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then Close on the Service Ending page.
- Click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

When documenting a placement for a child in eWiSACWIS who is receiving funds from CIP, COP or Children's Waiver, you must enter the placement on the Out of Home Placement page. If the placement is in a foster home or treatment foster home, the full cost of care must be recorded using the Foster Care Rate page.

Funds that are received from CIP, COP or Children's Waiver to offset the child's cost of care must be documented in eWiSACWIS as a trust account benefit type. Each month the agency's trust account manager must record the CIP, COP, Children's Waiver monies received as well as the amount of the required local match on the General Trust Account page, Ledger tab.

Note: Because of the high amount of funding that is received from a CIP/COP placement, a deposit in excess of the Maximum Spending Limit may issue a Spend Down Tickler to the assigned Trust Account Manager. Also eWiSACWIS will flag a child on the Trust Account Current Balance report (r-FM0701/r-FM0705) as spend down required. This spend down tickler is issued to highlight accounts where children have excess funds, which may affect eligibility. However, this tickler will automatically be removed when the monthly draw-down batch inserts withdrawal entries to offset the cost of care. It is important that the Trust Account Manager monitors this information, and ensures the funding is applied toward the cost of care.

The following pages will document the example of a Foster Home placement. Following the documentation of the placement and rate setting will be an example of creating and maintaining the Trust Account page for a CIP/COP/Child Waiver child.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

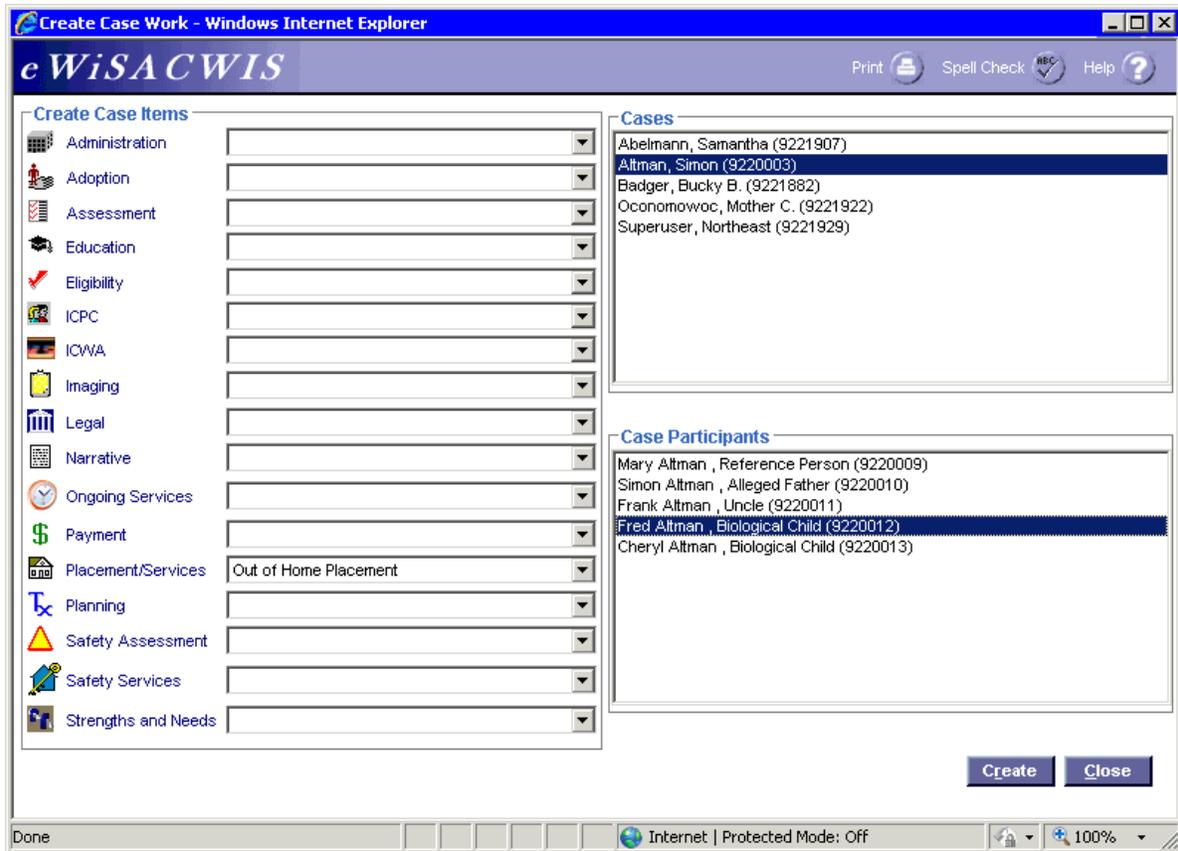
Also note that as part of the placement documentation, the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Foster Home Placements with CIP/COP Funding

A foster home is a home provider. Foster homes are paid using the Uniform Foster Care Rate. Any payment over the basic rate must be documented on the Foster Care Rate page.



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 5

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/15/2002

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting:

Child's Level of Need:

Provider's Level of Care:

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs:

Exceptional Costs:

Administrative Costs:

Costs > Spending Limit:

Current Monthly Payment:

Options: Save Close

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 5

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Foster Care.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate foster home service type based upon the child's current age.
- The Placement Setting field will be enabled after you have searched out a provider (See step 4 on page 38).
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

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Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement Administrative Costs:
 This is an Emergency Situation Costs > Spending Limit:
 After Hours Placement Current Monthly Payment:
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information
Manner: [dropdown] **Primary Caretaker:** [dropdown]
Caretaker Structure: [dropdown] **Secondary Caretaker:** [dropdown]

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral
Referral applies to: [Both parents dropdown]
Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [dropdown] **Save** **Close**

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 5

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' window in the eWiSACWIS system. The window title is 'Out of Home Placement' and the application logo is 'eWiSACWIS'. The top navigation bar includes 'Child', 'Service', and 'Provider' tabs, with 'Provider' currently selected. The 'Child' information section shows: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), and Request Number: (empty). The 'Provider Information' section includes: Name: Foster Home (with a 'Search' hyperlink), ID: 9221098, and Contact: (empty). Address details include: Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable): (empty), C/O: (empty), Street: 111 W. Wilson St., City: Madison, State: WI, Zip: 53703, Country: United States, Phone: (608)555-9988, Ext: (empty), Fax: (empty), Alt Phone: (empty), and Alt Ext: (empty). Email: (empty). The 'Payment Information' section shows: Parent Agency: Foster Home, Target Pop: CHIPS - Other (NYA - 64) (with a 'Details' link), and an unchecked 'Override Parent Agency rule' checkbox. The 'Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed' is \$0.00. The 'School District Information' section shows: Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269. The 'Kinship Care' section shows: Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider: (empty). At the bottom, there is an 'Options:' dropdown, a 'Go' button, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Trusted sites', and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 5

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- If there is a name other than the foster home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the foster home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the "eWiSACWIS" application. The page is for "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)" and "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)". The "Service" tab is selected, showing "Placement Information".

Child Information:
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Tab:
Service: **Provider**

Placement Information:

| | | | |
|---|------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| County: | Milwaukee | Service Category: | Foster Care |
| Removed From Home: | 09/15/2002 | Service Type: | Foster Home (12-14 years old) |
| Placement Begin: | 02/04/2011 | Placement Setting: | Fstr Fam Hm (Non-Rel) |
| Placement End: | 00/00/0000 | Child's Level of Need: | |
| VPA Effective: | 00/00/0000 | Provider's Level of Care: | 2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> This is an Adoptive Placement | | Child Specific Costs: | \$0.00 per |
| <input type="checkbox"/> This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement | | Current Basic Costs: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> This is an Emergency Situation | | Supplemental Costs: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> After Hours Placement | | Exceptional Costs: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute. | | Administrative Costs: | |
| | | Costs > Spending Limit: | |
| | | Current Monthly Payment: | |

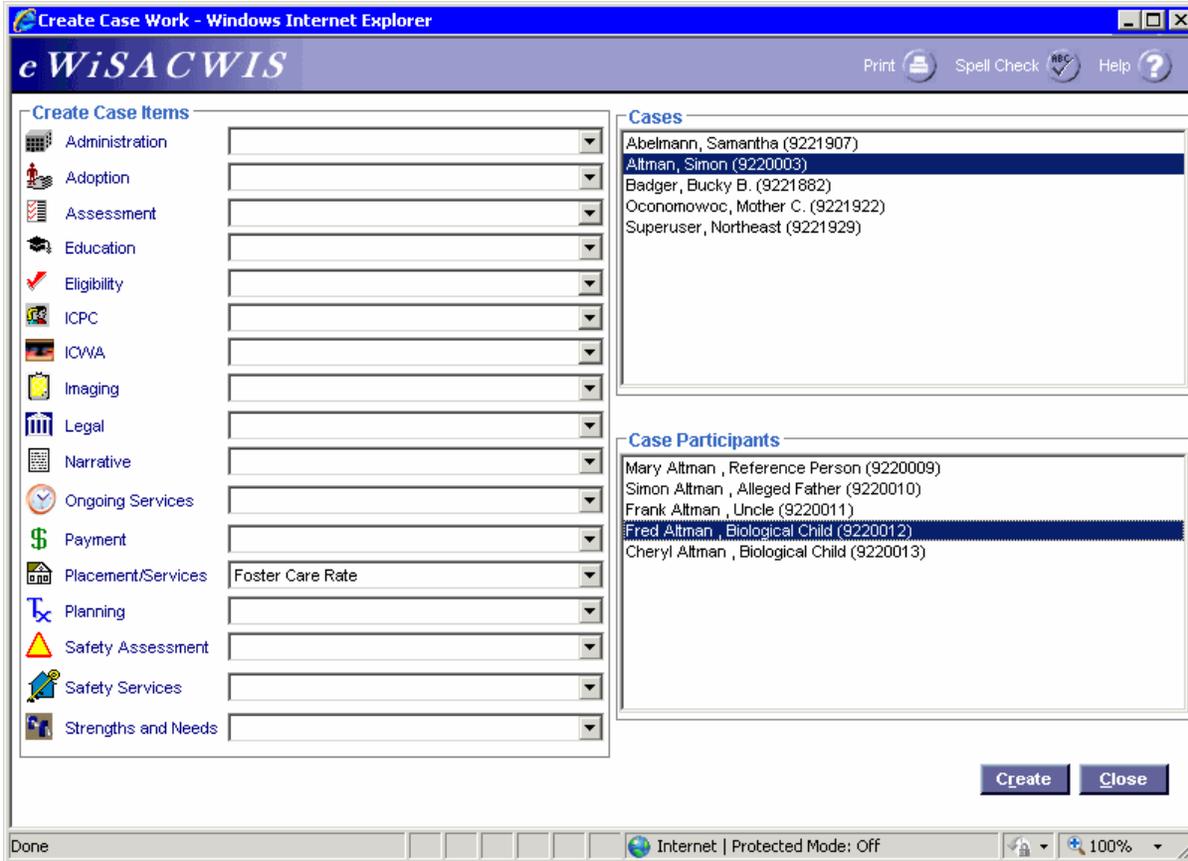
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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 5

- In the Placement Setting field, choose the appropriate value of Foster Family Home (Non-Relative) or Foster Family Home (Relative).
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 2

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Foster Care Rate > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Foster Care Rate - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Participant Information

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Rate Effective Date: 02/04/2011
Case: Altman, Simon (9220003) Rate End Date: 00/00/0000
Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170)

Supplemental Rate

CANS Effective Date: 02/04/2011
CANS End Date: 08/04/2011
Child's Level of Need: 3
Provider Level of Care: 3
Supplemental Points: 19 \$104.50
LONLOC Value:

Uniform Foster Care Rate

Current Basic Costs: \$455.00
Supplemental Costs: \$104.50
Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
Administrative Costs: \$75.00
Cost > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Total Monthly Costs: \$684.50

Administrative

Administrative: \$75.00

Exceptional Rate

Transportation to School of Origin: \$0.00
 Exceptional Costs: \$50.00

Payment Justification:
justify monthly exceptional costs here...

Monthly Payment Explanation

Options: [Dropdown] [Go] [Save] [Close]

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Foster Care Rate Page

Step 2 of 2

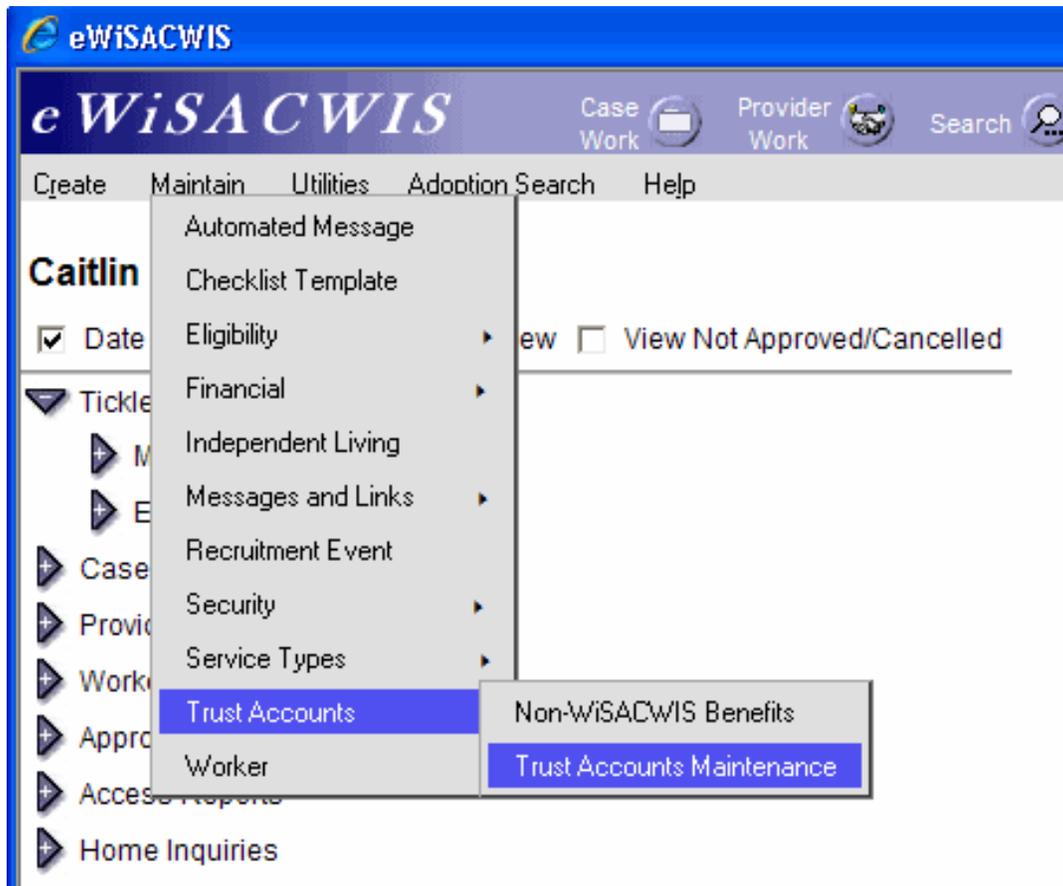
Note: In order to pay a foster home a rate above the basic rate, the worker must complete the Foster Care Rate page and send it to your agency's Rate Setter for approval.

- Enter the Rate Effective Date. The rate cannot be prior to the Effective Date of the CANS. Once a date is entered, the page will refresh to bring in the Supplemental Rate information from the CANS, as well as the Current Basic Costs.
- Enter any applicable costs in the Exceptional Rate group box. If either checkbox is selected in the Exceptional Rate group box, justify the exceptional costs by completing the Payment Justification.
- Once all amounts have been entered, click the Save button to update the amounts in the Uniform Foster Care Rate group box.
- To approve the rate setting and send it to the agency's Rate Setter for approval choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Foster Care Rate page.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Trust Account Management for a Child Receiving CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Monies

A Trust Account (General) is created automatically by the system when a child enters a claimable placement type. Once the placement of the child is documented in eWiSACWIS, the Trust Account Manager accesses the trust account and inserts a Benefit Record for the monies received and maintains the account information on the Ledger.



Desktop (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 1 of 7

- From the Desktop, select Maintain > Trust Accounts > Trust Accounts Maintenance.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Trust Account Maintenance - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS Print Spell Check Help

County Case

Search Criteria

County: Milwaukee TA Type: All Hold Status: All Over Limit: All

Last Name: Person ID: SSN:

Clear Fields Search

Search Results

| Person | Prsn ID | Acct Type | Current Balance | Pending Reimb Cost of Care | Total Cost of Care | Benefit on Hold | Over Limit | County |
|--------|---------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------|--------|
|--------|---------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------|--------|

Options: Close

Done Local intranet

Trust Account Maintenance Page (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 2 of 7

- Enter the Last Name or SSN for the child and then click the Search button.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS web application interface. At the top, the browser title is "Trust Account Maintenance - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application header includes the logo "eWiSACWIS" and navigation links for "Print", "Spell Check", and "Help". Below the header, there are tabs for "County" and "Case". The "Search Criteria" section contains several dropdown menus: "County" (Milwaukee), "TA Type" (All), "Hold Status" (All), and "Over Limit" (All). There are also input fields for "Last Name" (abby), "Person ID", and "SSN". Below the search criteria, it indicates "Record 1 to 4 of 4" and provides "Clear Fields" and "Search" buttons. The "Search Results" section displays a table with the following data:

| Person | Prsn ID | Acct Type | Current Balance | Pending Reimb Cost of Care | Total Cost of Care | Benefit on Hold | Over Limit | County | |
|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Abby, Angel A. | 20997 | General | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | N | N | Milwaukee | Edit |
| Abby, Annabel | 9218549 | General | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | N | N | Milwaukee | Edit |
| Abby, Art | 20998 | General | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | N | N | Milwaukee | Edit |
| Abby, Simon | 9218548 | General | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | N | N | Milwaukee | Edit |

At the bottom of the search results, there is an "Options:" dropdown menu and a "Close" button. The browser status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Local intranet".

Trust Account Maintenance Page (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 3 of 7

- From the Search Results, click on the Edit hyperlink for the child you want to work with.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Trust Account - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation links for "Print", "Spell Check", and "Help".

Person Information box

Name: Abby, Annabel Child ID: 9218549 SSN Child: 789-79-7955 General Trust Acct #: 9221008
Bank: Firststar - Milwaukee - General 12121212 Current Balance: \$0.00 Reimbursable Cost of Care: \$0.00 Total Cost of Care: \$0.00

Benefit Record | **Ledger**

Trust Account Benefit Record

| Type | Federal ID# | Effct. Date | Benefit Available for: | On Hold | Hold Date | Release Date | |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------|---|
| Child Support | 789-79-7955 | 01/22/2008 | All Outstanding | <input type="checkbox"/> | 00/00/0000 | 00/00/0000 | Edit Delete |

Options: [Dropdown]

Done Trusted sites

Trust Account Page > Benefit Record Tab (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 4 of 7

- Click Insert to access the Maintain Benefit Record pop-up page.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Person Information box
Name: Abby, Annabel Child ID: 9218549 SSN Child: Trust Acct #: 9221008

Maintain Benefit Record

Type: Other - CIP, AODA etc. Effective Date: 08/01/2008 Hold Date: Release Date:

Federal ID: 123-45-6789012345 Benefit is available for All Outstanding cost of care expenses [View Explanation of Benefit](#)

Description: Enter description here

[Continue](#) [Close](#)

Maintain Benefit Record Page (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 5 of 7

- In the Type field, select Other – CIP, AODA, etc. Note the “Benefit is available for” field defaults to “All Outstanding.”
- Enter the Effective Date (when the benefit became available for the county to use against its outstanding cost of care).
- Complete the rest of the fields with available data.
- Click Continue to return to the Benefit Record tab.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Trust Account - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application header is "eWiSACWIS" with navigation links for "Print", "Spell Check", and "Help".

Person Information box

Name: Abby, Annabel Child ID: 9218549 SSN Child: 789-79-7955 General Trust Acct #: 9221008
Bank: Firstar - Milwaukee - General 12121212 Current Balance: \$0.00 Reimbursable Cost of Care: \$0.00 Total Cost of Care: \$0.00

Navigation tabs: **Benefit Record** | **Ledger**

Account Information

View By: All (dropdown) From: 00/00/0000 To: 00/00/0000 Search

Transaction Ledger Listing

| Date | Trans Type | Amount | Detail | Pmnt ID | Service Month | Benefit Type | Reimb Detail | Reversal | Trans Grp |
|------|------------|--------|--------|---------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------|-----------|
|------|------------|--------|--------|---------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------|-----------|

Options: (dropdown) Go Save Close Create

Browser status bar: Done Trusted sites

Trust Account Page > Ledger Tab (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 6 of 7

- When benefits are received and need to be recorded, click Create to access the Maintain Ledger Record pop-up page.

CIP/COP/Children's Waiver Funding Placements

Maintain Ledger Record -- Web Page Dialog

eWiSACWIS Print Spell Check Help

Person Information

Name: Abby, Annabel Child ID: 9218549 SSN Child: 789-79-7955 General Trust Acct #: 9221008

Maintain Ledger Record

Date: 08/01/2008 Benefit Type: Other - CIP, AODA etc. Ledger Entry Type: Deposit

Amount: \$425.00 Check ID: Detail: Adjustment

Description:

Insert

Save Close

Maintain Ledger Record Page (Trust Account – General Account)

Step 7 of 7

- On the Maintain Ledger Record page complete all needed fields.
- In the Benefit Type field, select Other – CIP, AODA etc.
- When all data is entered click Save and Close to return to the Ledger tab.
- Click Close.

Foster Home Placements

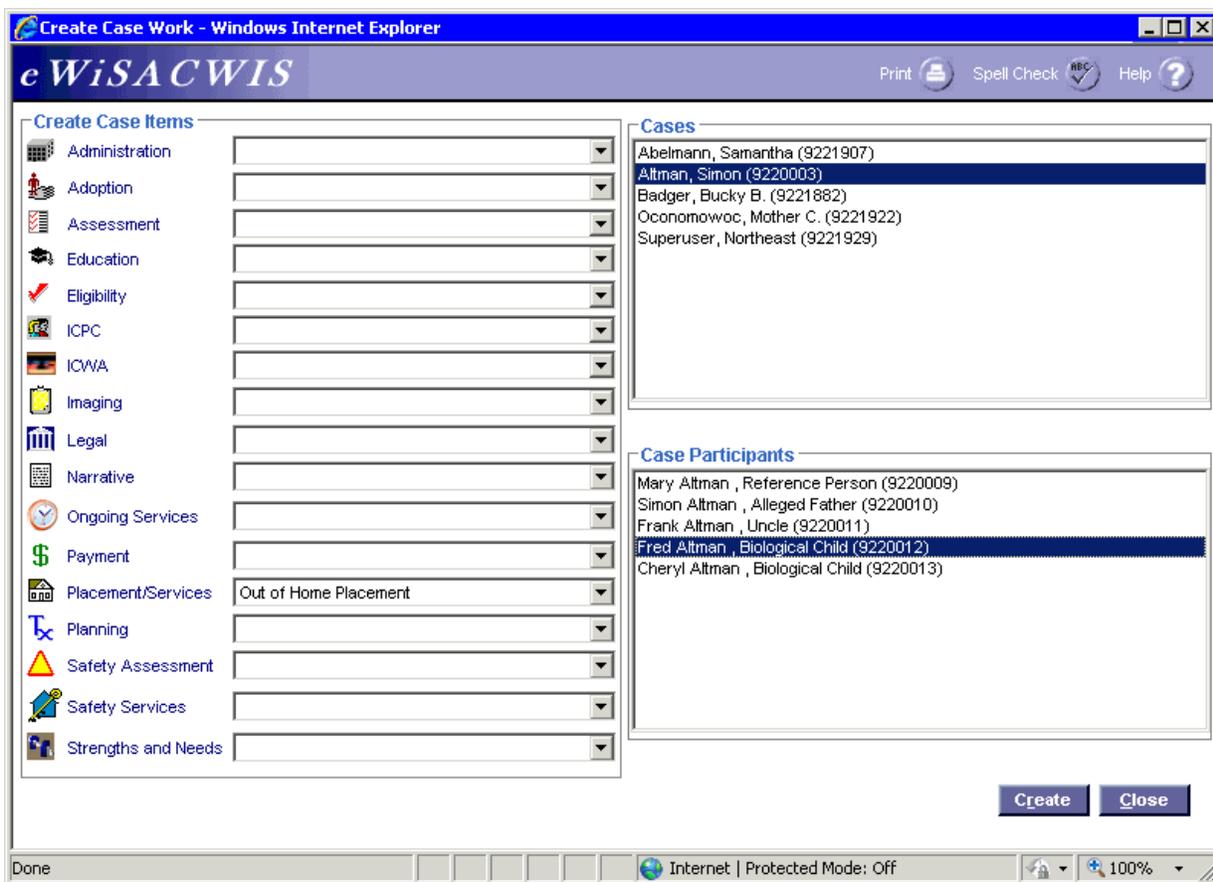
A foster home is a home provider. Foster homes are paid using the Uniform Foster Care Rate. Any payment over the basic rate must be documented on the Foster Care Rate page. The supplemental amount is determined by a completed Child & Adolescent Needs & Strengths (CANS).

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Foster Home Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 5

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Foster Home Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the "eWiSACWIS" application. The page is for a child named "Altman, Fred (9220012)" with case name "Altman, Simon (9220003)". The "Service" tab is active, showing "Placement Information" for a "Foster Care" placement in "Milwaukee" county, starting on "02/04/2011". The interface includes various input fields for dates, costs, and placement settings, along with checkboxes for placement types like "Adoptive Placement" and "Emergency Situation".

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 5

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Foster Care.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate foster home service type based upon the child's current age. If the child is in a Level 1 Foster Home, select Foster Home (Level 1).
- The Placement Setting field will be enabled after you have searched out a provider (See step 4 on page 53).
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA Quick Reference Guide for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Foster Home Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the eWiSACWIS application. The page header includes the eWiSACWIS logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Child Information:** Fields for "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:".
- Service/Provider Tabs:** Two tabs are visible, with "Provider" currently selected.
- Placement Type Selections:** A list of checkboxes for "This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement", "This is an Emergency Situation", "After Hours Placement", and "Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.".
- Administrative Costs:** Fields for "Administrative Costs:", "Costs > Spending Limit:", and "Current Monthly Payment:".
- Child Removal From Home Information:** Fields for "Manner:", "Caretaker Structure:", "Primary Caretaker:", and "Secondary Caretaker:", each with a dropdown menu.
- KIDS Referral Section:** A dropdown menu for "KIDS Referral" is set to "Both parents". Below it are three questions with radio button options for "Yes" and "No":
 - "Is this referral in the best interest of the child?" (Yes selected)
 - "Is this placement expected to be long term?" (No selected)
 - "Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services?" (No selected)
- Options:** A dropdown menu and a "Go" button.
- Buttons:** "Save" and "Close" buttons.

The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done", "Internet | Protected Mode: Off", and a zoom level of "100%".

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 5

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Foster Home Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into tabs: "Child" and "Provider". The "Child" tab is active, displaying "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". Below this, the "Provider" tab is selected, showing "Provider Information".

Provider Information

Name: Frankie Provider [Search](#) ID: 20170 Contact:

Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):

C/O:

Street: 1234 Apt:

City: Menomonee Falls State: WI Zip: 53051 Country: United States

Phone: Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:

Email:

Payment Information

Parent Agency: Frankie Provider

Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)

Override Parent Agency rule

Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed:

School District Information

Provider's School District Code: Menomonee Falls - 3437

Kinship Care

Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment

Options: [Go](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 5

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- If there is a name other than the foster home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the foster home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.

Foster Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWISACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/15/2002

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting: Fstr Fam Hm (Non-Rel)

Child's Level of Need:
Provider's Level of Care: 2

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs:

Exceptional Costs:

Administrative Costs:

Costs > Spending Limit:

Current Monthly Payment:

Options:

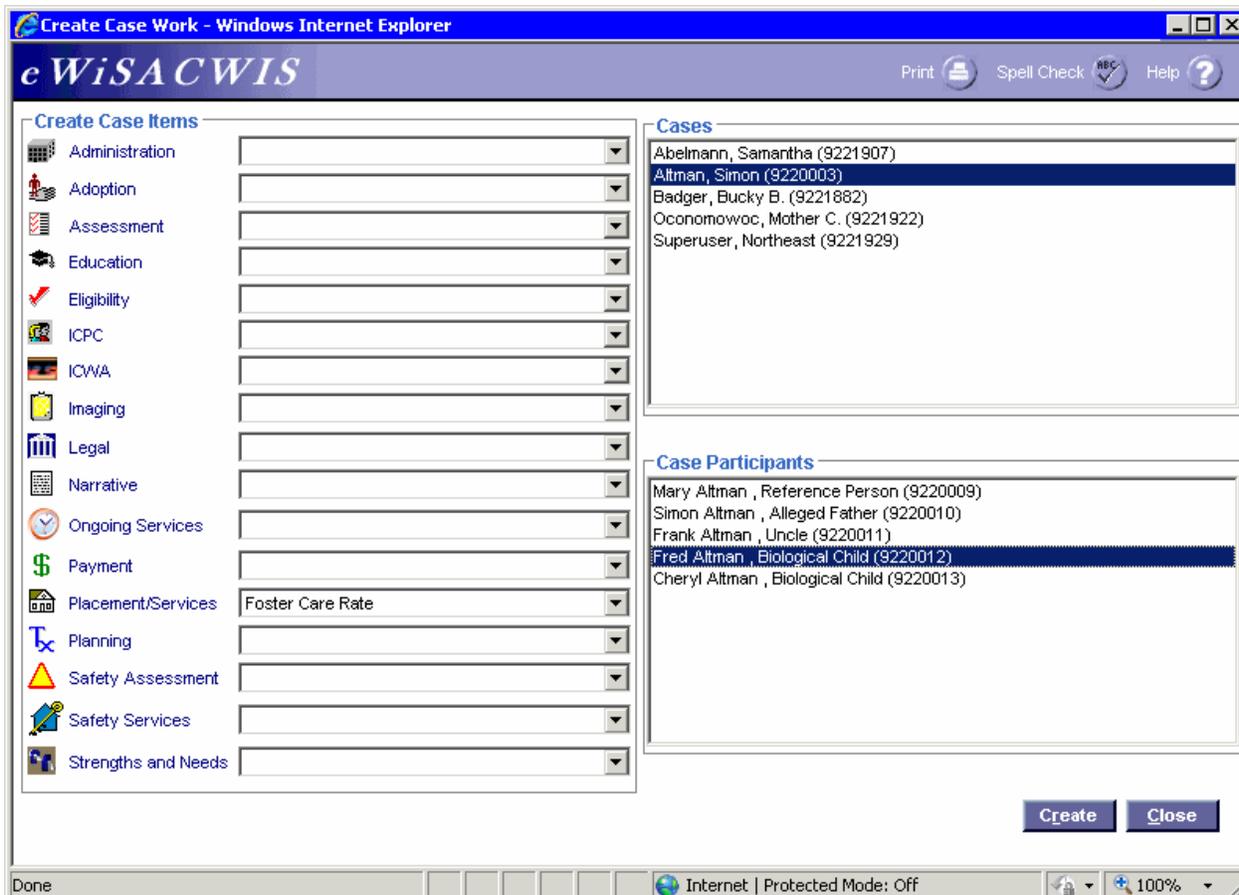
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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 5

- In the Placement Setting field, choose the appropriate value of Foster Family Home (Non-Relative) or Foster Family Home (Relative).
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Foster Home Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 2

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Foster Care Rate > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Foster Home Placements

Participant Information

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Rate Effective Date: 02/04/2011
Case: Altman, Simon (9220003) Rate End Date: 00/00/0000
Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170)

Supplemental Rate

CANS Effective Date: 02/04/2011
CANS End Date: 08/04/2011
Child's Level of Need: 3
Provider Level of Care: 3
Supplemental Points: 19 \$104.50
LONLOC Value:

Uniform Foster Care Rate

Current Basic Costs: \$455.00
Supplemental Costs: \$104.50
Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
Administrative Costs: \$75.00
Cost > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Total Monthly Costs: \$684.50

Administrative

Administrative \$75.00

Exceptional Rate

Transportation to School of Origin \$0.00
 Exceptional Costs \$50.00
Payment Justification:
justify monthly exceptional costs here...

Monthly Payment Explanation

Options: [Dropdown] Go Save Close

Foster Care Rate Page

Step 2 of 2

Note: In order to pay a foster home a rate above the basic rate, the worker must complete the Foster Care Rate page and send it to your agency's Rate Setter for approval.

- Enter the Rate Effective Date. The rate cannot be prior to the Effective Date of the CANS. Once a date is entered, the page will refresh to bring in the Supplemental Rate information from the CANS, as well as the Current Basic Costs.
- Enter any applicable costs in the Exceptional Rate group box. If either checkbox is selected in the Exceptional Rate group box, justify the exceptional costs by completing the Payment Justification.
- Once all amounts have been entered, click the Save button to update the amounts in the Uniform Foster Care Rate group box.
- To approve the rate setting and send it to the agency's Rate Setter for approval choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Foster Care Rate page.

Group Home Placements

CORPORATE GROUP HOME PLACEMENTS

A corporate group home is a private provider. Payments made to corporate group homes are either episode driven payments or Calc Ongoing (a system operation that automatically calculates payment amount based upon the number of days in placement) generated payments (this is a county/agency choice). The rates paid to corporate group homes are provider specific rates that are recorded on the Provider Service Rate page for each corporate group home.

FAMILY GROUP HOME PLACEMENTS

A family group home is a private provider. Family group homes are paid by the Calc Ongoing batch. The rates paid to family group homes are determined by using the Uniform Foster Care Rate (UFCR) and Administrative fee.

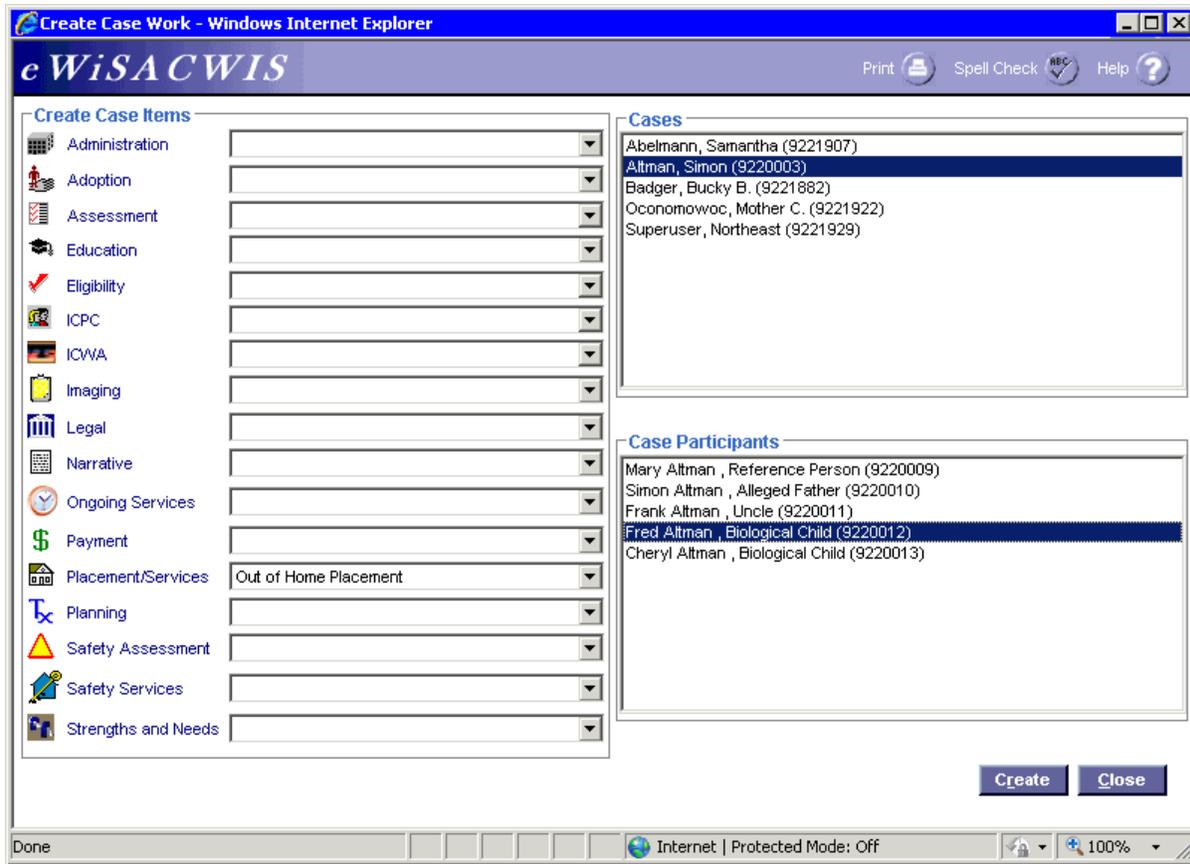
A Foster Care Rate page must be completed for each child placed in a family group home before a rate above the basic foster care rate can be paid to the family group home. The rate and fee is set by contract and is available from your agency's fiscal manager.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Group Home Placements



Create Case Work Page (Corporate)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Group Home Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' application window with the 'Service' tab selected. The header includes the 'eWiSACWIS' logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into 'Child' and 'Provider' sections. The 'Child' section displays 'Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. The 'Service' section contains 'Placement Information' and 'Child Removal From Home Information'. The 'Placement Information' section includes fields for County (Milwaukee), Service Category (Group Care), Service Type (Group Home), Placement Setting (Group Home), Placement Begin (08/01/2009), Placement End (00/00/0000), VPA Effective (00/00/0000), and various rates (Current Basic Rate: \$155.00 per day, Current Monthly Payment: \$4650.00). The 'Child Removal From Home Information' section includes Manner (Court Ordered) and Primary Caretaker (Mary Altman). There are 'Save' and 'Close' buttons at the bottom right of the form area.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Corporate)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Group Care.
- In the Service Type field choose Group Home (Group Home = Corporate Group Home).
- In the Placement Setting field choose Group Home.
- Do not enter an amount in the Administrative Fee field.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Group Home Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Administrative Costs: YES
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple
Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman
Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: Go

Save Close

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Corporate) (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Group Home Placements

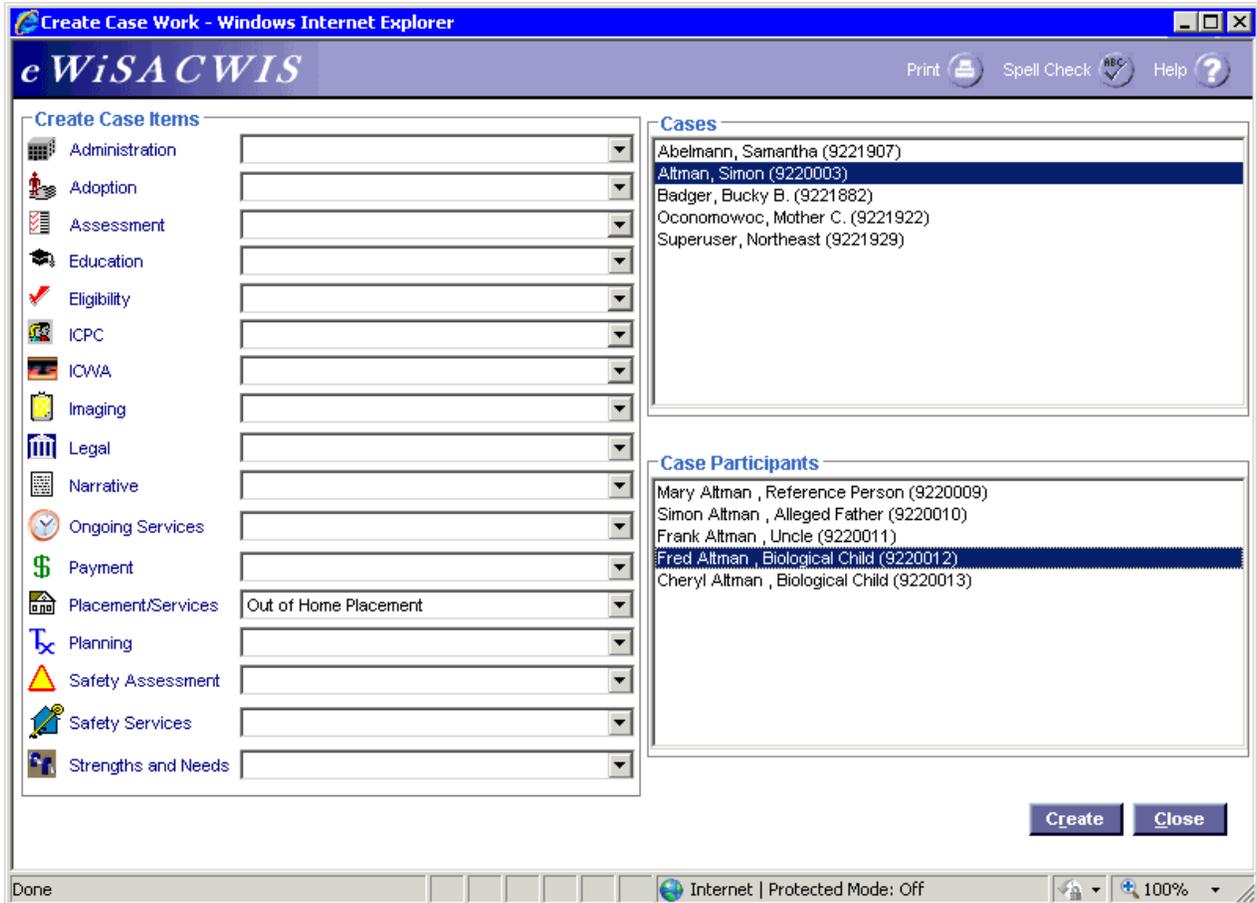
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Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Corporate)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- If there is a name other than the group home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the group home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Group Home Placements



Create Case Work Page (Family)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Group Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/15/2002

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Family Group Care

Service Type: Family Group Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting: Group Home

Child's Level of Need:

Provider's Level of Care: Group Home

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs: \$455.00 per month

Supplemental Costs: \$0.00

Exceptional Costs: \$0.00

Administrative Costs: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$455.00

Options: [Dropdown] [Go]

[Save] [Close]

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Family)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode) be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field.
- Select the correct Removal Reason(s) from the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Family Group Home.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate family group home service type based upon the child's current age
- In the Placement Setting field choose Group Home.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Group Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWISACWIS TM Print Spell Check ABC Help ?

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement Administrative Costs: \$0.00
 This is an Emergency Situation Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
 After Hours Placement Current Monthly Payment: \$455.00
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: [Dropdown] **Primary Caretaker:** [Dropdown]
Caretaker Structure: [Dropdown] **Secondary Caretaker:** [Dropdown]

KIDS Referral ▼

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: [Both parents ▼]

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [Dropdown] **Go** **Save** **Close**

Done Internet | Protected Mode: Off 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Family) (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions.

Group Home Placements

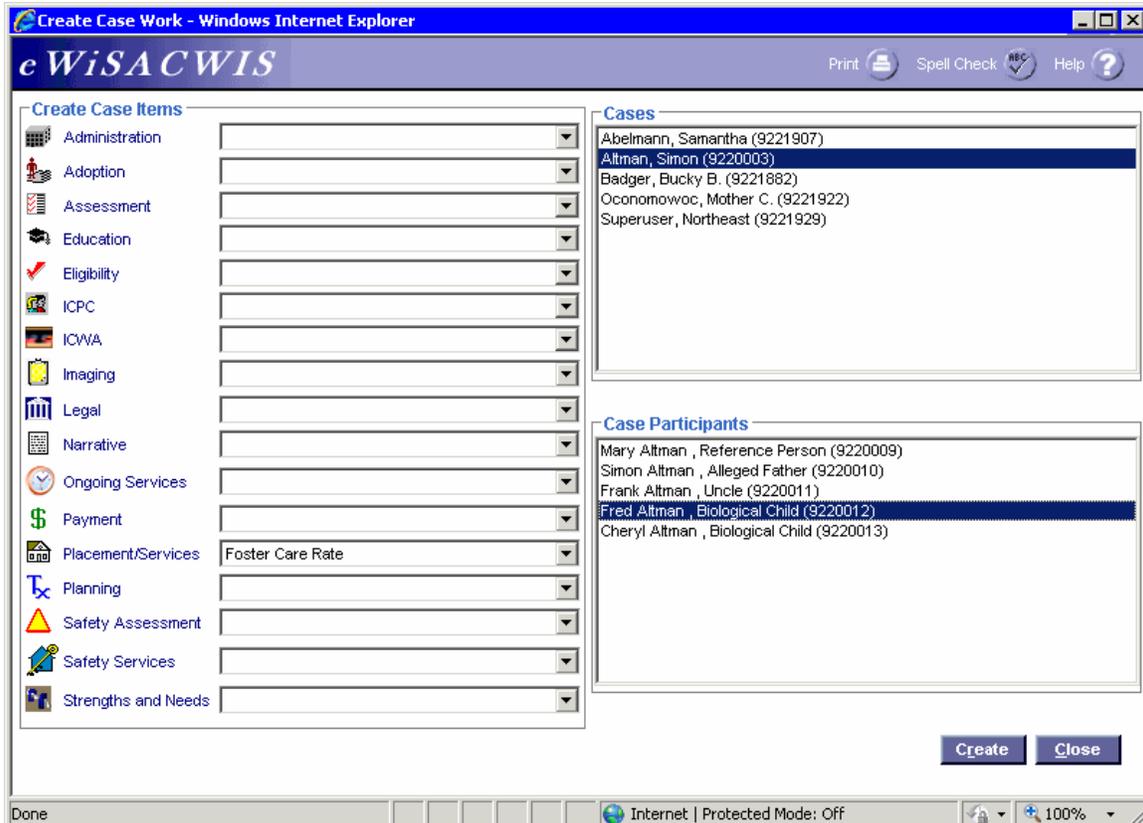
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Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Family)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- If there is a name other than the family group home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the family group home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue. Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Group Home Placements



Create Case Work Page (Family)

Step 1 of 2

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Foster Care Rate > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Group Home Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Foster Care Rate - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the "eWISACWIS" application. The page is divided into several sections:

- Participant Information:** Child: Altman, Fred (9220012); Case: Altman, Simon (9220003); Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170). Rate Effective Date: 02/04/2011; Rate End Date: 00/00/0000.
- Supplemental Rate:** CANS Effective Date: 02/04/2011; CANS End Date: 08/04/2011; Child's Level of Need: 3; Provider Level of Care: 3; Supplemental Points: 19 \$104.50; LON/LOC Value: (blank).
- Uniform Foster Care Rate:** Current Basic Costs: \$455.00; Supplemental Costs: \$104.50; Exceptional Costs: \$50.00; Administrative Costs: \$75.00; Cost > Spending Limit: \$0.00; Total Monthly Costs: \$684.50.
- Administrative:** Administrative: \$75.00.
- Exceptional Rate:** Transportation to School of Origin: \$0.00; Exceptional Costs: \$50.00. Payment Justification: Justify monthly exceptional costs here... (text area).
- Monthly Payment Explanation:** (arrow icon).
- Options:** (dropdown menu) and **Go** button.
- Buttons:** **Save** and **Close**.

The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done", "Internet | Protected Mode: Off", and "100%" zoom.

Foster Care Rate Page (Family)

Step 2 of 2

Note: In order to pay the family group home the rate that your county has contracted to pay, the worker must complete the Foster Care Rate page and send it to your agency's Rate Setter for approval.

- Enter the Rate Effective Date. The rate cannot be prior to the Effective Date of the CANS. Once a date is entered, the page will refresh to bring in the Supplemental Rate information from the CANS, as well as the Current Basic Costs.
- Enter any applicable costs in the Exceptional Rate group box. If either checkbox is selected in the Exceptional Rate group box, justify the exceptional costs by completing the Payment Justification.
- Once all amounts have been entered, click the Save button to update the amounts in the Uniform Foster Care Rate group box.
- To approve the rate setting and send it to the agency's Rate Setter for approval choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Foster Care Rate page.

Hospital/Mental Health Facility Placements

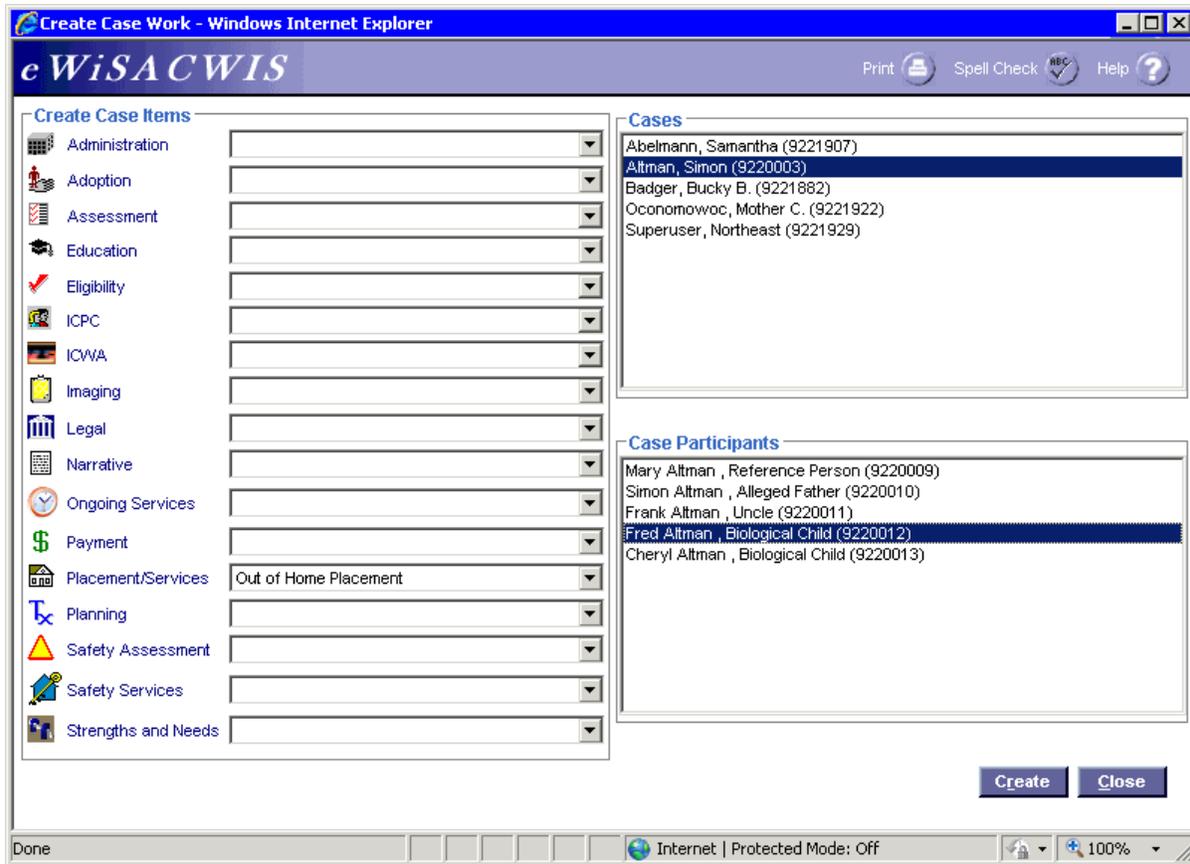
Hospital/Mental Health Facility placements that start placement episodes or fall between other Out of Home Placements (where there would be gaps in the placement record if you do not document the hospital stay) should be documented as Out of Home Placements. Hospital/Mental Health Facility placements documented in eWiSACWIS will not generate a payment.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Hospital/Mental Health Facility Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Hospital/Mental Health Facility Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 08/01/2009

Placement Begin: 08/01/2009

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Removal Reasons

- This is an Adoptive Placement
- This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
- This is an Emergency Situation
- After Hours Placement
- Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Mental Health - Inpatient

Service Type: Mental Health Inpatient -- NON PAY

Placement Setting: Hospital

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Rate:

Supplemental Amount:

Exceptional Amount:

Administrative Fee: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment:

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered **Primary Caretaker:** Mary Altman

Options: [Go] [Save] [Close]

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose the appropriate service category of Health Care Inpatient (Hospital) or Mental Health Inpatient.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Placement Setting field choose Hospital.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Hospital/Mental Health Facility Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' form in the eWiSACWIS system, specifically the 'Service' tab. The form is titled 'Out of Home Placement' and includes the eWiSACWIS logo and navigation icons (TM, Print, Spell Check, Help). The 'Child' section displays: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), and Request Number: [blank]. The 'Service' and 'Provider' tabs are visible. The form contains several sections: 1. Placement type checkboxes: 'This is a CPS Non-Compliant Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute'. 2. Financial fields: 'Administrative Costs', 'Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00', and 'Current Monthly Payment'. 3. 'Child Removal From Home Information' section with dropdowns for 'Manner: Court Ordered', 'Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman', 'Caretaker Structure: Married Couple', and 'Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman'. 4. 'KIDS Referral' section with a dropdown for 'Referral applies to: Both parents' and three radio button questions: 'Is this referral in the best interest of the child?', 'Is this placement expected to be long term?', and 'Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services?'. 5. 'Options:' field with a dropdown and a 'Go' button. 6. 'Save' and 'Close' buttons at the bottom right. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Trusted sites', and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Hospital/Mental Health Facility Placements

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Child Information:
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Provider Information:
Name: AAA Agency Search ID: 20170 Contact:
Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
C/O:
Street: 123 Camp Randall Avenue Apt:
City: Madison State: WI Zip: 53701 Country:
Phone: (608)123-1234 Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
Email:

Payment Information:
Parent Agency: AAA Agency
Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) Details
 Override Parent Agency rule
Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

School District Information:
Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care:
Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Buttons: Split Payment, Options, Go, Save, Close

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Juvenile Correctional Facility Placements

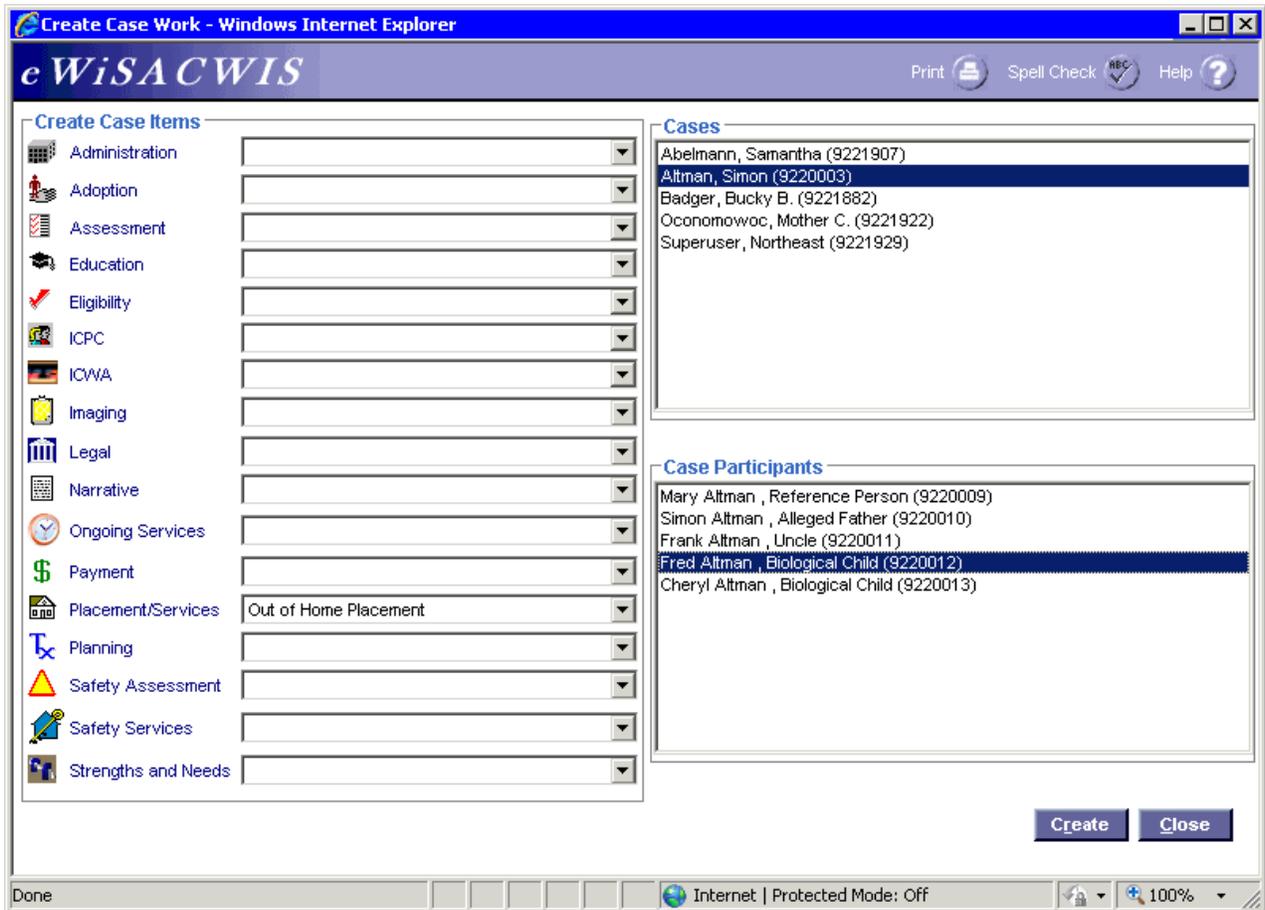
Counties or agencies can track juveniles that are placed in correctional facilities in eWiSACWIS. Juvenile correctional facilities are operated by the Department of Corrections and do not include privately operated Residential Care Centers (RCCs) or group homes. The juvenile correctional facility placements do not count towards the Adoptions and Safe Family Act (ASFA) compliance and are not IV-E reimbursable. Juvenile correctional facility placements documented in eWiSACWIS will not generate a payment.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Juvenile Correctional Facility Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Juvenile Correctional Facility Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons. The main content area is divided into tabs for "Child" and "Provider", with "Service" currently selected. Under the "Child" tab, the following information is displayed:

- Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)
- Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)
- Request Number:

The "Placement Information" section contains the following fields:

- County: Milwaukee
- Removed From Home: 09/01/2009
- Placement Begin: 09/01/2009
- Placement End: 00/00/0000
- VPA Effective: 00/00/0000
- Service Category: Correctional Facility (Non-AFCARS)
- Service Type: Correctional Facility (Non-AFCARS)
- Placement Setting: Juvenile Correctional Facility
- Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per
- Current Basic Rate:
- Supplemental Amount: \$0.00
- Exceptional Amount: \$0.00
- Administrative Fee: \$0.00
- Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
- Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00

The "Removal Reasons" section includes several checkboxes:

- This is an Adoptive Placement
- This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
- This is an Emergency Situation
- After Hours Placement
- Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

The "Child Removal From Home Information" section includes:

- Manner: Court Ordered
- Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman

At the bottom, there is an "Options:" field, a "Save" button, and a "Close" button. The browser status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Trusted sites".

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Correctional Facility (Non-AFCARS)
- In the Service Type field choose Correctional Facility (Non-AFCARS)
- In the Placement Setting field choose Juvenile Correctional Facility.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Juvenile Correctional Facility Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' window in the eWiSACWIS system. The 'Child' section at the top identifies the child as 'Altman, Fred (9220012)', the case name as 'Altman, Simon (9220003)', and the request number. The 'Service' and 'Provider' tabs are active. The form includes several sections: 'Child Removal From Home Information' with dropdowns for 'Manner' (set to 'Court Ordered') and 'Caretaker Structure' (set to 'Married Couple'), and fields for 'Primary Caretaker' (Mary Altman) and 'Secondary Caretaker' (Simon Altman). The 'KIDS Referral' section contains three questions with radio button options for 'Yes' and 'No'. At the bottom, there are 'Options', 'Save', and 'Close' buttons. The browser's status bar at the bottom shows 'Done' and 'Trusted sites'.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Juvenile Correctional Facility Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page displays the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons. The main content area is divided into tabs: "Child" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is active, showing the following information:

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) **Case Name:** Altman, Simon (9220003) **Request Number:**

Provider Information

Name: AAA Agency [Search](#) **ID:** 20170 **Contact:**

Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):

C/O:

Street: 123 Camp Randall Avenue **Apt:**

City: Madison **State:** WI **Zip:** 53701 **Country:**

Phone: (608)123-1234 **Ext:** **Fax:** **Alt Phone:** **Alt Ext:**

Email:

Payment Information

Parent Agency: AAA Agency

Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)

Override Parent Agency rule

Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

School District Information

Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care

Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

[Split Payment](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

Options: [Go](#)

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Kinship Care Placements

KINSHIP WAITLISTED

If a county has a family who is kinship waitlisted, the county should document the situation by creating a Service for the waitlisted child. The Service Category should be “Kinship – Voluntary” and the Service Type should be “Kinship Care – Voluntary Waitlist.” Please note that if the kinship child is not part of an existing case in the system or the kinship relative does not have an existing provider record in the system, these will need to be created prior to documenting the Service. The case can be created by documenting an Access Report Type of “Services Report” with the Service Report Type of “Kinship.”

Note: The State of Wisconsin uses eWiSACWIS to track waitlisted families in counties. These statistics determine the Kinship funds a county may receive.

COURT ORDERED KINSHIP CARE PLACEMENTS

Court ordered kinship care placements do not include placements made per a guardianship order under WI Stat s 48.977 if the case does not remain open with the county agency for services (other than payment and annual kinship reassessment) and the county agency is not named as the legally responsible agency in the court order.

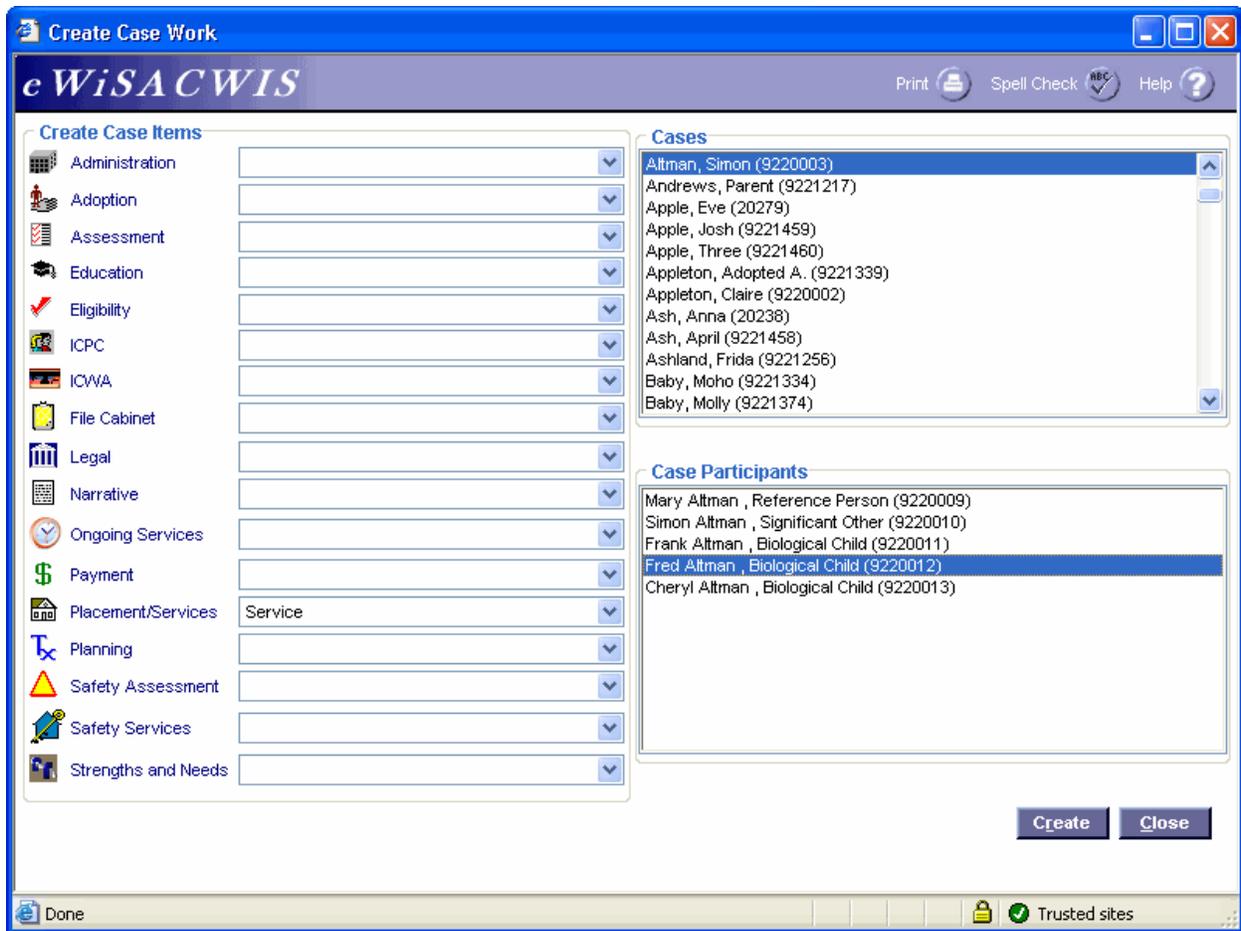
DOCUMENTING KINSHIP PLACEMENTS

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled “Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings” for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Kinship Care Placements



Create Case Work Page (Voluntary)

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Service > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Kinship Care Placements

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

Service Information

County: Milwaukee Service Category: Kinship - Voluntary
Service Begin: 04/04/2011 Service Type: Kinship Care-Voluntary
Service End: 00/00/0000 Service Detail: Kinship Care - Voluntary

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per
Current Basic Rate:
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this service expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: Save Close

Service Page > Service Tab (Voluntary)

Step 2 of 3

- On the Service tab of the Service page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the appropriate date in the Service Begin field.
- In the Service Category field choose Kinship - Voluntary.
- In the Service Type field choose Kinship Care-Voluntary.
- In the Service Detail field choose Kinship Care - Voluntary.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral information. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Kinship Care Placements

Service - Windows Internet Explorer

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Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Provider Information

Name: Frankie Provider [Search](#) ID: 20170 Contact:

C/O:

Street: 1234 4th Street Apt:

City: Menomonee Falls State: WI Zip: 53051 Country: United States

Phone: Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:

Email:

Payment Information

Parent Agency: Frankie Provider

Target Pop: Voluntary Placement (NYA - 64) [Details](#)

Override Parent Agency rule

Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed:

Kinship Care

Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Grandchild/Great Grandchild

Split Payment

Options:

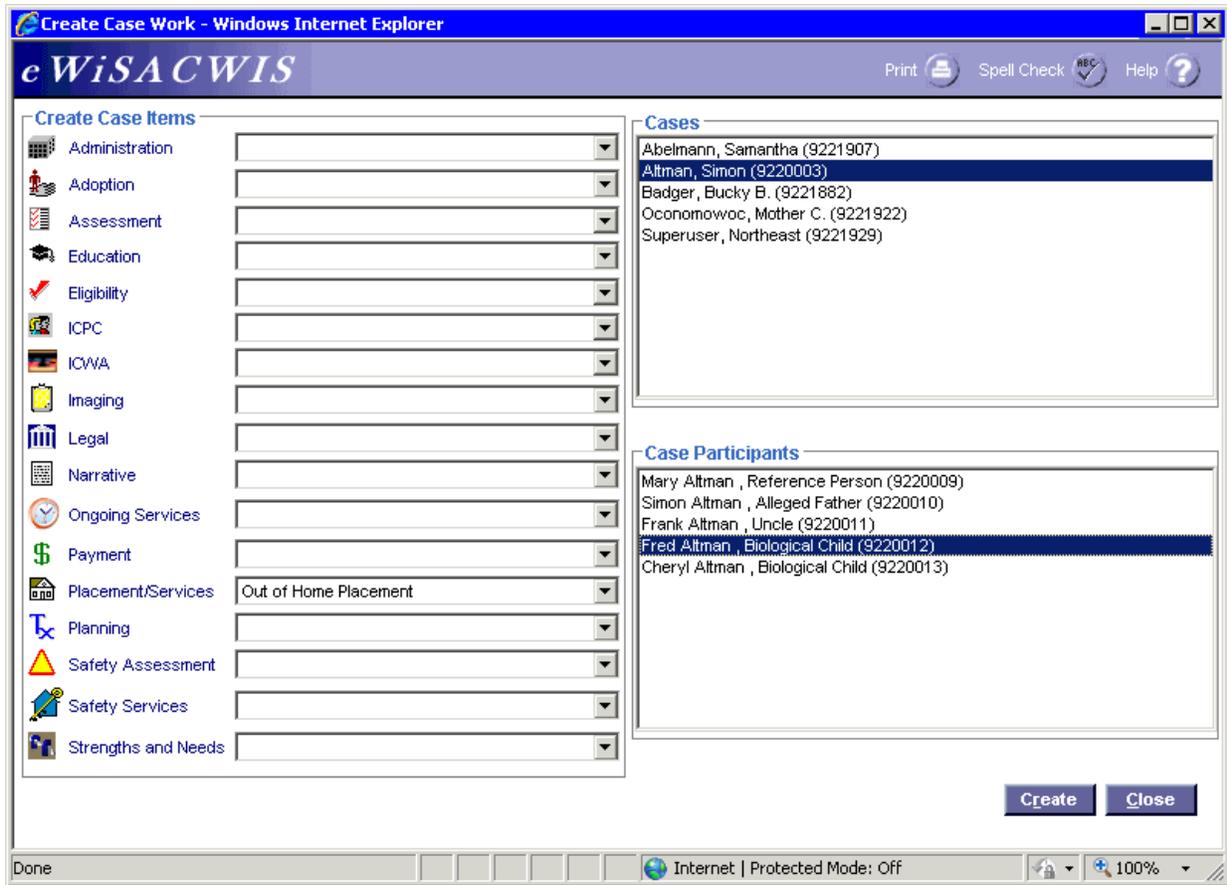
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Service Page > Provider Tab (Voluntary)

Step 3 of 3

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the value of “Voluntary Placement.”
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the Service and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval > and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Service page.

Kinship Care Placements



Create Case Work Page (Court Ordered)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Kinship Care Placements

Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/01/2009

Placement Begin: 09/01/2009

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Kinship - Court Ordered

Service Type: Kinship Care-Court Ordered

Placement Setting: Kinship Care - Court-Ordered

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Rate:

Supplemental Amount:

Exceptional Amount:

Administrative Fee: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment:

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered

Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman

Options: [Dropdown] [Go]

[Save] [Close]

Done Trusted sites

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Court Ordered)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Kinship – Court Ordered.
- Select the appropriate Service Type.
- In the Placement Setting field choose Kinship Care – Court Ordered.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Kinship Care Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

This is a CPS non-conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Administrative Costs: [Field]
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment: [Field]

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple
Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman
Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [Field] [Go]

Save **Close**

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Court Ordered)

(continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Kinship Care Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement" with the eWiSACWIS logo. The page is divided into tabs for "Child" and "Provider". The "Child" tab is active, showing fields for "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". Below this are two tabs: "Service" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is selected, displaying a form for "Provider Information".

Provider Information

Name: Joan Johnson [Search](#) ID: 20178 **Contact:**

Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):

C/O:

Street: 123 Pendleton Dr. **Apt:**

City: Madison **State:** WI **Zip:** 53704 **Country:**

Phone: Ext: Fax: **Alt Phone:** **Alt Ext:**

Email:

Payment Information

Parent Agency: Joan Johnson

Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)

Override Parent Agency rule

Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed:

School District Information

Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care

Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider: Grandchild/Great Grandchild

Split Payment

Options: [Go](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

Done Trusted sites

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Court Ordered)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

The system function described below gives workers the ability to record when a child goes missing from out of home care (OHC) on the Out of Home Placement page. Users are able to end the child's previous placement for reason of "Missing from OHC – Not Closing Case," which will automatically create a default Missing from OHC placement. Upon ending the Missing from OHC placement, users will have the option to automatically return the child to the previous placement setting and provider.

Note: The Missing from Out-of-Home Care Out of Home Placement is set up to not pay the provider the child was previously with. If you will be paying the provider for a bed hold, this needs to be documented via a one-time payment.

eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS Case Work Provider Work

Create Maintain Utilities Adoption Search Help

Richard Worker's Desktop

Date Restricted Participant View View Not Approved/Cancelled

Ticklers

Cases (1)

Altman, Simon (50000000) Actions

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Access Reports

Assets and Income

Assignment

Eligibility

Placements

Open Placements

Out of Home Placement - Foster Home (12-14 years old)

04/04/2011 04/13/2011 Home, Foster Altman, Fred Milwaukee Approved

CANS Out of Home 04/12/2011 Altman, Fred Approved

Foster Care Rate \$678.50

04/12/2011 04/13/2011 Altman, Fred Approved

Related People

Desktop

Step 1 of 7

- To create the Missing From Out-of-Home Care placement, you must first end the existing Out of Home Placement. Access the open Out of Home Placement from the desktop.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 04/04/2011

Placement Begin: 04/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (0-4 yrs)

Placement Setting: Fstr Fam Hm (Non-Rel)

Child's Level of Need: 2
Provider's Level of Care: 2

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs: \$366.00 per month

Supplemental Costs: \$27.50 [Foster Care Rate](#)

Exceptional Costs: \$75.00

Administrative Costs: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$468.50

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Options: [Go]

Actions
Approval
Non-Conforming Reasons
Placement Ending
Text
Text

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 7

- Choose Placement Ending from the Options drop-down and click Go.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case: Altman, Simon (50000000)
Provider: Home, Foster (50000000) Service Begin: 04/04/2011

Service Ending

End Date: 04/13/2011

Ending Purpose: Placement Change within Plcmt Episode

End Reason: Missing From OHC - Not Closing Case

Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements?
 Yes No N/A

Discharge Reason: [Dropdown]

Override

Options: [Dropdown]

Service Ending Page

Step 3 of 7

Enter the End Date of the placement.

Choose Ending Purpose of Placement Change within Placement Episode.

Choose End Reason of Missing From OHC – Not Closing Case.

Choose Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Ending.

Upon clicking Save on the Service Ending page, you will receive the following message:

eWiSACWIS -- Webpage Dialog

Ending this placement for reason of 'Missing from Out of Home Care' will create a pending placement. After final approval, please access the pending placement from the outliner. Do you wish to continue?

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS web application interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the text "eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". Below this is a purple navigation bar with the "eWiSACWIS" logo and two buttons: "Case Work" and "Provider Work". A grey menu bar contains the options "Create", "Maintain", "Utilities", "Adoption Search", and "Help".

The main content area is titled "Richard Worker's Desktop". Below the title are three checkboxes: "Date Restricted" (checked), "Participant View" (unchecked), and "View Not Approved/Cancelled" (unchecked). There are also "Ticklers" and "Cases (1)" sections. The "Cases (1)" section is expanded to show a folder for "Altman, Simon (50000000) Actions".

Under the "Altman, Simon (50000000) Actions" folder, there is a list of actions:

- Child Welfare 04/18/2011 Worker, Richard Milwaukee-Region 1 123 State Street, Madison, WI 53701
- Access Reports
- Assets and Income
- Assignment
- Eligibility
- Placements
 - Pending Placements
 - [Out of Home Placement - Missing from Out-of-Home Care - Non Paid](#)
04/14/2011 Missing from Out-of-Home Care Altman, Fred Milwaukee Pending
 - Closed Placements
 - [Out of Home Placement - Foster Home \(12-14 years old\)](#)
04/04/2011 04/13/2011 Home, Foster Altman, Fred Milwaukee Missing From OHC - Not Closing Case Closed
 - [CANS Out of Home 04/12/2011 Altman, Fred Approved](#)
 - [Foster Care Rate \\$678.50](#)
04/12/2011 04/13/2011 Altman, Fred Placement Ended Closed
- Related People

Desktop

Step 4 of 7

- Access the pending Missing from Out-of-Home Care Out of Home Placement from the desktop.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 04/04/2011

Placement Begin: 04/14/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Missing From Out-of-Home Care

Service Type: Missing from Out-of-Home Care - Non Paid

Placement Setting: Missing From Out-of-Home Care

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs: \$0.00

Exceptional Costs: \$0.00

Administrative Costs: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Primary Caretaker:

Options: Save Close

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 7

- If the child is identified as American Indian, the ICWA tab will show the placement preference as not applicable, as it does not apply to Missing from Out-of-Home Care placements. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.
- The Placement Begin Date, Service Category, Service Type and Placement Setting have been auto completed. The placement is also setup as a non paid service, and the KIDS Referral questions are all answered as “No” so that a referral to KIDS does not occur.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000) Request Number:

Service Provider

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement Administrative Costs: \$0.00
 This is an Emergency Situation Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
 After Hours Placement Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: **Primary Caretaker:**
Caretaker Structure: **Secondary Caretaker:**

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options:

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 6 of 7

- Notice the KIDS Referral questions have been completed.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000) Request Number:

Provider

Provider Information
Name: Missing from Out-of-Home Care ID: 8028024 Contact:
Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
C/O:
Street: Unknown Apt:
City: Unknown State: WI Zip: 99999 Country: United States
Phone: Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
Email:

Payment Information
Parent Agency: Missing from Out-of-Home Care
Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) Details
 Override Parent Agency rule
Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed:

School District Information
Provider's School District Code:
Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care
Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment

Options: [Dropdown] Go Save Close

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 7 of 7

- Unlike other placements, this auto created placement is populated with the “Missing from Out-of-Home Care” provider.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider’s School District Code field choose the appropriate value. This code should be from the school the child was attending when he/she went missing from care.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Ending a Missing from Out-of-Home Care Placement

eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS Case Work Provider Work

Create Maintain Utilities Adoption Search Help

Richard Worker's Desktop

Date Restricted Participant View View Not Approved/Cancelled

Ticklers

Cases (1)

Altman, Simon (50000000) Actions

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Access Reports

Assets and Income

Assignment

Eligibility

Placements

Pending Placements

Out of Home Placement - Missing from Out-of-Home Care - Non Paid

04/14/2011 Missing from Out-of-Home Care Altman, Fred Milwaukee Approved

Closed Placements

Out of Home Placement - Foster Home (12-14 years old)

04/04/2011 04/13/2011 Home, Foster Altman, Fred Milwaukee Missing From OHC - Not Closing Case Closed

CANS Out of Home 04/12/2011 Altman, Fred Approved

Foster Care Rate \$678.50

04/12/2011 04/13/2011 Altman, Fred Placement Ended Closed

Related People

Desktop

Step 1 of 3

- If the child has been found and returned to the previous placement, then the Missing from Out-of-Home Care placement can be ended. Access the open Missing from Out-of-Home Care Out of Home Placement from the desktop.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Service Category: Missing From Out-of-Home Care

Service Type: Missing from Care-NonPaid

Placement Setting: Missing From Out-of-Home Care

Removed From Home: 04/04/2011

Placement Begin: 04/14/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs: \$0.00

Supplemental Costs: \$0.00

Exceptional Costs: \$0.00

Administrative Costs: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Primary Caretaker:

Options: Placement Ending Go

Actions

- Approval
- Non-Conforming Reasons
- Placement Ending
- Text
- Text

Save Close

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 3

- Choose Placement Ending from the Options drop-down and select Go.

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (50000001) Case: Altman, Simon (50000000)
Provider: Missing from Out-of-Home Care (8028024) Service Begin: 04/14/2011

Service Ending
End Date: 04/17/2011
Ending Purpose: Placement Change within Plcmt Episode
End Reason: Child No Longer Missing
Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements? Yes No N/A
Discharge Reason: [Dropdown]
 Override

Options: [Dropdown]

Service Ending Page

Step 3 of 3

- On the Service Ending page, enter the End Date of the Missing From Out of Home Care placement.
 - Choose the Ending Purpose of Placement Change within Plcmt Episode.
 - Choose the End Reason of Child No Longer Missing.
 - Choose Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Ending.
- Upon selecting save on the Service Ending page, you will receive the following message:

eWiSACWIS -- Web Page Dialog

You are ending the 'Missing From Out-of-Home Care' placement. Did the child return to the provider he/she most recently went missing from?

Missing From Out-of-Home Care Placements

- If you select 'Yes,' the system will auto-create a new pending out of home placement with the previous provider. You will need to access this pending placement from the outliner to approve it.
- If you select 'No,' you will need to manually create a new out of home placement with the new placement provider. Follow the standard process for creating the new Out of Home Placement via the Create Case Work page.

Non-Relative (Unlicensed) Placements

Placements in the home of a non-relative that are either authorized or supervised by your agency (this includes those that resulted from a court order as well as those that were not court ordered) should be documented in eWiSACWIS. In most cases these placements will not generate a payment (contact your supervisor or fiscal manager if a payment is needed). Examples of an unlicensed non-relative placement would be a neighbor or family friend.

It should be noted that an unlicensed non-relative provider can become licensed. In the event that this occurs, the unlicensed placement that would be created initially should be ended the day before the provider's license becomes active. A new placement would be created for the appropriate licensed service type effective the date the license becomes active.

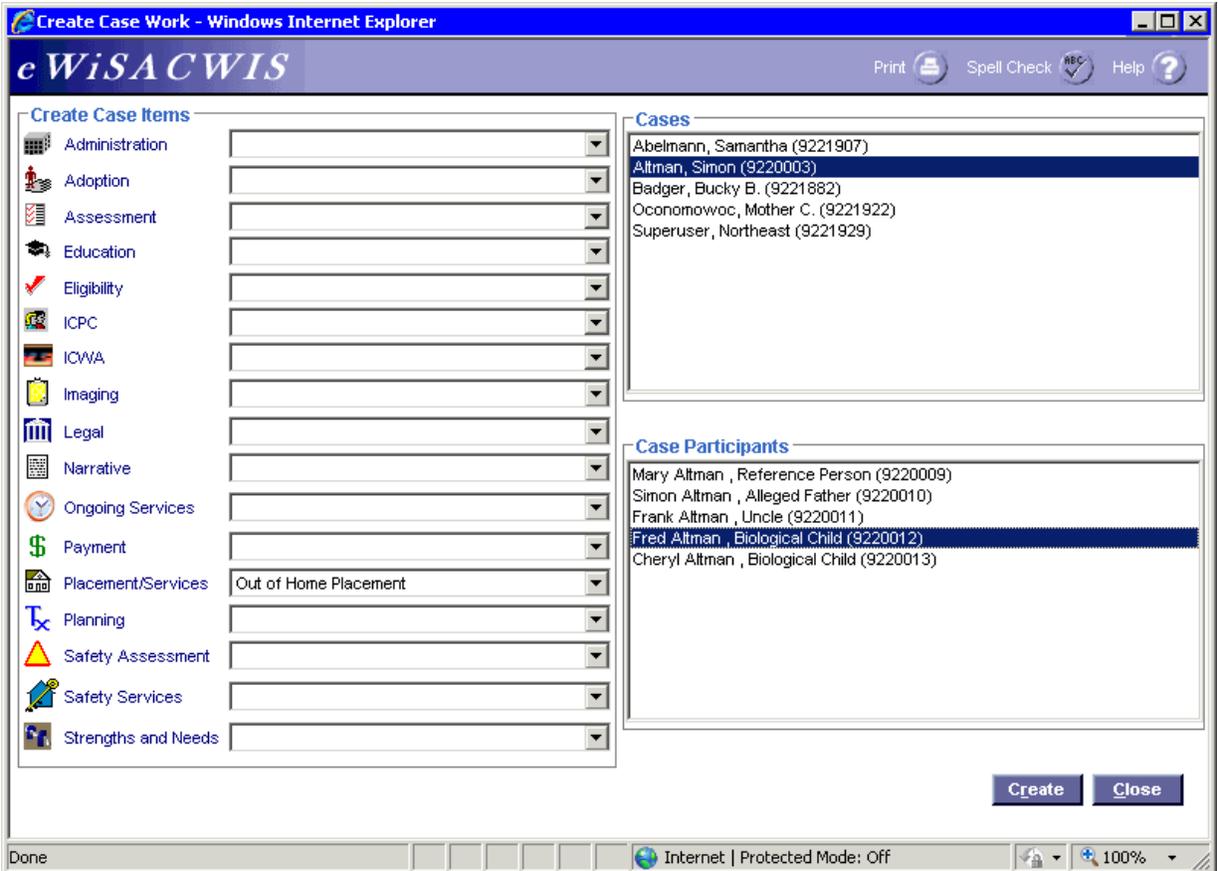
The Out of Home Placement page should be used for only those placements that the child welfare agency seeks a Temporary Physical Custody (TPC) order for. For temporary detentions where a child is left with a non-relative for a few hours until the parents can be located, those situations do not have to be recorded as Out of Home Placements.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Non-Relative (Unlicensed) Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Non-Relative (Unlicensed) Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' page in Microsoft Internet Explorer, provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin. The browser title bar reads 'Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin'. The page header features the 'eWiSACWIS' logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is titled 'Child' and displays case information: 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. Below this, there are two tabs: 'Service' (selected) and 'Provider'. The 'Service' tab contains the following sections:

- Placement Information:** Includes fields for County (Milwaukee), Service Category (Non-Relative Care Unlicensed), Service Type (Non-Relative Care - Unlicensed), Placement Setting (Non-Relative-Unlicensed), Placement Begin (09/01/2009), Placement End (00/00/0000), VPA Effective (00/00/0000), Child Specific Rate (\$0.00 per), Current Basic Rate, Supplemental Amount (\$0.00), Exceptional Amount (\$0.00), Administrative Fee (\$0.00), Costs > Spending Limit (\$0.00), and Current Monthly Payment (\$0.00).
- Removal Reasons:** A list of checkboxes for reasons such as 'This is an Adoptive Placement', 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute'.
- Child Removal From Home Information:** Includes Manner (Court Ordered) and Primary Caretaker (Mary Altman).

At the bottom of the form, there is an 'Options:' dropdown menu, a 'Save' button, and a 'Close' button. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done' and 'Trusted sites'.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Non-Relative Care Unlicensed.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Placement Setting field choose Non-Relative-Unlicensed.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Non-Relative (Unlicensed) Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Compliant Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Administrative Costs: [Field]
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment: [Field]

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered
Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple
Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [Field] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Enter the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Non-Relative (Unlicensed) Placements

The screenshot shows the 'eWISACWIS' web application interface. At the top, the browser title is 'Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin'. The page header includes the 'eWISACWIS' logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. Below the header, there is a 'Child' section with fields for 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. The main content area is divided into two tabs: 'Service' and 'Provider'. The 'Provider' tab is active, showing 'Provider Information' with fields for Name (Home Provider), ID (9221520), Contact, Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider, C/O, Street (123 Street), Apt, City (Milwaukee), State (WI), Zip (53201), Country, Phone ((414)123-1234), Ext, Fax, and Email. Below this are 'Payment Information' and 'School District Information' sections. 'Payment Information' includes Parent Agency (Home, Provider), Target Pop (CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61)), an 'Override Parent Agency rule' checkbox, and Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed (\$0.00). 'School District Information' includes Provider's School District Code (Milwaukee - 3619). A 'Kinship Care' section has a 'Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider' dropdown. At the bottom, there is an 'Options' dropdown, a 'Go' button, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done' and 'Trusted sites'.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Out-of-State Placements

There may be instances where a child is placed by a particular county with a provider that resides outside of the state of Wisconsin. The basic principles surrounding the placement structure mirror the placement as if it were being documented for a home provider who resides in Wisconsin with one minor exception.

The rate for an out-of-state placement is captured on the actual Out of Home Placement instead of at the provider level. This allows the county to enter the rate as it has been established with that out-of-state provider without the state having to maintain those rates in each individual situation. Since the rate is child specific, the service type on the Maintain Service Types and Rate page must be set up as "Rate by Child Allowed."

Currently, counties have the ability to document out-of-state services for the following:

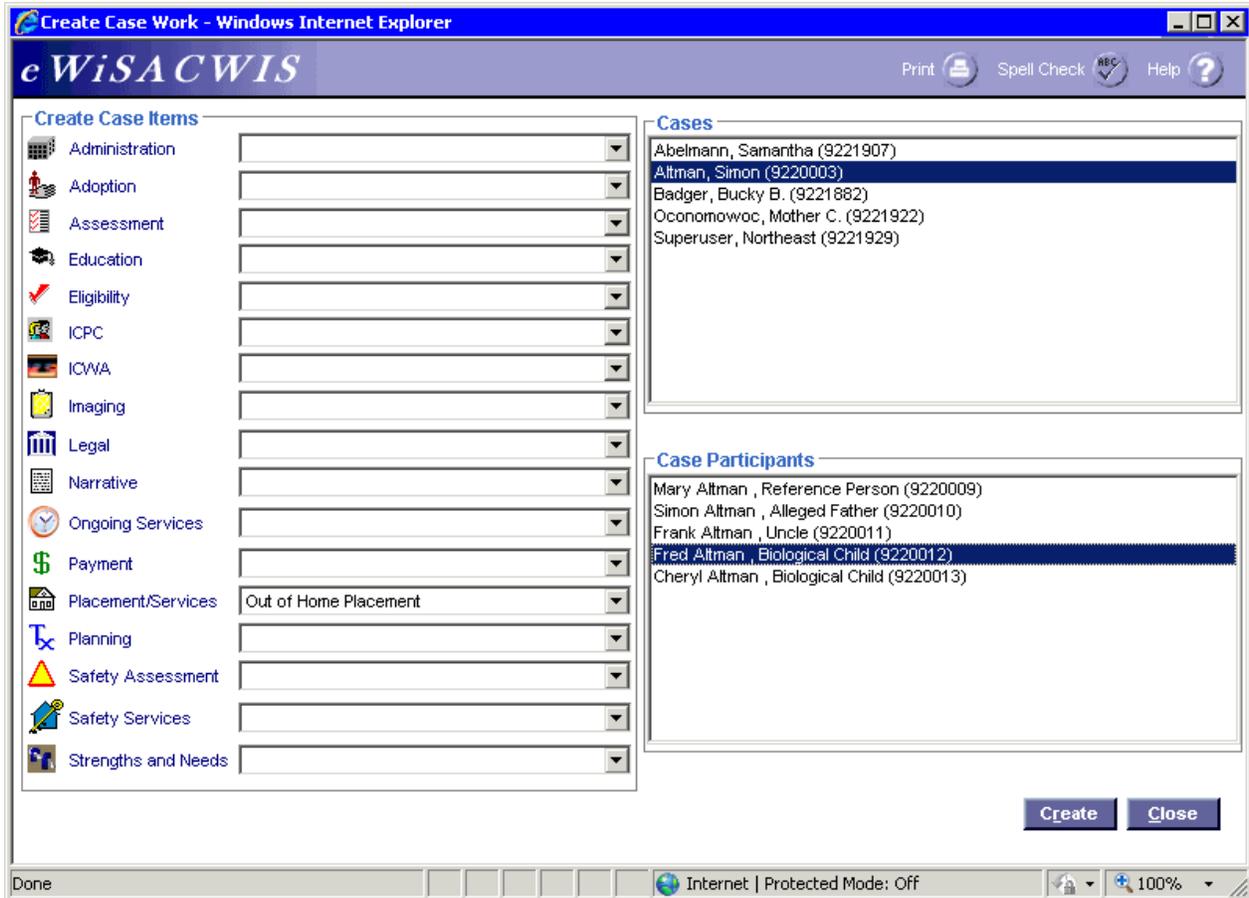
- Foster Care
- Group Home
- Residential Care Centers
- Kinship

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation, the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Out-of-State Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Out-of-State Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer' window. The browser title bar includes 'eWiSACWIS' and navigation icons. The page header shows 'Child' information: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), and Request Number. Below this is a tabbed interface with 'Service' and 'Provider' tabs. The 'Service' tab is active, displaying 'Placement Information' and 'Child Removal From Home Information' sections. The 'Placement Information' section includes fields for County (Green), Service Category (RCC - Out-of-State), Service Type (RCC - Out-of-State), Placement Setting (RCC), Placement Begin (06/01/2011), Placement End (00/00/0000), Child Specific Costs (\$300.00 per Day), Current Basic Costs, Supplemental Costs, Exceptional Costs, Administrative Costs (\$0.00), Costs > Spending Limit (\$0.00), and Current Monthly Payment. The 'Child Removal From Home Information' section includes a 'Manner' dropdown and a 'Primary Caretaker' dropdown. At the bottom, there are 'Options' and 'Go' buttons, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Local intranet | Protected Mode: Off', and a zoom level of 100%.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose the appropriate out-of-state category.
- In the Service Type field choose the corresponding out-of-state service.
- In the Placement Setting field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Child Specific Costs field enter the rate amount that equates to the provider's monthly or daily rate. After the amount is entered, select either Day or Month from the 'per' drop-down. Documentation of a child specific rate allows for either a monthly or daily amount.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Out-of-State Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' window in the eWiSACWIS system. The 'Service' tab is selected. The form contains the following fields and sections:

- Child Information:** Child: Altman, Fred (9220012); Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003); Request Number: (empty).
- Service/Provider Section:** Includes checkboxes for 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute'. It also has fields for 'Administrative Costs', 'Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00', and 'Current Monthly Payment'.
- Child Removal From Home Information:** Includes dropdowns for 'Manner: Court Ordered' and 'Caretaker Structure: Married Couple'. It also has dropdowns for 'Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman' and 'Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman'.
- KIDS Referral Section:** Includes a dropdown for 'Referral applies to: Both parents' and three questions with radio button options for 'Yes' and 'No':
 - 'Is this referral in the best interest of the child?' (Yes selected)
 - 'Is this placement expected to be long term?' (No selected)
 - 'Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services?' (No selected)
- Options:** A dropdown menu and a 'Go' button.
- Buttons:** 'Save' and 'Close' buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Enter the Child Removal From Home information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select the appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Out-of-State Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer". The page header is "eWiSACWIS" with navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into tabs: "Child" and "Provider". The "Child" tab is active, showing fields for "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". Below this, the "Provider" tab is selected, displaying "Provider Information" with fields for Name, ID, Contact, Address, and Phone. There are also sections for "Payment Information" (Parent Agency, Target Pop, Override Parent Agency rule, Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed) and "School District Information" (Provider's School District Code, Kinship Care). At the bottom, there are "Options:" and "Go" buttons, and "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the out-of-state provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Choose Out of State for the Provider's School District Code.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Receiving Home Placements

Receiving homes are licensed foster homes that receive a special compensation because of their willingness to take emergency placements on short notice. The special compensation can be a monthly rate that is above the monthly basic rate or a monthly stipend that is paid without consideration to a placement or both. Receiving homes, like any other foster home, are subject to the Uniform Foster Care Rate (UFCR).

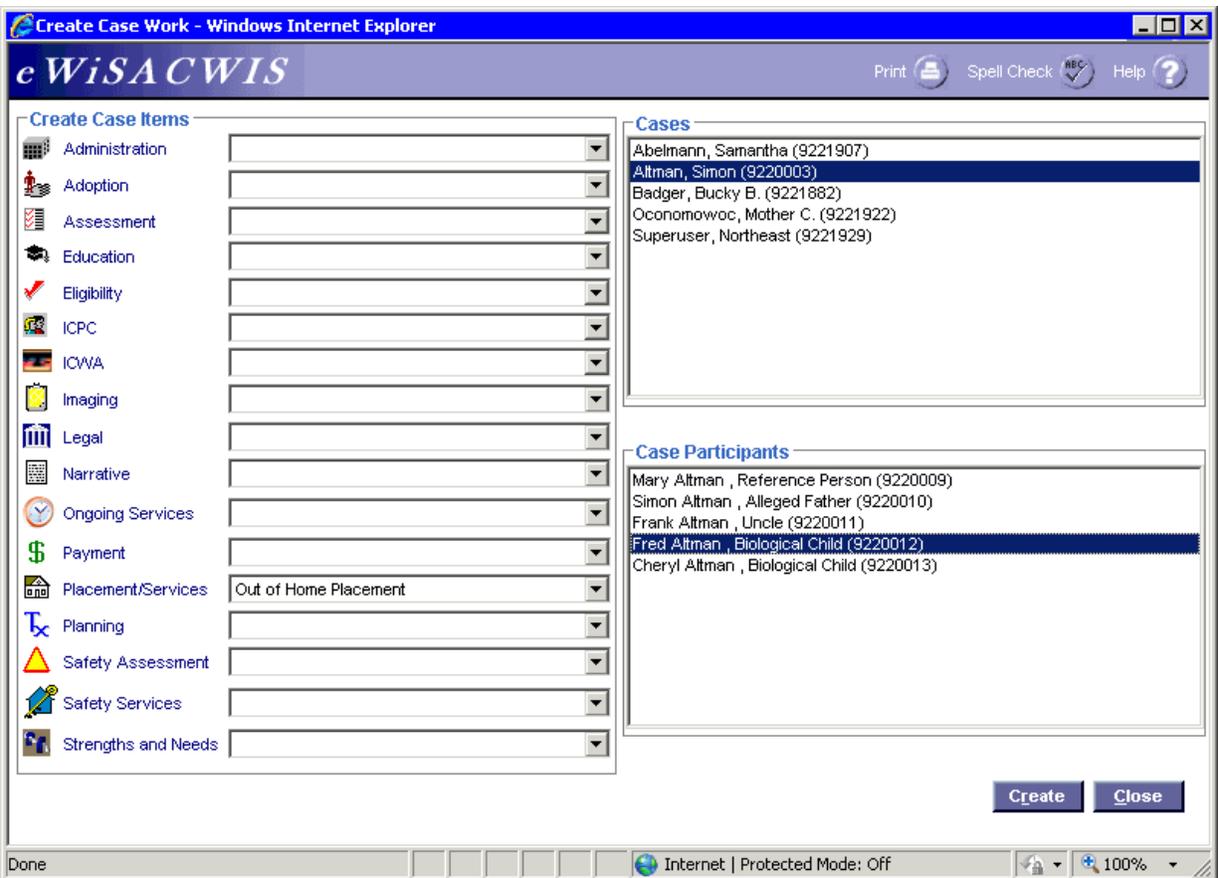
The documentation of a receiving home placement must be ended within 30 days of placement to coincide with policy; if the child remains in the same home, this does not mean you have an additional 30 days to complete the CANS. If the placement is to continue, a new placement and subsequent UFCR (reflecting actual supplemental and exceptional fees) should be created.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Receiving Home Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 5

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Receiving Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 02/04/2011

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

[Removal Reasons](#)

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (30 day Pre-CANS)

Placement Setting:

Child's Level of Need:

Provider's Level of Care:

Child Specific Costs: \$40.00 per Day

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs:

Exceptional Costs:

Administrative Costs:

Costs > Spending Limit:

Current Monthly Payment:

Options: [] [Go] **Save** **Close**

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 5

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Foster Care.
- In the Service Type field choose the “Foster Home (30 day Pre-CANS)” value.
- The Placement Setting field will be enabled after you have searched out a provider (See step 4 on page 111).
- In the Child Specific Costs field enter the rate amount that equates to the provider's monthly or daily rate. After the amount is entered, select either Day or Month from the ‘per’ drop-down. Documentation of a child specific rate allows for either a monthly or daily amount.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Receiving Home Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' form in a Windows Internet Explorer browser window. The browser title is 'Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer'. The page header is 'eWiSACWIS' with navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The form is titled 'Child' and contains the following fields:

- Child:** Altman, Fred (9220012)
- Case Name:** Altman, Simon (9220003)
- Request Number:** (empty)

The form is divided into two tabs: 'Service' and 'Provider'. The 'Service' tab is active and contains the following sections:

- Checkboxes:**
 - This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 - This is an Emergency Situation
 - After Hours Placement
 - Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.
- Costs:**
 - Administrative Costs: (empty)
 - Costs > Spending Limit: (empty)
 - Current Monthly Payment: (empty)
- Child Removal From Home Information:**
 - Manner:** Court Ordered (dropdown)
 - Primary Caretaker:** Simon Altman (dropdown)
 - Caretaker Structure:** Married Couple (dropdown)
 - Secondary Caretaker:** Mary Altman (dropdown)
- KIDS Referral:**
 - KIDS Referral:** (dropdown)
 - Referral applies to:** Both parents (dropdown)
 - Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
 - Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
 - Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

At the bottom of the form, there is an 'Options:' dropdown menu, a 'Go' button, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Internet | Protected Mode: Off', and a zoom level of 100%.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 5

- Enter the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Receiving Home Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Provider Information
Name: Foster Home [Search](#) ID: 9221098 Contact:
Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
C/O:
Street: 111 W. Wilson St. Apt:
City: Madison State: WI Zip: 53703 Country: United States
Phone: (608)555-9988 Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
Email:

Payment Information
Parent Agency: Foster Home
Target Pop: CHIPS - Other (NYA - 64) [Details](#)
 Override Parent Agency rule
Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

School District Information
Provider's School District Code:
Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care
Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment

Options: [Go](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

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Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 5

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- If there is a name other than the foster home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the foster home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.

Receiving Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee
Removed From Home: 02/04/2011
Placement Begin: 02/04/2011
Placement End: 00/00/0000
VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Foster Care
Service Type: Foster Home (30 day Pre-CANS)
Placement Setting: Treatment Foster Home - Non-Relative
Child's Level of Need:
Provider's Level of Care: 3
Child Specific Costs: \$40.00 per Day
Current Basic Costs:
Supplemental Costs:
Exceptional Costs:
Administrative Costs:
Costs > Spending Limit:
Current Monthly Payment:

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement
 This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Options:

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 5

- In the Placement Setting field, choose the appropriate value.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Relative Placements (Non-Kinship Care)

Placements in the home of relatives that are either authorized or supervised by your agency (this includes those that resulted from a court order as well as those that were not court ordered) should be documented in eWiSACWIS. In most cases these placements will not generate a payment (contact your supervisor or fiscal manager if a payment is needed). Often, a relative placement is the first placement a child experiences after his removal from his family home. This makes it important that this placement is recorded and that the “Date Removed From Home” is accurately recorded on the Out of Home Placement page.

It should be noted that an unlicensed relative provider can become licensed. In the event that this occurs, the unlicensed placement that would be created initially should be ended the day before the provider's license becomes active. A new placement would be created for the appropriate licensed service type effective the date the license becomes active.

The Out of Home Placement page should be used for only those placements that the child welfare agency seeks a Temporary Physical Custody (TPC) order for. For temporary detentions where a child is left with a relative for a few hours until the parents can be located, those situations do not have to be recorded as Out of Home Placements.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled “Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings” for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Relative Placements (Non-Kinship Care)

The screenshot shows the 'Create Case Work' page in a Windows Internet Explorer browser. The page title is 'Create Case Work - Windows Internet Explorer'. The application logo 'eWiSACWIS' is visible at the top left. The interface is divided into several sections:

- Create Case Items:** A list of categories with dropdown menus. The 'Placement/Services' dropdown is currently set to 'Out of Home Placement'.
- Cases:** A list of existing cases, including 'Abelmann, Samantha (9221907)', 'Altman, Simon (9220003)', 'Badger, Bucky B. (9221882)', 'Oconomowoc, Mother C. (9221922)', and 'Superuser, Northeast (9221929)'. 'Altman, Simon (9220003)' is highlighted.
- Case Participants:** A list of participants, including 'Mary Altman, Reference Person (9220009)', 'Simon Altman, Alleged Father (9220010)', 'Frank Altman, Uncle (9220011)', 'Fred Altman, Biological Child (9220012)', and 'Cheryl Altman, Biological Child (9220013)'. 'Fred Altman, Biological Child (9220012)' is highlighted.

At the bottom right, there are 'Create' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Internet | Protected Mode: Off', and a zoom level of '100%'.

Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Relative Placements (Non-Kinship Care)

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin' window. The page title is 'eWISACWIS'. The browser address bar shows 'Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin'. The page content includes a header with 'Child' information: 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. Below this is a navigation bar with 'Service' and 'Provider' tabs. The main content area is titled 'Placement Information' and contains several fields: 'County: Milwaukee', 'Removed From Home: 09/01/2009', 'Placement Begin: 09/01/2009', 'Placement End: 00/00/0000', and 'VPA Effective: 00/00/0000'. There are also checkboxes for 'Removal Reasons' such as 'This is an Adoptive Placement', 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.'. The 'Service Category' is 'Relative Care - Unlicensed', 'Service Type' is 'Relative Care - Court Ordered', and 'Placement Setting' is 'Relative - Unlicensed'. Financial fields include 'Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per', 'Current Basic Rate', 'Supplemental Amount: \$0.00', 'Exceptional Amount: \$0.00', 'Administrative Fee: \$0.00', 'Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00', and 'Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00'. At the bottom, there is a 'Child Removal From Home Information' section with 'Manner: Court Ordered' and 'Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman'. The page ends with an 'Options:' field, a 'Go' button, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Relative Care – Unlicensed.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Placement Setting field choose Relative – Unlicensed.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Relative Placements (Non-Kinship Care)

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

This is a CPS non-conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Administrative Code: [dropdown]
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered [dropdown] **Primary Caretaker:** Mary Altman [dropdown]
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple [dropdown] **Secondary Caretaker:** Simon Altman [dropdown]

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents [dropdown]

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [dropdown] [Go]

Save **Close**

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Enter the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Relative Placements (Non-Kinship Care)

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page displays the "eWISACWIS" logo and navigation icons. The main content area is divided into tabs for "Child" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is active, showing "Provider Information" with fields for Name, ID, Contact, Address, and Phone. Below this are sections for "Payment Information" (Parent Agency, Target Pop, Override Parent Agency rule, Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed) and "School District Information" (Provider's School District Code). A "Kinship Care" section is also present. At the bottom, there are "Options" and "Go" buttons, along with "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Provider Information
Name: Home Provider [Search](#) ID: 9221520 Contact:
Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
C/O:
Street: 123 Street Apt:
City: Milwaukee State: WI Zip: 53201 Country:
Phone: (414)123-1234 Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
Email:

Payment Information
Parent Agency: Home Provider
Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)
 Override Parent Agency rule
Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

School District Information
Provider's School District Code: Milwaukee - 3619

Kinship Care
Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment ▶

Options: [Go](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Residential Care Centers (RCCs)

A residential care center (RCC) is a private provider. Payments made to RCC providers are either episode driven payments (a system process that creates a zero dollar payment and requires a user to manually enter units that match the number of days a child was at a facility) or Calc Ongoing generated payments (a system operation that automatically calculates payment amounts based upon the number of days in placement). It is the county's choice to decide how they would like to handle RCC payments. The rate paid to the RCC provider is provider specific and is recorded on the Provider Service Rate page for each active service type.

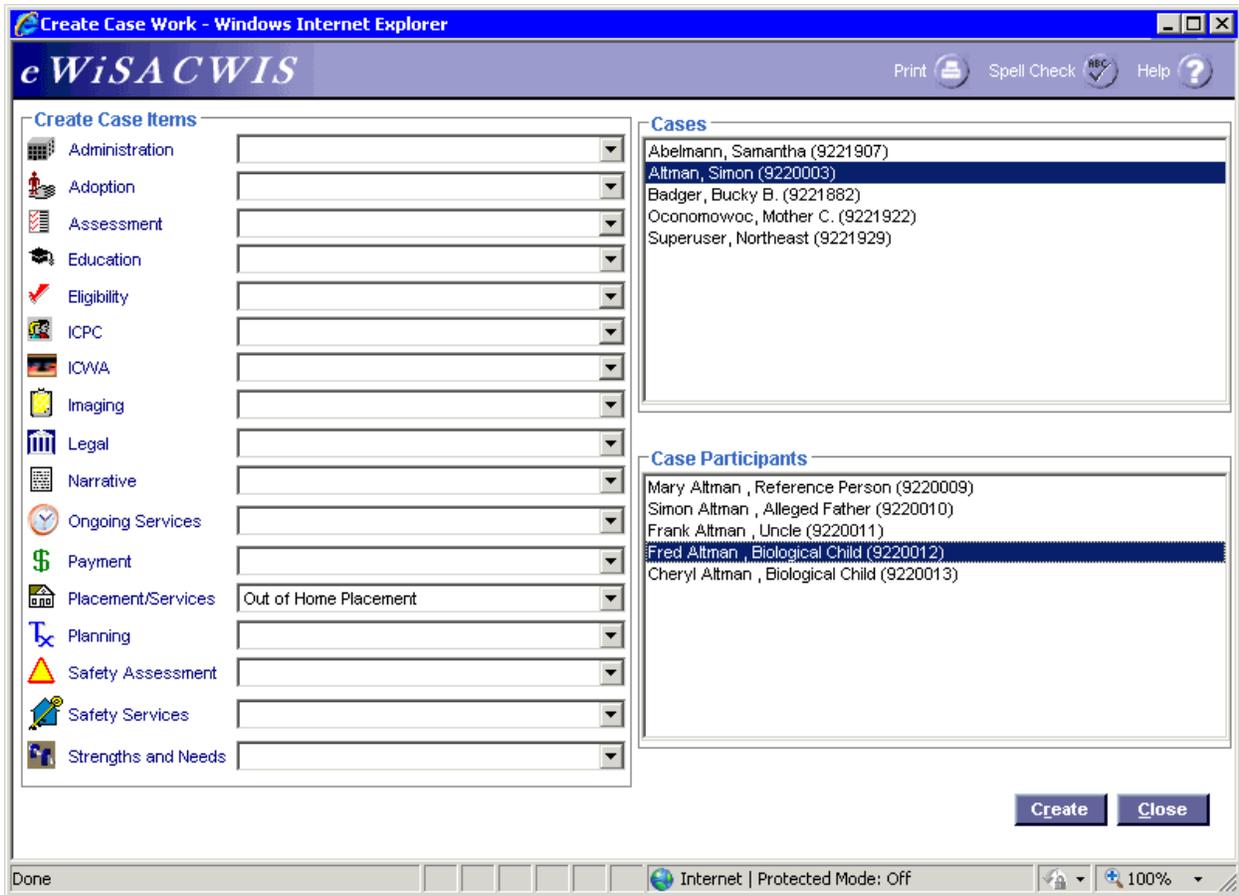
The RCC service types describe (by name) the programs offered by the specific facility. Subsequently, the rate will match exactly the rate for the specific program described by the service type.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Residential Care Centers (RCCs)



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Residential Care Centers (RCCs)

Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWISACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/01/2009

Placement Begin: 09/01/2009

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: RCC - Northwest Passage

Service Type: NW Passage - 30 Day Clinical Assess

Placement Setting: RCC

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Rate: \$290.00 per day

Supplemental Amount: \$0.00

Exceptional Amount: \$0.00

Administrative Fee: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$8,990.00

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered

Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman

Options: Save Close

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose the RCC Category that matches the facility where the child has been placed.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value which represents the program that the child was placed within.
- In the Placement Setting field choose the value RCC.
- Do not enter an amount in the Administrative Fee field as the rate includes all costs.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Residential Care Centers (RCCs)

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Complying Placement. Administrative Code: [dropdown]
 This is an Emergency Situation. Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
 After Hours Placement. Current Monthly Payment: \$8900.00
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered [dropdown] **Primary Caretaker:** Mary Altman [dropdown]
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple [dropdown] **Secondary Caretaker:** Simon Altman [dropdown]

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents [dropdown]

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [dropdown] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Residential Care Centers (RCCs)

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' application window with the 'eWiSACWIS' logo and navigation icons (TM, Print, Spell Check, Help). The 'Child' section displays 'Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. The 'Provider' tab is active, showing a form with the following fields and options:

- This is a CPS Non-conforming Placement
- This is an Emergency Situation
- After Hours Placement
- Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.
- Administrative Code: [dropdown]
- Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
- Current Monthly Payment: \$8900.00
- Child Removal From Home Information**
- Manner: Court Ordered [dropdown]
- Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman [dropdown]
- Caretaker Structure: Married Couple [dropdown]
- Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman [dropdown]
- KIDS Referral**
- KIDS Referral
- Referral applies to: Both parents [dropdown]
- Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
- Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
- Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No
- Options: [dropdown]
-

The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Trusted sites', and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- If there is a name other than the RCC's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the RCC provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Respite Care Placements

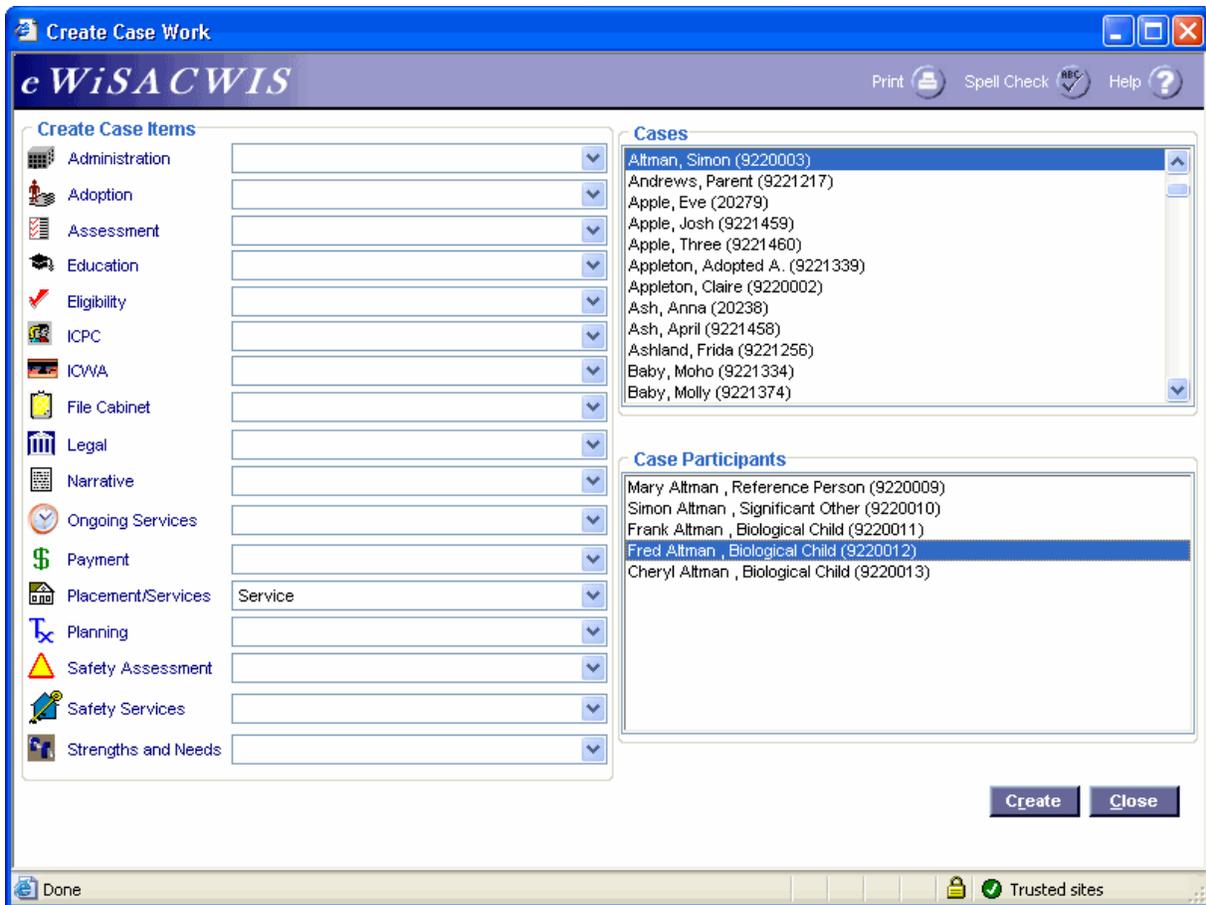
Respite care placements are documented as Services. Respite care can be provided to the child's family or to a placement provider. If respite care is provided to the child's family, the respite care placement is not a removal from home. If respite care is provided to a placement provider, the respite care placement is not a "change" in placement providers. When respite care is documented as a Service, each county has the option of generating or not generating a payment to the respite care provider via eWiSACWIS.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Respite Care Placements



Create Case Work Page (Service)

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Service > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Respite Care Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Service - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into two tabs: "Service" (selected) and "Provider".

Child Information:
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Information:

| | | | |
|--------------------------|------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| County: | Milwaukee | Service Category: | Respite Care |
| Service Begin: | 08/01/2009 | Service Type: | Respite Care - Paid |
| Service End: | 00/00/0000 | Service Detail: | Respite |
| Child Specific Rate: | \$0.00 | per | |
| Current Basic Rate: | | | |
| Costs > Spending Limit: | \$0.00 | | |
| Current Monthly Payment: | | | |

Options: [dropdown] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Done Local intranet

Service Page > Service Tab (Service)

Step 2 of 3

- On the Service tab of the Service page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the service in the Service Begin field.
- In the Service Category field choose Respite Care.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value of Respite Care - Paid or Respite Care - Non Paid.
- In the Service Detail field choose Respite.

Respite Care Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Service - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into two tabs: "Service" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is active, displaying "Provider Information" for Sarah Blue (ID: 9221182). The information includes contact details, address (100 Oak Street, Abrams, WI 54101), and phone numbers. Below this, there is a "Payment Information" section with a dropdown for "Target Pop" set to "CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61)", an unchecked "Override Parent Agency rule" checkbox, and a "Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed" field. A "Kinship Care" section contains a dropdown for "Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider". At the bottom, there is an "Options" dropdown, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Trusted sites".

Service Page > Provider Tab (Service)

Step 3 of 3

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the Service and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval > and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Service page.

Secure Detention Placements

Placements of children in secure detention need to be documented in eWiSACWIS if the facility is being used as or becomes a primary physical placement of the child. This type of placement must be as an “out-of-home placement” on the Out of Home Placement page. For example, a child is taken into temporary physical custody and placed in the facility, or the facility is used as a sanction or a hold, but the child does not return home from a sanction or hold as originally anticipated, the use of the facility constitutes an out-of-home placement.

However, when secure detention is being used as a temporary corrective action service, such as sanction or a 72 hour hold, then the data entry may only be entered as a “service” on the Service page. Although the Service documentation is not required, counties are encouraged to enter the use of the facility in eWiSACWIS in order to most accurately document all of the case management tasks for that particular child.

Please note, if the use of a secure detention facility is initially invoked as a sanction or hold and the child (or juvenile) does not return home, and instead remains in the facility for continuing placement or pending placement in another setting, then the use of the facility must be documented as an Out of Home Placement. This may mean ending the original Service for reason of “Made in error” and documenting the placement on the Out of Home Placement page.

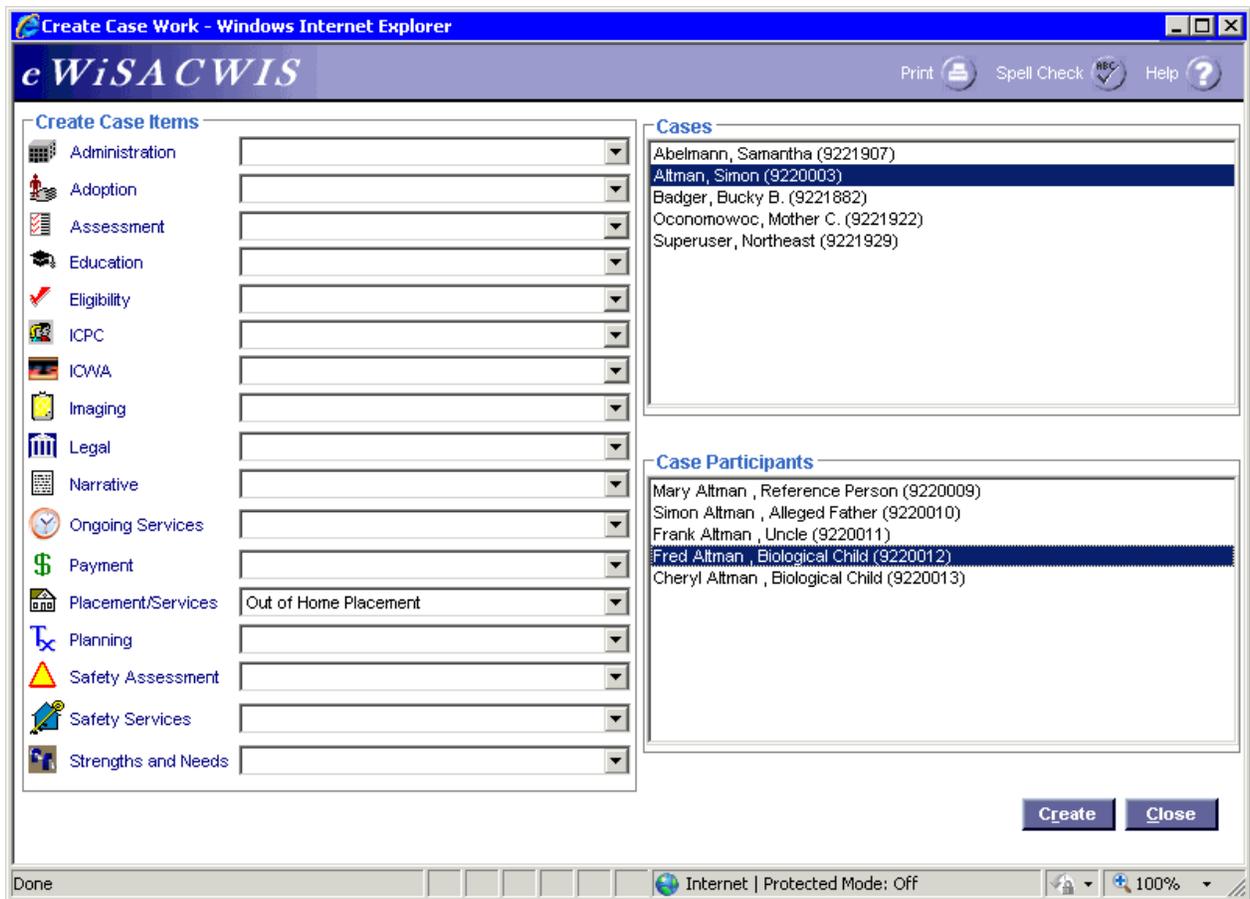
Counties will have the choice of paid and non-paid secure detention services. The paid services will be set up as “Non IV-E” as they are not IV-E claimable costs.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled “Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings” for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Secure Detention Placements



Create Case Work Page (Out of Home Placement)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Secure Detention Placements

Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee
Removed From Home: 09/01/2009
Placement Begin: 09/01/2009
Placement End: 00/00/0000
VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Secure Detention - OHP
Service Type: Secure Detention - Non Paid
Placement Setting: Detention
Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per
Current Basic Rate:
Supplemental Amount: \$0.00
Exceptional Amount: \$0.00
Administrative Fee: \$0.00
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement
 This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered
Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman

Options: [Go] [Save] [Close]

Done Trusted sites

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Secure Detention - OHP.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value of Secure Detention – Non Paid or Secure Detention - Paid.
- In the Placement Setting field choose the appropriate value.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Secure Detention Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

This is a CPS Non-Complying Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered
Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman
Caretaker Structure: Married Couple
Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Referral applies to: Both parents

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No
Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No
Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: [] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement) (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Secure Detention Placements

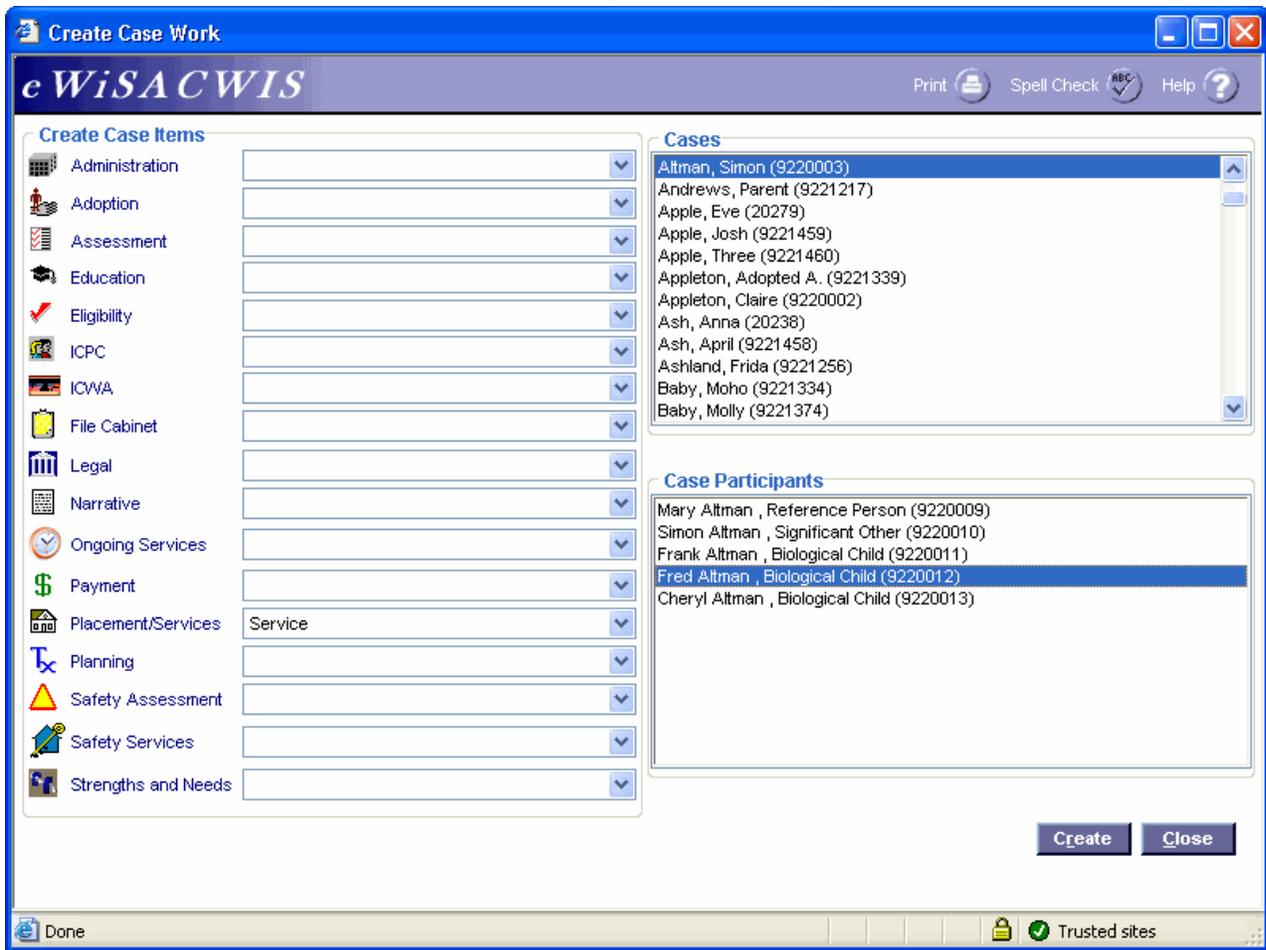
The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The page header includes the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into tabs for "Child" and "Provider". The "Child" tab is active, showing fields for "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". Below this, there are two tabs: "Service" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is selected, displaying a form with several sections: "Provider Information" (Name: AAA Agency, ID: 20170, Contact: [blank], Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider: [blank], C/O: [blank], Street: 123 Camp Randall Avenue, Apt: [blank], City: Madison, State: WI, Zip: 53701, Country: [blank], Phone: (608)123-1234, Ext: [blank], Fax: [blank], Alt Phone: [blank], Alt Ext: [blank], Email: [blank]), "Payment Information" (Parent Agency: AAA Agency, Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61), Details, Override Parent Agency rule checkbox, Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00), "School District Information" (Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269), and "Kinship Care" (Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider: [blank]). At the bottom of the form, there is a "Split Payment" button, an "Options:" dropdown menu, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons. The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Trusted sites".

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Secure Detention Placements



Create Case Work Page (Service)

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Service > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Secure Detention Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Service" with the eWiSACWIS logo. The page is for a child named "Altman, Fred (9220012)" with case name "Altman, Simon (9220003)". The "Service" tab is active, showing the following information:

| Service Information | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| County: | Milwaukee |
| Service Begin: | 08/01/2008 |
| Service End: | 00/00/0000 |
| Service Category: | Secure Detention - In Home |
| Service Type: | Secure Detention - Non Paid |
| Service Detail: | Detention |
| Child Specific Rate: | \$0.00 per |
| Current Basic Rate: | |
| Costs > Spending Limit: | \$0.00 |
| Current Monthly Payment: | \$0.00 |

At the bottom, there is an "Options:" dropdown menu, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons. The browser status bar shows "Done" and "Trusted sites".

Service Page > Service Tab (Service)

Step 2 of 3

- On the Service tab of the Service page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day the service began in the Service Begin field.
- In the Service Category field choose Secure Detention - In Home.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate secure detention service of Secure Detention – Non Paid or Secure Detention – Paid.
- In the Service Detail field choose Detention.

Secure Detention Placements

Service

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Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Provider Information
Name: AAA Agency [Search](#) ID: 20170 Contact:
C/O:
Street: 255 Hoosier Blvd. Apt:
City: Madison State: WI Zip: 53701 Country:
Phone: (608)515-4566 Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
Email:

Payment Information
Parent Agency: AAA Agency
Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)
 Override Parent Agency rule
Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

Kinship Care
Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment

Options:

Done Trusted sites

Service Page > Provider Tab (Service)

Step 3 of 3

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the Service and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval > and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Service page.

Shelter Care Placements

Placements of children in shelter care need to be documented in eWiSACWIS if the facility is being used as or becomes a primary physical placement of the child. This type of placement must be as an “out-of-home placement” on the Out of Home Placement page. For example, a child is taken into temporary physical custody and placed in the facility, or the facility is used as a sanction or a hold, but the child does not return home from a sanction or hold as originally anticipated, the use of the facility constitutes an out-of-home placement.

However, when the shelter is being used as a temporary corrective action service, such as sanctions or a 72 hour hold, then the data entry may only be entered as a service on the Service page. Although documentation of the Service is not required, counties are encouraged to enter the use of the facility in eWiSACWIS in order to most accurately document all of the case management tasks for that particular child.

Please note, if the use of the shelter is initially invoked as a sanction or hold and the child (or juvenile) does not return home, and instead, remains in the facility for continuing placement or pending placement in another setting, then the use of the facility must be documented as an Out of Home Placement. This may mean ending the original Service for reason of “Made in error” and documenting the placement on the Out of Home Placement page.

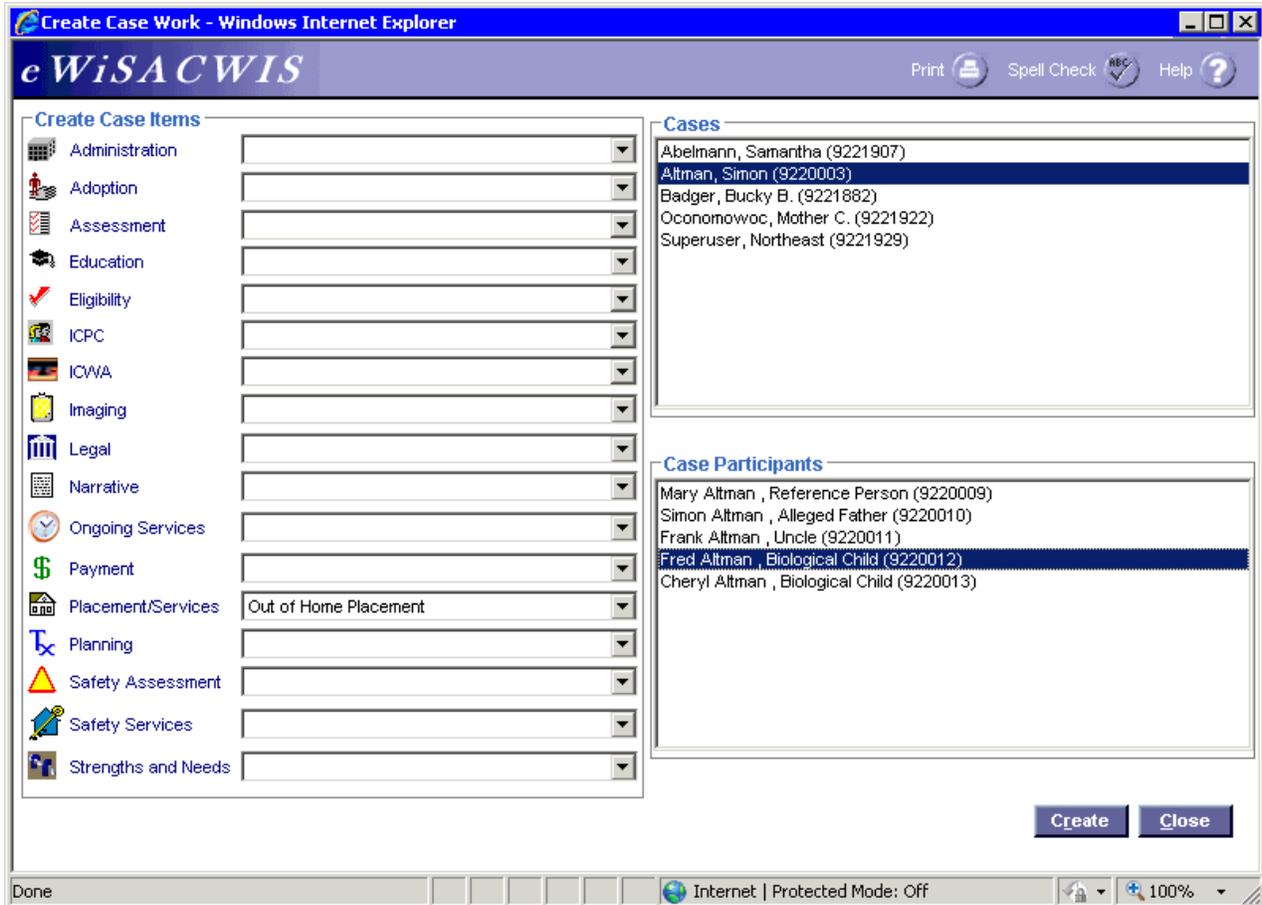
Counties will have the choice of paid and non-paid shelter services. The paid services will be set up as “Title IV-E (Regular)” as they are claimable costs.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled “Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings” for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Shelter Care Placements



Create Case Work Page (Out of Home Placement)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Shelter Care Placements

Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
 Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/01/2009

Placement Begin: 09/01/2009

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Shelter Care - OHP

Service Type: Shelter Care - Non Paid

Placement Setting: Shelter

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Rate:

Supplemental Amount: \$0.00

Exceptional Amount: \$0.00

Administrative Fee: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment:

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Court Ordered **Primary Caretaker:** Mary Altman

Options: Save Close

Done Trusted sites

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Shelter Care - OHP.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value of Shelter Care – Non Paid or Shelter Care – Paid.
- In the Placement Setting field choose the appropriate value.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Shelter Care Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' window in the eWiSACWIS system. The window title is 'Out of Home Placement' and the application logo is 'eWiSACWIS'. The page is divided into two tabs: 'Service' (selected) and 'Provider'. The 'Child' information section shows 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. The 'Service' tab contains several sections: 'This is a CPS Non-Complying Placement' with checkboxes for 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.'; 'Child Removal From Home Information' with dropdowns for 'Manner: Court Ordered', 'Caretaker Structure: Married Couple', 'Primary Caretaker: Mary Altman', and 'Secondary Caretaker: Simon Altman'; and 'KIDS Referral' with a dropdown for 'Referral applies to: Both parents' and three questions with radio button options for 'Yes' and 'No'. At the bottom, there are 'Options:' dropdown, 'Save', and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Trusted sites', and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement (continued))

Step 3 of 4

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Shelter Care Placements

Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

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Child
 Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Provider Information

Name: AAA Agency [Search](#) ID: 20170 Contact:
 Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
 C/O:
 Street: 123 Camp Randall Avenue Apt:
 City: Madison State: WI Zip: 53701 Country:
 Phone: (608)123-1234 Ext: Fax: Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
 Email:

Payment Information
 Parent Agency: AAA Agency
 Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) [Details](#)
 Override Parent Agency rule
 Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00

School District Information
 Provider's School District Code:
 Madison Metropolitan - 3269

Kinship Care
 Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:

Split Payment

Options: [Go](#) [Save](#) [Close](#)

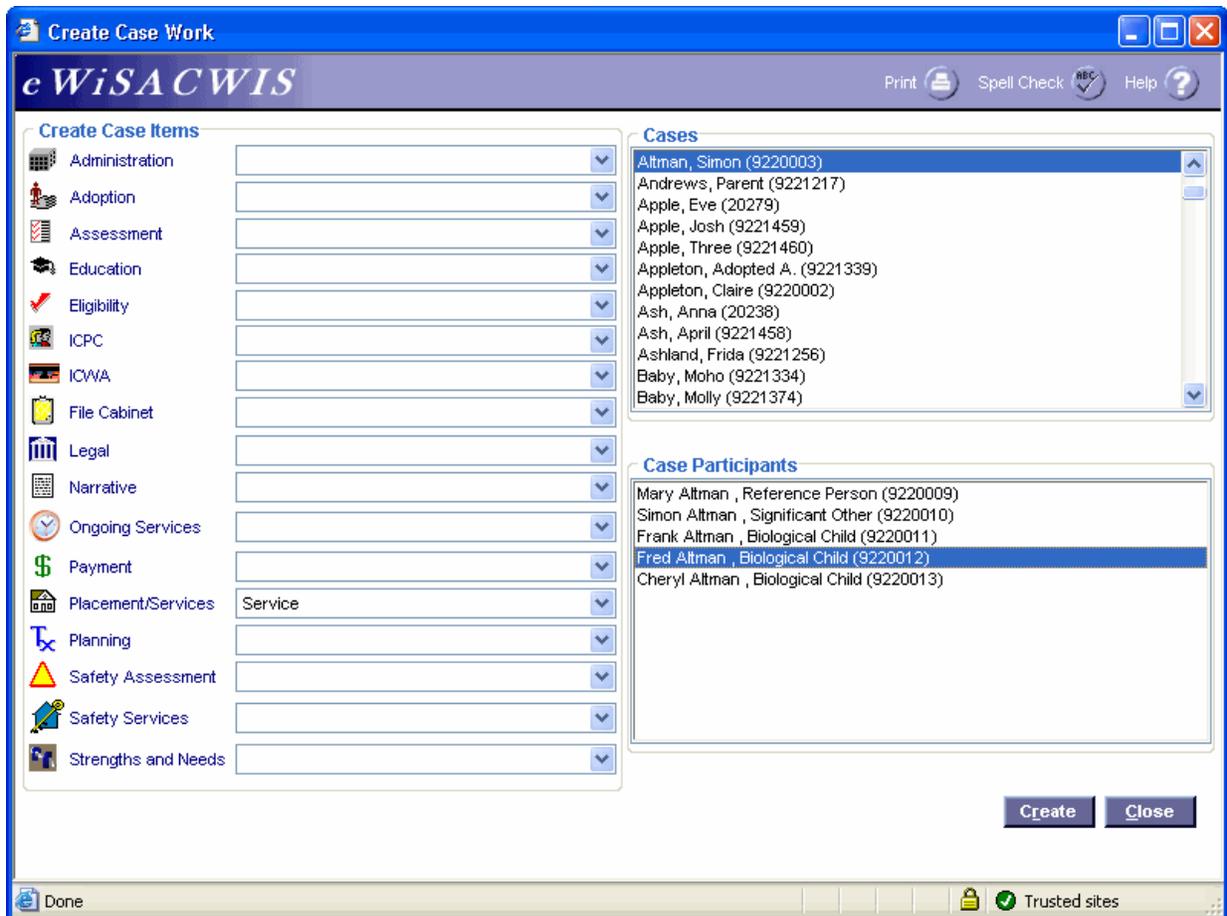
Done Trusted sites

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Shelter Care Placements



Create Case Work Page (Service)

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Service > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Shelter Care Placements

Service - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin

eWiSACWIS TM Print Spell Check Help

Child
Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Service Information

County: Milwaukee Service Category: Shelter Care - In Home
Service Begin: 08/01/2009 Service Type: Shelter Care - Paid
Service End: 00/00/0000 Service Detail: Shelter
Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per
Current Basic Rate:
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

Options: Save Close

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Service Page > Service Tab (Service)

Step 2 of 3

- On the Service tab of the Service page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day the service began in the Service Begin field.
- In the Service Category field choose Shelter Care - In Home.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate shelter care service.
- In the Service Detail field choose Shelter.

Shelter Care Placements

The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS web application interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the application name and navigation icons. Below the header, the 'Child' information is displayed: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), and Request Number: [blank]. The 'Service' and 'Provider' tabs are visible, with 'Provider' selected. The 'Provider Information' section includes: Name: AAA Agency, ID: 20170, Contact: [blank], CAO: [blank], Street: 255 Hoosier Blvd., Apt: [blank], City: Madison, State: WI, Zip: 53701, Country: [blank], Phone: (608)515-4566, Ext: [blank], Fax: [blank], Alt Phone: [blank], Alt Ext: [blank], and Email: [blank]. The 'Payment Information' section shows: Parent Agency: AAA Agency, Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) (with a 'Details' link), an 'Override Parent Agency rule' checkbox, and Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00. The 'Kinship Care' section has a 'Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:' dropdown menu. At the bottom, there is an 'Options:' dropdown menu with a 'Go' button, and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser's status bar at the very bottom shows 'Done' and 'Trusted sites'.

Service Page > Provider Tab (Service)

Step 3 of 3

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the Service and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval > and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Service page.

Supervised Independent Living Placements

A Supervised Independent Living placement offers 16- to 21-year-olds, who are in court ordered out-of-home care (OHC) placement through the county, the ability to live in their own (or shared) apartment, flat or room with supervision, support and monitoring from a caseworker and/or provider from a contracted agency.

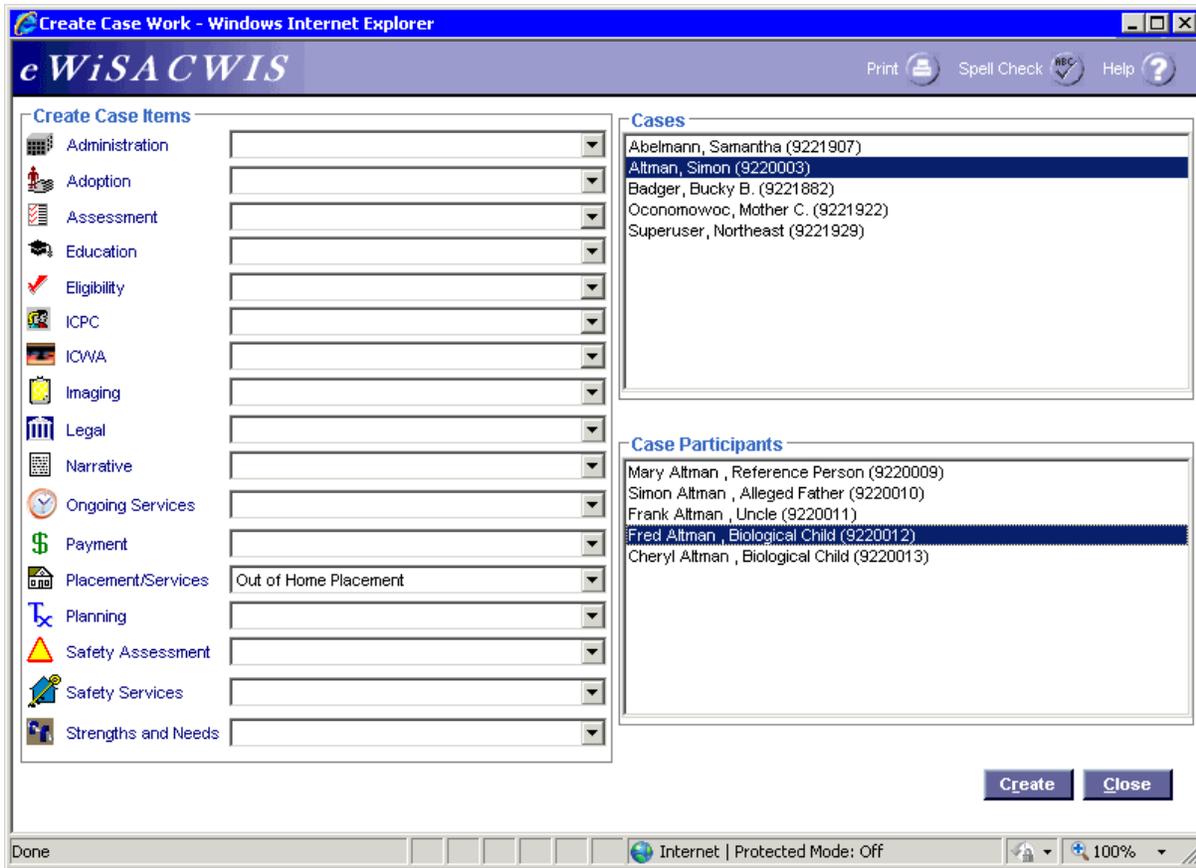
The county responsible for supervision of the youth maintains case management and any associated ongoing services for the duration of the court order. In addition, the county provides financial assistance when needed.

Supervisory contact with the youth can range from moderate (2-3 times a week based on stability of the youth and the length of time the youth has been involved in Supervised Independent Living) to intense (where daily contact with the youth is necessary for a successful placement).

The system function described below gives workers the ability to record a Supervised Living placement setting by using the Out of Home Placement page. Effective January 1, 2008, children are eligible for Medicaid coverage for an additional 3 years if they were in an OHC placement setting at the time they aged out from an out-of-home care setting.

Note: If the county child welfare agency or BMCW or contracted agency is not supervising a child's independent living placement, then the placement should not be documented in eWiSACWIS and the final placement prior to the independent living placement should be documented as a discharge.

Supervised Independent Living Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Supervised Independent Living Placements

The screenshot shows the 'eWiSACWIS' web application interface. At the top, the browser title is 'Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin'. The page header includes the 'eWiSACWIS' logo and navigation icons for 'TM', 'Print', 'Spell Check', and 'Help'. Below the header, there is a 'Child' section with fields for 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. The main content area is divided into two tabs: 'Service' (selected) and 'Provider'. Under the 'Service' tab, there is a 'Placement Information' section. This section contains several fields: 'County' (Milwaukee), 'Removed From Home' (09/01/2009), 'Placement Begin' (09/01/2009), 'Placement End' (00/00/0000), and 'VPA Effective' (00/00/0000). There are also checkboxes for 'Removal Reasons' such as 'This is an Adoptive Placement', 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute'. To the right of these fields are 'Service Category' (Supervised Independent Living), 'Service Type' (Supervised Independent Living - Paid), 'Placement Setting' (Supervised Independent Living), 'Child Specific Rate' (\$0.00 per month), 'Current Basic Rate' (\$500.00 per month), 'Supplemental Amount', 'Exceptional Amount', 'Administrative Fee' (\$0.00), 'Costs > Spending Limit' (\$0.00), and 'Current Monthly Payment' (\$500.00). Below the 'Placement Information' section is a 'Child Removal From Home Information' section with 'Manner' (Court Ordered) and 'Primary Caretaker' (Mary Altman). At the bottom of the form, there is an 'Options' dropdown menu and 'Save' and 'Close' buttons. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done' and 'Trusted sites'.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- In the Service Category field choose Supervised Independent Living.
- In the Service Type field choose either Supervised Independent Living - Paid or Supervised Independent Living - Non Paid, depending on the type of service that is being provided.
- In the Placement Setting field choose Supervised Independent Living.
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Supervised Independent Living Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' page in the eWiSACWIS system. The browser title is 'Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer'. The page header includes the eWiSACWIS logo and navigation icons for Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Child Information:** Child: Altman, Fred (9220012); Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003); Request Number: [blank].
- Service/Provider Tabs:** The 'Service' tab is active.
- Placement Options:** Includes checkboxes for 'This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement', 'This is an Emergency Situation', 'After Hours Placement', and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute'. There are also input fields for 'Costs > Spending Limit' (set to \$0.00) and 'Current Monthly Payment' (set to \$500.00).
- Child Removal From Home Information:** Includes dropdown menus for 'Manner', 'Primary Caretaker', 'Caretaker Structure', and 'Secondary Caretaker'.
- KIDS Referral:** A dropdown menu is set to 'Both parents'. Below are three questions with radio button options for 'Yes' and 'No':
 - Is this referral in the best interest of the child? (Yes selected)
 - Is this placement expected to be long term? (No selected)
 - Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? (No selected)
- Options:** A dropdown menu and a 'Go' button.
- Buttons:** 'Save' and 'Close' buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Supervised Independent Living Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application is "eWiSACWIS". At the top, there are navigation links for "Child", "Service", and "Provider". The "Child" section shows "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". The "Provider" tab is active, showing "Provider Information" for "AAA Agency" with ID 20170. Fields include Name, Contact, C/O, Street (123 Camp Randall Avenue), City (Madison), State (WI), Zip (53701), Country, Phone (608)123-1234, Ext, Fax, Alt Phone, and Alt Ext. Below this are "Payment Information" (Parent Agency: AAA Agency, Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61), Override Parent Agency rule checkbox, Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed: \$0.00) and "School District Information" (Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269). A "Kinship Care" section has a "Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider" dropdown. At the bottom, there is a "Split Payment" button, an "Options" dropdown, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider. The provider is either the county or contracted agency that is supervising the child's placement. You may need to create a provider record for your county (where your county agency is the provider).
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

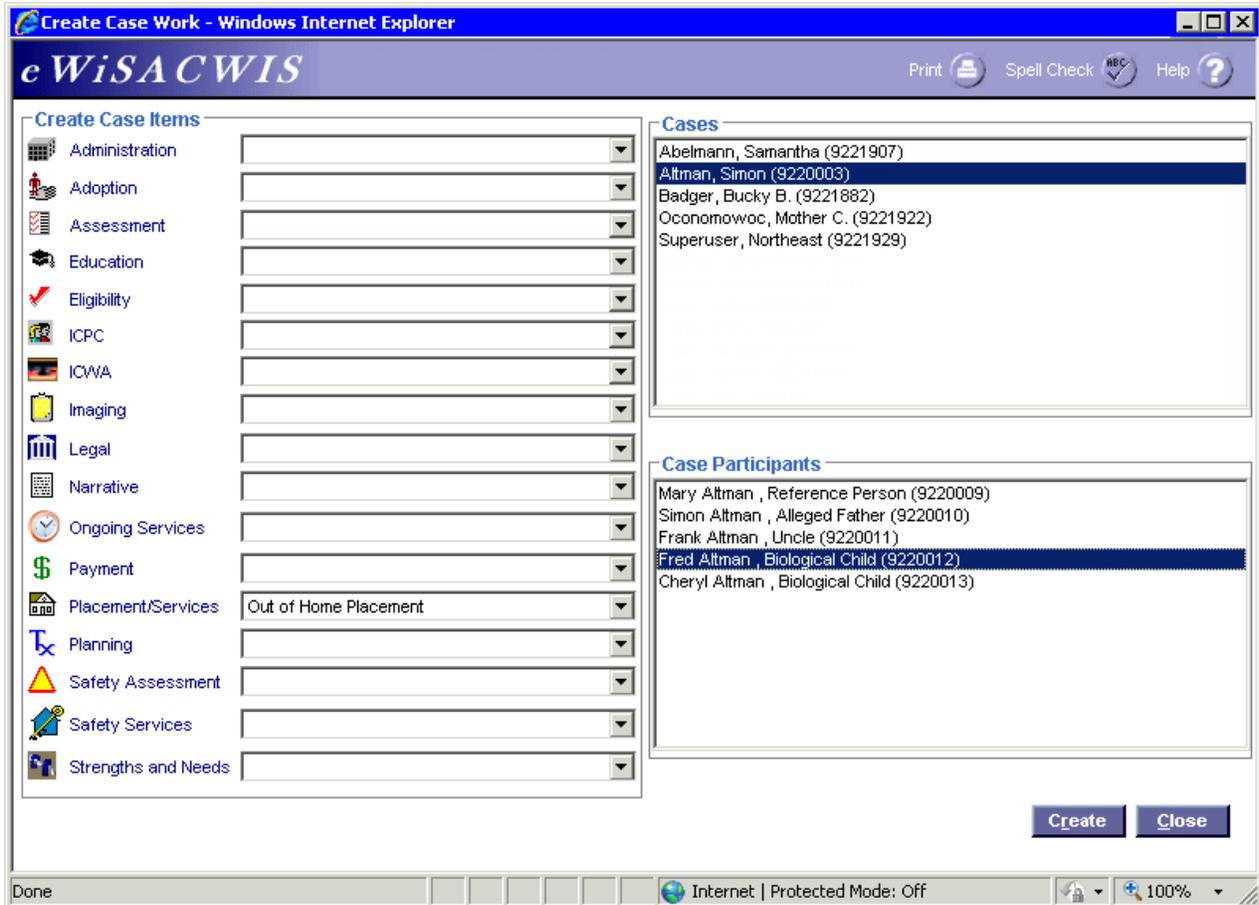
A treatment foster home is a home provider. The treatment foster homes are paid according to the Uniform Foster Care Rate. Any payment over the basic rate must be documented on the Foster Care Rate page. The supplemental amount is determined by a completed Child & Adolescent Needs & Strengths (CANS). The administrative rate paid to the parent agency is set by contract.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled "Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings" for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Treatment Foster Home Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 5

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

Child
 Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/15/2002

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

This is an Adoptive Placement
 This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting:

Child's Level of Need:
 Provider's Level of Care:

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:
 Supplemental Costs:
 Exceptional Costs:
 Administrative Costs:
 Costs > Spending Limit:
 Current Monthly Payment:

Options: [Dropdown] [Go]

[Save] [Close]

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 5

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose Foster Care.
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate foster home service type based upon the child's current age.
- The Placement Setting field will be enabled after you have searched out a provider (See step 4 on page 152).
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA Quick Reference Guide for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the eWiSACWIS application. The page is for a "Child" and has tabs for "Service" and "Provider". The "Service" tab is active, showing a form with the following sections:

- Child Information:** Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), Request Number: (empty).
- Service Selection:** A list of checkboxes for placement types: "This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement", "This is an Emergency Situation", "After Hours Placement", and "Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute". To the right are fields for "Administrative Costs:", "Costs > Spending Limit:", and "Current Monthly Payment:".
- Child Removal From Home Information:** Fields for "Manner:", "Caretaker Structure:", "Primary Caretaker:", and "Secondary Caretaker:", each with a dropdown menu.
- KIDS Referral:** A section with a "KIDS Referral" dropdown and a "Referral applies to:" dropdown set to "Both parents". It contains three questions with radio button options for "Yes" and "No":
 - "Is this referral in the best interest of the child?" (Yes selected)
 - "Is this placement expected to be long term?" (No selected)
 - "Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services?" (No selected)
- Options:** A dropdown menu and a "Go" button.
- Buttons:** "Save" and "Close" buttons.

The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done", "Internet | Protected Mode: Off", and "100%" zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 3 of 5

- Answer the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate values for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer' window with the 'eWiSACWIS' logo. The 'Child' tab is active, displaying 'Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)', 'Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)', and 'Request Number:'. Below this, the 'Provider' tab is selected, showing 'Provider Information' for 'Frankie Provider' with ID '20170'. The form includes fields for 'Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):', 'C/O:', 'Street: 1234', 'City: Menomonee Falls', 'Phone: Ext: Fax:', 'Email:', 'Apt:', 'State: WI', 'Zip: 53051', 'Country: United States', 'Alt Phone:', and 'Alt Ext:'. There are also sections for 'Payment Information' (Parent Agency: Parent Agency, Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61), Override Parent Agency rule checkbox, Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed) and 'School District Information' (Provider's School District Code: Menomonee Falls - 3437). A 'Kinship Care' section is also present with a 'Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider' dropdown. At the bottom, there are 'Options:', 'Go', 'Save', and 'Close' buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

Step 4 of 5

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider. You will be searching for the name of the foster home, not the agency that licenses the home.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- Ensure that the correct parent agency is reflected in the Payment Information group box.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- If there is a name other than the foster home provider's name in the Parent Agency field and the payment is to go directly to the foster home provider, then check the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox. If the Override Parent Agency rule checkbox is not selected, eWiSACWIS will generate the automatic payment(s) to the Child Placing Agency.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

eWISACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Service Category: Foster Care

Service Type: Foster Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting: Treatment Foster Home - Non-Relative

Removed From Home: 09/15/2002

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Child's Level of Need: 3
Provider's Level of Care: 3

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs:

Exceptional Costs:

Administrative Costs:

Costs > Spending Limit:

Current Monthly Payment:

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Options: [Dropdown] Go

Save Close

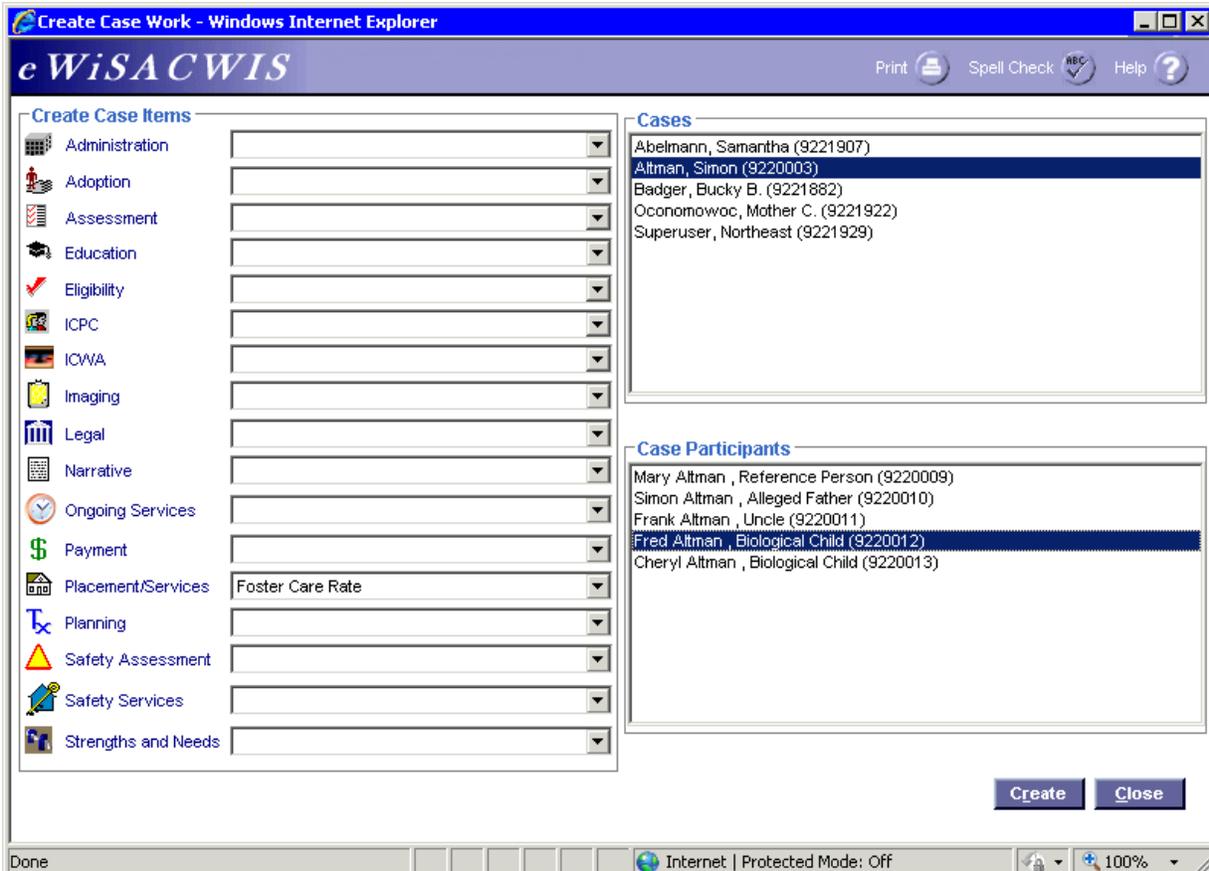
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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 5

- In the Placement Setting field, choose the appropriate value of Treatment Foster Family Home – Non-Relative or Foster Family Home – Relative.
Note: The provider's certification level on the foster home license must be a level 3, 4, or 5 in order to select the appropriate Treatment Foster Home Placement Setting.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Treatment Foster Home Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 2

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Foster Care Rate > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Treatment Foster Home Placements

Participant Information

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Rate Effective Date: 02/04/2011
 Case: Altman, Simon (9220003) Rate End Date: 00/00/0000
 Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170)

Supplemental Rate

CANS Effective Date: 02/04/2011
 CANS End Date: 08/04/2011
 Child's Level of Need: 3
 Provider Level of Care: 3
 Supplemental Points: 19 \$104.50
 LONLOC Value:

Uniform Foster Care Rate

Current Basic Costs: \$455.00
 Supplemental Costs: \$104.50
 Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
 Administrative Costs: \$75.00
 Cost > Spending Limit: \$0.00
 Total Monthly Costs: \$684.50

Administrative

Administrative: \$75.00

Exceptional Rate

Transportation to School of Origin: \$0.00
 Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
 Payment Justification:
 justify monthly exceptional costs here...

Monthly Payment Explanation

Options: [Dropdown] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Foster Care Rate Page

Step 2 of 2

Note: In order to pay a foster home a rate above the basic rate, the worker must complete the Foster Care Rate page and send it to your agency's Rate Setter for approval.

- Enter the Rate Effective Date. The rate cannot be prior to the Effective Date of the CANS. Once a date is entered, the page will refresh to bring in the Supplemental Rate information from the CANS, as well as the Current Basic Costs.
- In the Administrative Fee field add the administrative fee for that foster home, if applicable. This fee is set by contract and can be obtained from your fiscal manager.
- Enter any applicable costs in the Exceptional Rate group box. If either checkbox is selected in the Exceptional Rate group box, justify the exceptional costs by completing the Payment Justification.
- Once all amounts have been entered, click the Save button to update the amounts in the Uniform Foster Care Rate group box.
- To approve the rate setting and send it to the agency's Rate Setter for approval choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Foster Care Rate page.

Trial Reunification

The system function described below gives workers the ability to record a Trial Reunification (a.k.a. Trial Home Visit) placement by using the Out of Home Placement page. In addition to being able to record a placement, the Trial Reunification Memo can be used to communicate the initiation or ending of a Trial Reunification with the court.

The memo and the processes associated with that template will be discussed at the end of this How Do I.

Creating a Trial Reunification Placement

The screenshot displays the eWiSACWIS web application interface within a Windows Internet Explorer browser. The page title is "Richard J. Worker's Desktop". At the top, there is a navigation menu with options: "Create", "Maintain", "Utilities", "Adoption Search", and "Help". On the right side of the header, there are icons for "Case Work", "Provider Work", and "Search". Below the header, there are several sections:

- Filters:** Date Restricted, Participant View, View Not Approved/Cancelled
- Ticklers:** A section with a right-pointing arrow icon.
- Cases (6):** A dropdown menu icon followed by a list of cases:
 - Abelmann, Samantha (9221907) Actions:** CPS Family - Ongoing 09/28/2007 Worker, Richard J. Forest - Crandon FSL: Low
 - Adams, Mom (9222276) Actions:** CPS Family - Initial Assessment 04/20/2010 Worker, Richard J. State Central Office 111 Adams Lane , Adams, WI 53910
- Access Reports** (with a document icon)
- Assessment** (with a checklist icon)
- Assets and Income** (with a wallet icon)
- Assignment** (with a calendar icon)
- Eligibility** (with a checkmark icon)
- ICPC** (with a document icon)
- Legal** (with a scale icon)
- Placements** (with a house icon)
 - Open Placements:**
 - Out of Home Placement - Foster Home (0-4 years old):** 02/04/2011 County, Fondy Adams, Allie Milwaukee Approved
 - CANS Out of Home 02/04/2011 Adams, Allie Approved**
 - Foster Care Rate \$468.50:** 02/04/2011 Adams, Allie Approved

- Related People** (with a group of people icon)

Desktop Step 1 of 7

- To create the Trial Reunification placement, you must first end the existing out of home placement. Access the open Out of Home Placement from the outliner.

Trial Reunification

Child
Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case Name: Adams, Mom (9222276) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee
Removed From Home: 02/04/2011
Placement Begin: 02/04/2011
Placement End: 00/00/0000
VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Foster Care
Service Type: Foster Home (0-4 yrs)
Placement Setting: Fstr Fam Hm (Non-Rel)
Child's Level of Need: 2
Provider's Level of Care: 2
Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per
Current Basic Costs: \$366.00 per month
Supplemental Costs: \$27.50 [Foster Care Rate](#)
Exceptional Costs: \$75.00
Administrative Costs: \$0.00
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment: \$468.50

Removal Reasons

- This is an Adoptive Placement
- This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
- This is an Emergency Situation
- After Hours Placement
- Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Options: [Go] [Save] [Close]

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 7

- Choose Placement Ending from the Options drop-down and click Go.

Trial Reunification

Child
Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case: Adams, Mom (9222276)
Provider: County, Fondy (9221538) Service Begin: 02/04/2011

Service Ending

End Date: 04/06/2011

Ending Purpose: Placement Change within Plcmt Episode

End Reason: Trial Reunification

Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements?
 Yes No N/A

Discharge Reason: [Dropdown]

Override

Options: [Dropdown] **Go** **Save** **Close**

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Service Ending Page

Step 3 of 7

- Enter the End Date of the placement.
- In the Ending Purpose field choose Placement Change within Plcmt Episode.
- In the End Reason field choose Trial Reunification.
- Select Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Ending.

Upon clicking Save on the Service Ending page you will receive the following message:

eWiSACWIS -- Web Page Dialog

Ending this placement for reason of 'Trial Reunification' will create a pending placement. Please access the pending placement after final approval from the outliner. Continue?

Yes **No**

Trial Reunification



- It is important to note that the ending date must be a date prior to the current date.

Trial Reunification

eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer

eWiSACWIS Case Work Provider Work Search

Create Maintain Utilities Adoption Search Help

Richard J. Worker's Desktop

Date Restricted Participant View View Not Approved/Cancelled

Ticklers

Cases (6)

- [Abelmann, Samantha \(9221907\) Actions](#)
CPS Family - Ongoing 09/28/2007 Worker, Richard J. Forest - Crandon FSL: Low
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 - Access Reports
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 - Assignment
 - Eligibility
 - ICPC
 - Legal
 - Placements
 - Pending Placements**
 - [Out of Home Placement - Trial Reunification](#)
04/07/2011 Trial Reunification, Default Adams, Allie Milwaukee Pending
 - Closed Placements**
 - [Out of Home Placement - Foster Home \(0-4 years old\)](#)
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 County, Fondy Adams, Allie Milwaukee Trial Reunification Closed
 - [CANS Out of Home 02/04/2011 Adams, Allie Approved](#)
 - [Foster Care Rate \\$468.50](#)
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 Adams, Allie New Foster Care Rate Closed
 - Planning
 - Related People

Desktop

Step 4 of 7

- Access the pending Trial Reunification placement from the outliner.

Trial Reunification

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Badger, BabyGirl (8987131) Case Name: Badger, Bucky (8184666) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 09/01/2009

Placement Begin: 04/07/2010

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Trial Reunification

Service Type: Trial Reunification

Placement Setting: Trial Reunification

Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Rate:

Supplemental Amount: \$0.00

Exceptional Amount: \$0.00

Administrative Fee: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner:

Primary Caretaker:

Options:

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 5 of 7

- Notice the Placement Begin, Service Category, Service Type and Placement Setting have been completed. Also, the placement is correctly setup to not pay.
- If the child is identified as American Indian, the ICWA tab will show the placement preference as not applicable, as it does not apply to Trial Reunification placements. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Trial Reunification

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Badger, BabyGirl (8987131) Case Name: Badger, Bucky (8184666) Request Number:

Service Provider

This is an Adoptive Placement Exceptional Amount: \$0.00

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement Administrative Fee: \$0.00

This is an Emergency Situation Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

After Hours Placement Current Monthly Payment: \$0.00

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: Primary Caretaker:

Caretaker Structure: Secondary Caretaker:

KIDS Referral

KIDS Referral

Is this referral in the best interest of the child? Yes No

Is this placement expected to be long term? Yes No

Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? Yes No

Options: Go

Done Trusted sites 100%

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (continued)

Step 6 of 7

- Notice the KIDS Referral questions have been completed.

Trial Reunification

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer". The page header displays the "eWiSACWIS" logo and navigation icons for TM, Print, Spell Check, and Help. The main content area is titled "Child" and contains the following information:

- Child: Adams, Allie (9226768)
- Case Name: Adams, Mom (9222276)
- Request Number:

Below this information are two tabs: "Service" and "Provider". The "Provider" tab is selected, showing the following sections:

- Provider Information:**
 - Name: Default Trial-Reunification ID: 8022379
 - Contact:
 - Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable):
 - C/O:
 - Street: 111 Adams Lane
 - City: Adams
 - Phone: Ext: Fax:
 - Apt:
 - State: WI Zip: 53910 Country: United States
 - Alt Phone: Alt Ext:
 - Email:
- Payment Information:**
 - Parent Agency: Default Trial-Reunification
 - Target Pop: [Dropdown Menu] Details
 - Override Parent Agency rule
 - Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed:
- School District Information:**
 - Provider's School District Code: [Dropdown Menu]
- Kinship Care:**
 - Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider: [Dropdown Menu]

At the bottom of the form, there is a "Split Payment" button with a right-pointing arrow, an "Options:" dropdown menu, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab

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- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the placement and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue. Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Trial Reunification

Ending a Trial Reunification Placement (Successful)

The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS web application interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the text "eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer" and the application logo "eWiSACWIS". To the right of the logo are icons for "Case Work", "Provider Work", and "Search". Below the header is a navigation bar with links for "Create", "Maintain", "Utilities", "Adoption Search", and "Help".

The main content area is titled "Richard J. Worker's Desktop". Below the title are three checkboxes: "Date Restricted" (checked), "Participant View" (unchecked), and "View Not Approved/Cancelled" (unchecked).

Underneath, there are sections for "Ticklers" and "Cases (6)". The "Cases (6)" section lists several cases with their details:

- Abelmann, Samantha (9221907) Actions**
CPS Family - Ongoing 09/28/2007 Worker, Richard J. Forest - Crandon FSL: Low
- Adams, Mom (9222276) Actions**
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 04/20/2010 Worker, Richard J. State Central Office 111 Adams Lane , Adams, WI 53910

Below the cases, there are several menu items with icons: "Access Reports", "Assessment", "Assets and Income", "Assignment", "Eligibility", "ICPC", "Legal", and "Placements".

The "Placements" section is further divided into "Pending Placements" and "Closed Placements":

- Pending Placements**
 - Out of Home Placement - Trial Reunification**
04/07/2011 Trial Reunification, Default Adams, Allie Milwaukee Approved
- Closed Placements**
 - Out of Home Placement - Foster Home (0-4 years old)**
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 County, Fondy Adams, Allie Milwaukee Trial Reunification Closed
 - CANS Out of Home 02/04/2011 Adams, Allie Approved**
 - Foster Care Rate \$468.50**
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 Adams, Allie New Foster Care Rate Closed

At the bottom of the "Cases (6)" section, there are icons for "Planning" and "Related People".

Desktop

Step 1 of 3

- If a Trial Reunification was successful, then the Trial Reunification placement can be ended as a discharge from all placements with an appropriate End Reason. Access the open Trial Reunification Out of Home Placement from the outliner.

Trial Reunification

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

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Child

Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case Name: Adams, Mom (9222276) Request Number:

Service Provider

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee

Removed From Home: 01/01/2011

Placement Begin: 04/07/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Trial Reunification

Service Type: Trial Reunification

Placement Setting: Trial Reunification

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs: \$0.00

Exceptional Costs: \$0.00

Administrative Costs: \$0.00

Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00

Current Monthly Payment:

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner:

Primary Caretaker:

Options: **Go**

Actions

Approval

Non-Conforming Reasons

Placement Ending

Text

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Save **Close**

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 3

- Choose Placement Ending from the Options drop-down and select Go.

Trial Reunification

Child
Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case: Adams, Mom (9222276)
Provider: Trial-Reunification, Default (8022379) Service Begin: 04/07/2011

Service Ending

End Date: 04/19/2011

Ending Purpose: Discharge from Placement Episode

End Reason: Reunification w/ Parent(s)/Primary Crtr

Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements?
 Yes No N/A

Discharge Reason: Reunification w/ Parent(s)/Primary Crtr

Override

Options: [Go] [Save] [Close]

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Service Ending Page

Step 3 of 3

- On the Service Ending page, enter the End Date of the Trial Reunification placement.
- Choose the Ending Purpose of Discharge from Placement Episode.
- Choose the End Reason of Reunification w/Parent(s)/Primary Crtr.
- Choose the Discharge Reason of Reunification w/Parent(s)/Primary Crtr.

Choose Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Ending.

Upon selecting save on the Service Ending page, you will receive the following message:

Would you like to update the child's primary residence address to the case address?

[Yes] [No]

Trial Reunification

Ending a Trial Reunification Placement (Unsuccessful)

The screenshot shows the eWiSACWIS web application interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the text "eWiSACWIS - Windows Internet Explorer" and the "eWiSACWIS" logo. To the right of the logo are icons for "Case Work", "Provider Work", and "Search". Below the header is a navigation bar with links for "Create", "Maintain", "Utilities", "Adoption Search", and "Help".

The main content area is titled "Richard J. Worker's Desktop". Below the title are three checkboxes: "Date Restricted" (checked), "Participant View" (unchecked), and "View Not Approved/Cancelled" (unchecked).

Underneath, there are sections for "Ticklers" and "Cases (6)". The "Cases (6)" section is expanded to show a list of cases and their associated actions:

- Abelmann, Samantha (9221907) Actions**
CPS Family - Ongoing 09/28/2007 Worker, Richard J. Forest - Crandon FSL: Low
- Adams, Mom (9222276) Actions**
CPS Family - Initial Assessment 04/20/2010 Worker, Richard J. State Central Office 111 Adams Lane , Adams, WI 53910

Below the cases, there are several menu items with icons: "Access Reports", "Assessment", "Assets and Income", "Assignment", "Eligibility", "ICPC", "Legal", and "Placements".

The "Placements" section is expanded to show a list of placements:

- Pending Placements**
 - Out of Home Placement - Trial Reunification**
04/07/2011 Trial Reunification, Default Adams, Allie Milwaukee Approved
- Closed Placements**
 - Out of Home Placement - Foster Home (0-4 years old)**
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 County, Fondy Adams, Allie Milwaukee Trial Reunification Closed
 - CANS Out of Home 02/04/2011 Adams, Allie Approved**
 - Foster Care Rate \$468.50**
02/04/2011 04/06/2011 Adams, Allie New Foster Care Rate Closed

At the bottom of the "Placements" section, there are icons for "Planning" and "Related People".

Desktop

Step 1 of 3

- If a Trial Reunification was unsuccessful, then the Trial Reunification placement will need to be ended appropriately. Access the open Trial Reunification Out of Home Placement from the outliner.

Trial Reunification

Out of Home Placement - Windows Internet Explorer

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Child
Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case Name: Adams, Mom (9222276) Request Number:

Service **Provider**

Placement Information

County: Milwaukee
Removed From Home: 01/01/2011
Placement Begin: 04/07/2011
Placement End: 00/00/0000
VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: Trial Reunification
Service Type: Trial Reunification
Placement Setting: Trial Reunification

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per
Current Basic Costs:
Supplemental Costs: \$0.00
Exceptional Costs: \$0.00
Administrative Costs: \$0.00
Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Current Monthly Payment:

This is an Adoptive Placement
 This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement
 This is an Emergency Situation
 After Hours Placement
 Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Child Removal From Home Information

Manner: **Primary Caretaker:**

Options: **Go** **Save** **Close**

Actions
Approval
Non-Conforming Reasons
Placement Ending
Text
Text

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Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab

Step 2 of 3

- Choose Placement Ending from the Options drop-down and select Go.

Trial Reunification

Child
Child: Adams, Allie (9226768) Case: Adams, Mom (9222276)
Provider: Trial-Reunification, Default (8022379) Service Begin: 04/07/2011

Service Ending

End Date: 00/00/0000

Ending Purpose: [dropdown menu]

End Reason: [dropdown menu]

Is the End of This Child Placement a Discharge from All Placements?
 Yes No N/A

Discharge Reason: [dropdown menu]

Override

Options: [dropdown menu] **Go** **Save** **Close**

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Service Ending Page

Step 3 of 3

- On the Service Ending page, enter the End Date of the placement. Choose an Ending Purpose and an End Reason.
- Choose Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Ending.

Upon selecting save on the Service Ending page, you will receive the following message:

eWiSACWIS -- Web Page Dialog

You are ending the Trial Reunification placement. If you are returning the child to the previous provider please select 'Yes'. If not, select 'No' to end the placement.

Yes **No**

Trial Reunification

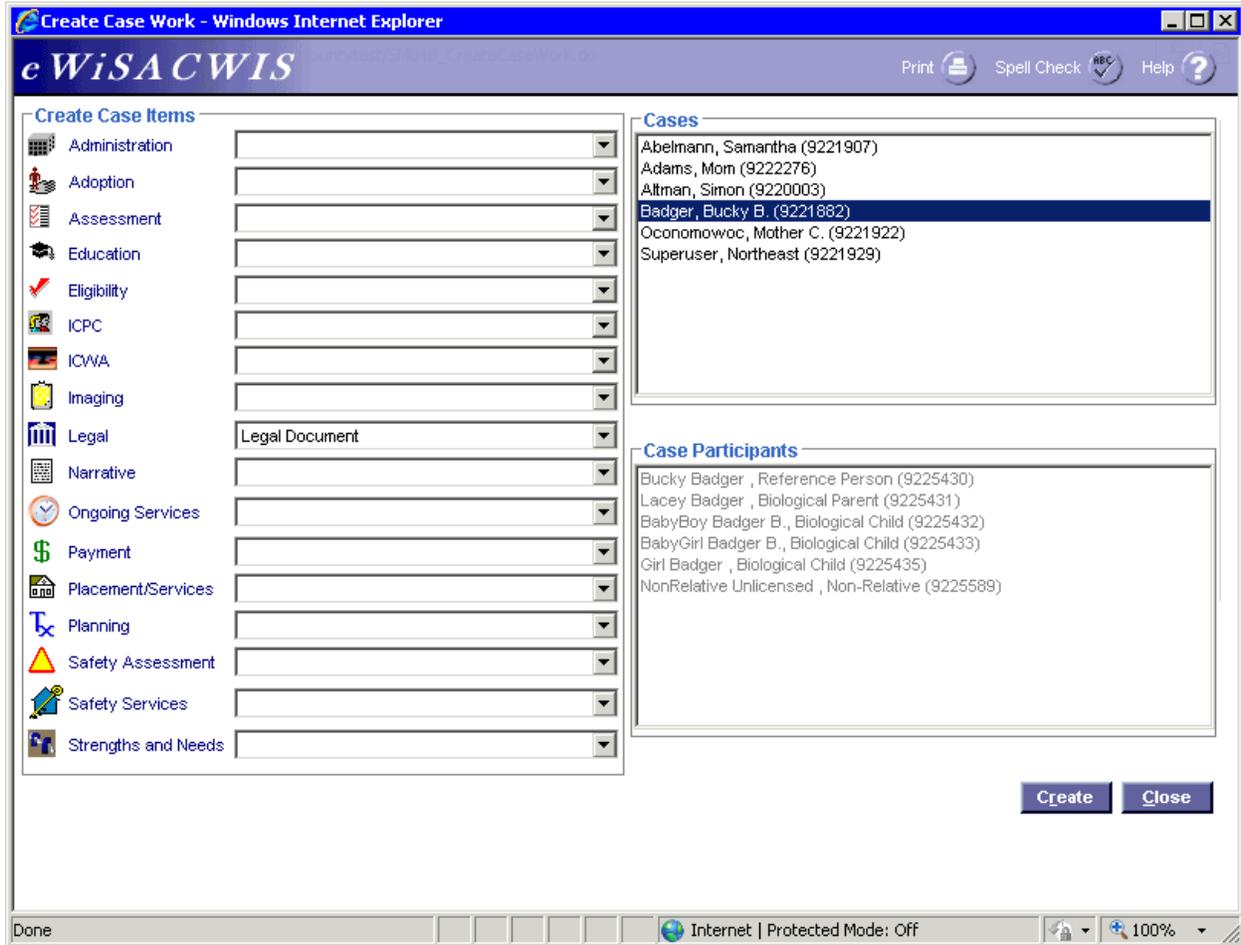
If you select 'Yes,' the system will auto-create a new pending Out of Home Placement with the previous provider. You will need to access this placement from the outliner to approve it. If you select 'No,' you will need to manually create a new Out of Home Placement with the new placement provider. Follow the standard process for creating the new Out of Home Placement via the Create Case Work page.

Trial Reunification

Using the Trial Reunification Memo

As mentioned above, there is a Trial Reunification Memo that can be used to communicate the initiation or ending of a trial reunification with the court.

For purposes of this guide, it will be assumed a Legal Action has been created for this child.



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Legal > Legal Document > Case and click Create.

Trial Reunification

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Legal Documentation - Windows Internet Explorer" displaying the "eWiSACWIS" application. The page is divided into two main sections: "General Information" and "Case Participant and Collaterals".

General Information

Case: Bucky Badger Worker: Worker, Richard J.
Document: Trial Reunification Memorandum [Text](#)
Legal Action: CHIPS Petition
Court: Circuit
Court 2: Milwaukee County Circuit Courts, Milwaukee County
Court Number:
Tribal Contact:
Judge:
Commissioner:
Branch:

Case Participant and Collaterals

| Name | Role in the Document |
|------------------|----------------------|
| Badger, BabyGirl | Child |
| Badger, Bucky | N/A |

Options:

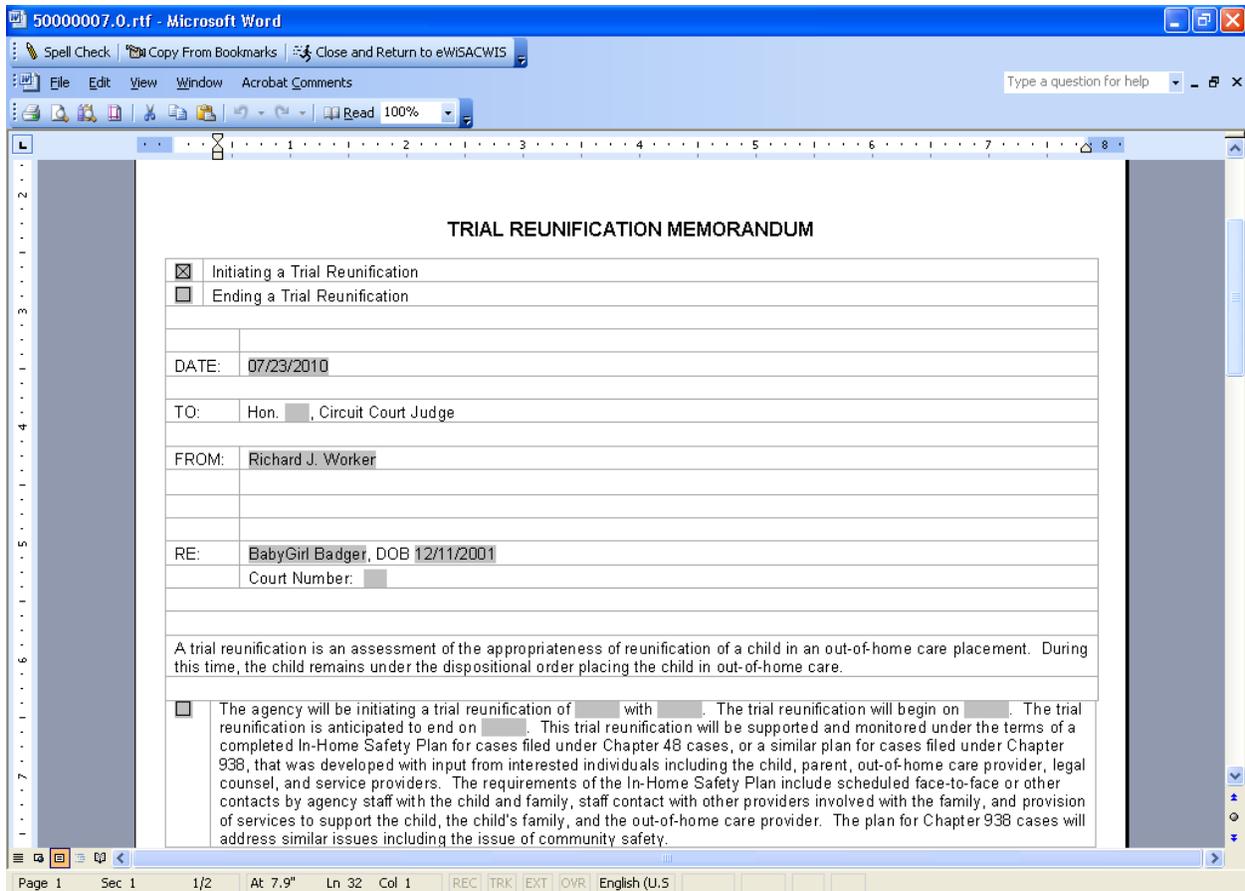
The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done", "Trusted sites", and a zoom level of "100%".

Legal Documentation Page

Step 2 of 3

- In the Document field choose Trial Reunification Memorandum.
- Complete the remaining fields as appropriate. Identify the child in the Case Participant and Collaterals group box. Select the Text hyperlink to launch the Memorandum.

Trial Reunification



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TRIAL REUNIFICATION MEMORANDUM

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Initiating a Trial Reunification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Ending a Trial Reunification |
| DATE: | 07/23/2010 |
| TO: | Hon. [redacted], Circuit Court Judge |
| FROM: | Richard J. Worker |
| RE: | BabyGirl Badger, DOB 12/11/2001 Court Number: [redacted] |

A trial reunification is an assessment of the appropriateness of reunification of a child in an out-of-home care placement. During this time, the child remains under the dispositional order placing the child in out-of-home care.

The agency will be initiating a trial reunification of [redacted] with [redacted]. The trial reunification will begin on [redacted]. The trial reunification is anticipated to end on [redacted]. This trial reunification will be supported and monitored under the terms of a completed In-Home Safety Plan for cases filed under Chapter 48 cases, or a similar plan for cases filed under Chapter 938, that was developed with input from interested individuals including the child, parent, out-of-home care provider, legal counsel, and service providers. The requirements of the In-Home Safety Plan include scheduled face-to-face or other contacts by agency staff with the child and family, staff contact with other providers involved with the family, and provision of services to support the child, the child's family, and the out-of-home care provider. The plan for Chapter 938 cases will address similar issues including the issue of community safety.

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- After completing the memorandum, select Close and Return to eWISACWIS.

Trial Reunification

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Legal Documentation" with the "eWiSACWIS" logo. The page contains two main sections: "General Information" and "Case Participant and Collaterals".

General Information

Case: Bucky Badger Worker: Miracola, Rick, J.
Document: Trial Reunification Memorandum [Text](#)
Legal Action: CHIPS Petition
Court: Circuit
Court 2: Milwaukee County Circuit Courts, Milwaukee County
Court Number:
Tribal Contact:
Judge:
Commissioner:
Branch:

Case Participant and Collaterals

| Name | Role in the Document |
|------------------|----------------------|
| Badger, BabyGirl | Child |
| Badger, Bucky | N/A |

Options: Approval

Actions
Approval

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Legal Documentation Page (continued)

Step 3 of 3

- Select Approval from the Options drop-down, click Go and approve the Legal Document/Trial Reunification Memorandum.

Trial Reunification

Payments to a Provider during a Trial Reunification

Should the county enter into an agreement to pay the provider for a period of time during the Trial Reunification (i.e. a “bed hold”), these payments should be handled as one time payments. Please see the Payments How Do I guide in the financial manual for creating a one time payment for direction on this task.

Other Areas Affected By the Trial Reunification Functionality

- Permanency Plan (Placement tab)
The ‘Address New Placement’ field pre-fills the Case address.
- Out of Home Safety and Planning (OHSP Safety Placement tab)
The Placement Provider section pre-fills the Case address when the child is placed with the Trial Reunification provider.
- Safety Assessment, Analysis and Plan (Plan Analysis tab – Comments)
The Plan Analysis tab contains a ‘Details’ flare to help the worker identify the content which should be entered into this section. This will include the following text:
 - A description of what will happen if conditions prevent in-home safety management, and as appropriate, how the agency will communicate the child's status and facilitate services to the out-of-home care provider.
 - A description of any contact the out-of-home care provider will have with the child, and if the child is part of a sibling group, which of the siblings will be included in the trial reunification, either because the sibling already resides in the home or as other children placed in out-of-home care also return for a trial reunification.

Wraparound Placements

This information is for counties that contract with an agency that provides wraparound services for one fixed cost. The services can include Out of Home Placements. Placements made by these agencies must be documented in eWiSACWIS. In order to pay the agencies their fixed rate and to indicate the amount of the actual cost of care, an Out of Home Placement (to identify the placement provider and indicate the actual cost of the placement) and a Service (to pay the Wraparound/FPI/YES agency the fixed fee) must be documented in eWiSACWIS.

Note: If the child is placed in a foster home, you must complete the Foster Care Rate page within 30 days of the start of the placement. In addition, an Administrative amount can be entered into the Administrative Fee field of the Foster Care Rate page.

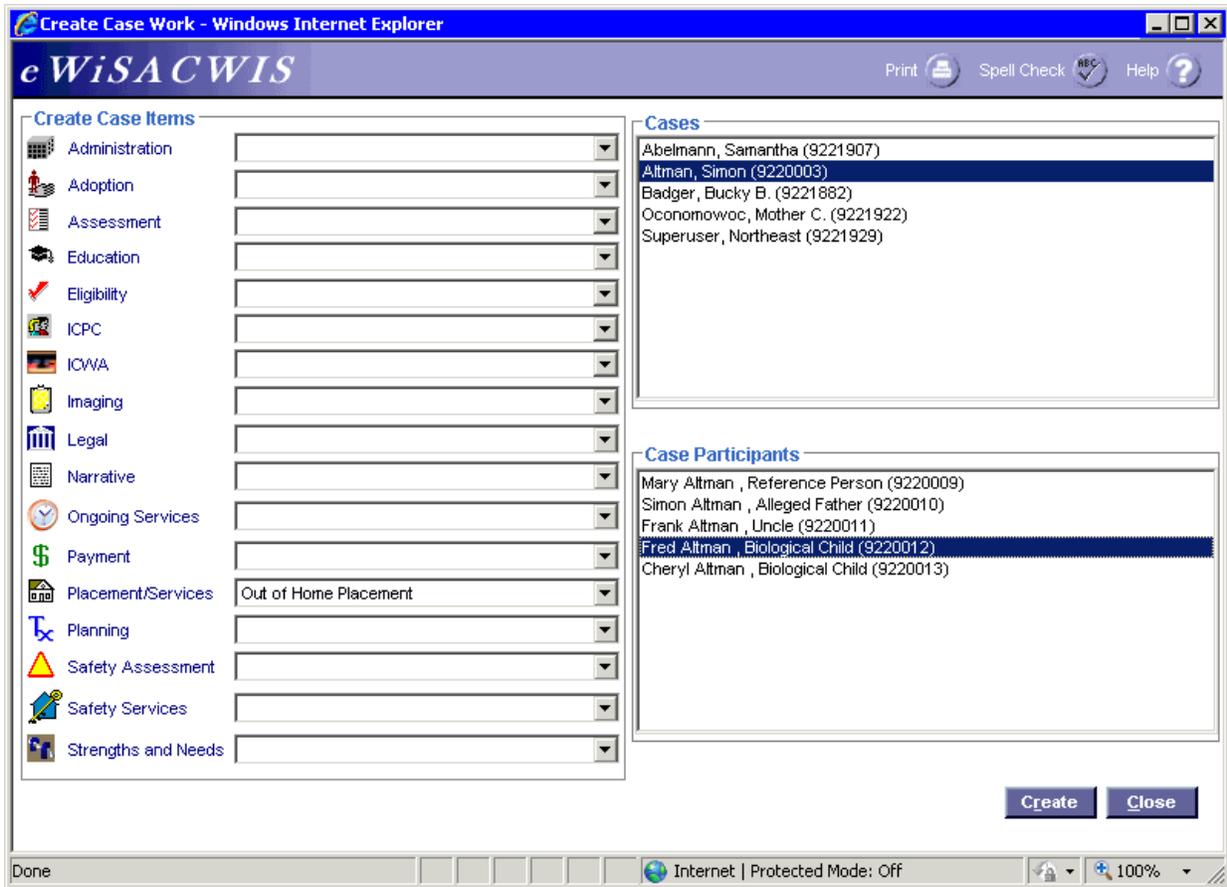
Remember that the costs documented through the Out of Home Placement are “non-system disbursed.” We are documenting the actual placement for purposes of capturing the claimable costs.

Successful documentation of an Out of Home Placement or a Service assumes that the child's person management record is up to date. Please see the How Do I titled “Common Documentation Tasks for All Settings” for information surrounding documenting a person's demographics.

Also note that as part of the placement documentation the eligibility record for that child must be completed. See the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding documenting eligibility for a child.

And lastly, when ending placements or services, please refer to the above referenced How Do I for information surrounding ending a placement in eWiSACWIS.

Wraparound Placements



Create Case Work Page (Out of Home Placement)

Step 1 of 4

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Out of Home Placement > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Wraparound Placements

Out of Home Placement

eWiSACWIS

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003) Request Number:

Service | **Provider**

Placement Information

County: La Crosse

Removed From Home: 02/04/2011

Placement Begin: 02/04/2011

Placement End: 00/00/0000

VPA Effective: 00/00/0000

Service Category: YES - Foster Care

Service Type: YES - Foster Home (12-14 years old)

Placement Setting:

Child's Level of Need:

Provider's Level of Care:

Child Specific Costs: \$0.00 per

Current Basic Costs:

Supplemental Costs:

Exceptional Costs:

Administrative Costs:

Costs > Spending Limit:

Current Monthly Payment:

Removal Reasons

This is an Adoptive Placement

This is a CPS Non-Conforming Placement

This is an Emergency Situation

After Hours Placement

Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.

Options: [Dropdown] [Go]

[Save] [Close]

Done [Trusted sites]

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 2 of 4

- On the Service tab of the Out of Home Placement page, complete all needed fields.
- Enter the first day of the placement in the Placement Begin field.
- If this placement is a removal from home (start of a placement episode), be sure to enter the correct removal date in the Removed From Home field and the correct Removal Reason(s) on the Removal Reasons pop-up page.
- In the Service Category field choose the appropriate service category for the placement. The service category will begin with Wrap (or FPI or YES depending on what your county calls the program) and then will identify the type of placement (i.e. Wrap Foster Home or YES - Group Care).
- In the Service Type field choose the appropriate value (i.e. Wrap FH Contracted 15+ or YES - Group Home).
- In the Placement Setting field choose the appropriate value.
 - Note:** If the Service Category is YES – Foster Care or YES – Family Group Home, the Placement Setting field will be enabled after you have searched out a provider (See step 4 on page 180).
- If the child is American Indian, complete the ICWA tab. See the ICWA How Do I for information surrounding documenting ICWA placement preferences for a child.

Wraparound Placements

The screenshot shows the 'Out of Home Placement' window in the eWiSACWIS system. The 'Child' information is: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), Request Number: [blank]. The 'Service' tab is active, showing options for placement types: 'This is a CPS non-conforming Placement' (checked), 'This is an Emergency Situation' (unchecked), 'After Hours Placement' (unchecked), and 'Child is an American Indian child as defined by statute.' (checked). Financial fields include 'Administrative Costs' (dropdown), 'Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00', and 'Current Monthly Payment'. The 'Child Removal From Home Information' section has 'Manner: Court Ordered' and 'Caretaker Structure: Married Couple'. 'Primary Caretaker' is 'Mary Altman' and 'Secondary Caretaker' is 'Simon Altman'. The 'KIDS Referral' section has 'Referral applies to: Both parents'. Three questions with radio button answers are present: 'Is this referral in the best interest of the child?' (Yes selected), 'Is this placement expected to be long term?' (No selected), and 'Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services?' (No selected). Buttons for 'Options', 'Save', and 'Close' are visible. The browser status bar at the bottom shows 'Done', 'Trusted sites', and '100%' zoom.

Out of Home Placement Page > Service Tab (Out of Home Placement) (continued)

Step 3 of 4

- Enter the Child Removal From Home Information if this placement is a removal from home.
- Select appropriate answers for the KIDS Referral questions. If the answers to the questions will trigger a referral to KIDS, the Referral applies to field will appear and be enabled. eWiSACWIS allows the referral of a single parent with a system indicator that the other parent should not be referred. This will allow for one parent to be referred and the other to be held from the interface. There is an expectation that “good cause” drives the decision to refer one parent and not another.

Wraparound Placements

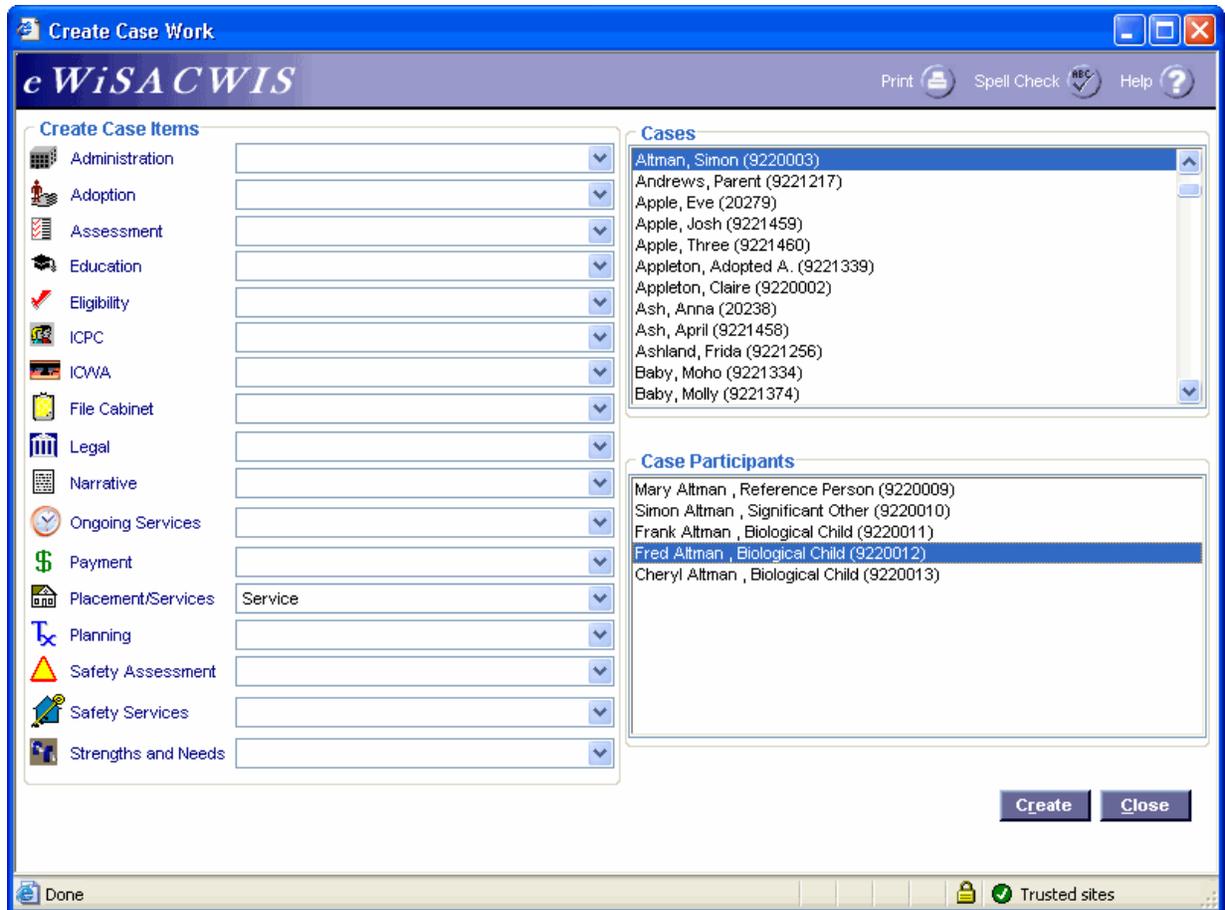
The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Out of Home Placement - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application is "eWiSACWIS". At the top, there are navigation links for "Child", "Service", and "Provider". The "Child" section displays: Child: Altman, Fred (9220012), Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003), and Request Number: [blank]. The "Provider" tab is active, showing "Provider Information" for "AAA Agency" (ID: 20170). Fields include: Name: AAA Agency (with a Search link), ID: 20170, Contact: [blank], Actual Name of Default/Historical Provider (if applicable): [blank], C/O: [blank], Street: 123 Camp Randall Avenue, Apt: [blank], City: Madison, State: WI, Zip: 53701, Country: [blank], Phone: (608)123-1234, Ext: [blank], Fax: [blank], Alt Phone: [blank], Alt Ext: [blank], Email: [blank]. Below this are "Payment Information" (Parent Agency: AAA Agency, Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61) with a Details link, and an unchecked "Override Parent Agency rule" checkbox) and "School District Information" (Provider's School District Code: Madison Metropolitan - 3269). A "Kinship Care" section has a "Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:" dropdown menu. At the bottom, there is a "Split Payment" button, an "Options:" dropdown, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons. The browser status bar shows "Done" and "Trusted sites".

Out of Home Placement Page > Provider Tab (Out of Home Placement)

Step 4 of 4

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider (the provider is the facility in which the child is placed and not the agency providing the wraparound services, i.e. Lutheran Social Services).
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- In the Provider's School District Code field choose the appropriate value.
- Return to the Service tab. If applicable, update the Placement Setting.
- To approve the placement and send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options > Approval and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Out of Home Placement page.

Wraparound Placements



Create Case Work Page (Service)

Step 1 of 3

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Service > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Wraparound Placements

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Service - Windows Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application is "eWiSACWIS". At the top, there are fields for "Child: Altman, Fred (50000001)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (50000000)", and "Request Number:". Below this are two tabs: "Service" (selected) and "Provider".

The "Service Information" section contains the following fields:

- County: La Crosse (dropdown)
- Service Begin: 04/04/2011 (text)
- Service End: 00/00/0000 (text)
- Service Category: YES - In Home (dropdown)
- Service Type: YES - In Home (dropdown)
- Service Detail: Direct Service (dropdown)
- Child Specific Rate: \$0.00 per (text)
- Current Basic Rate: (text)
- Costs > Spending Limit: \$0.00 (text)
- Current Monthly Payment: (text)

The "KIDS Referral" section contains:

- Referral applies to: Both parents (dropdown)
- Is this referral in the best interest of the child? (radio buttons: Yes, No)
- Is this service expected to be long term? (radio buttons: Yes, No)
- Is the worker aware of a court order for child support OR is this otherwise an appropriate case to refer for child support services? (radio buttons: Yes, No)

At the bottom, there is an "Options:" dropdown, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Service Page > Service Tab (Service)

Step 2 of 3

- On the Service tab of the Service page, complete all needed fields.
- In the Service Begin field enter the first day of the child's enrollment in the program. (Wraparound Milwaukee, WRAP, FPI or YES).
- In the Service Category field select the value (FPI, WRAP or YES) – In Home.
- In the Service Type field select the value (FPI, WRAP or YES) – In Home.
- In the Service Detail field choose the most applicable value.

Wraparound Placements

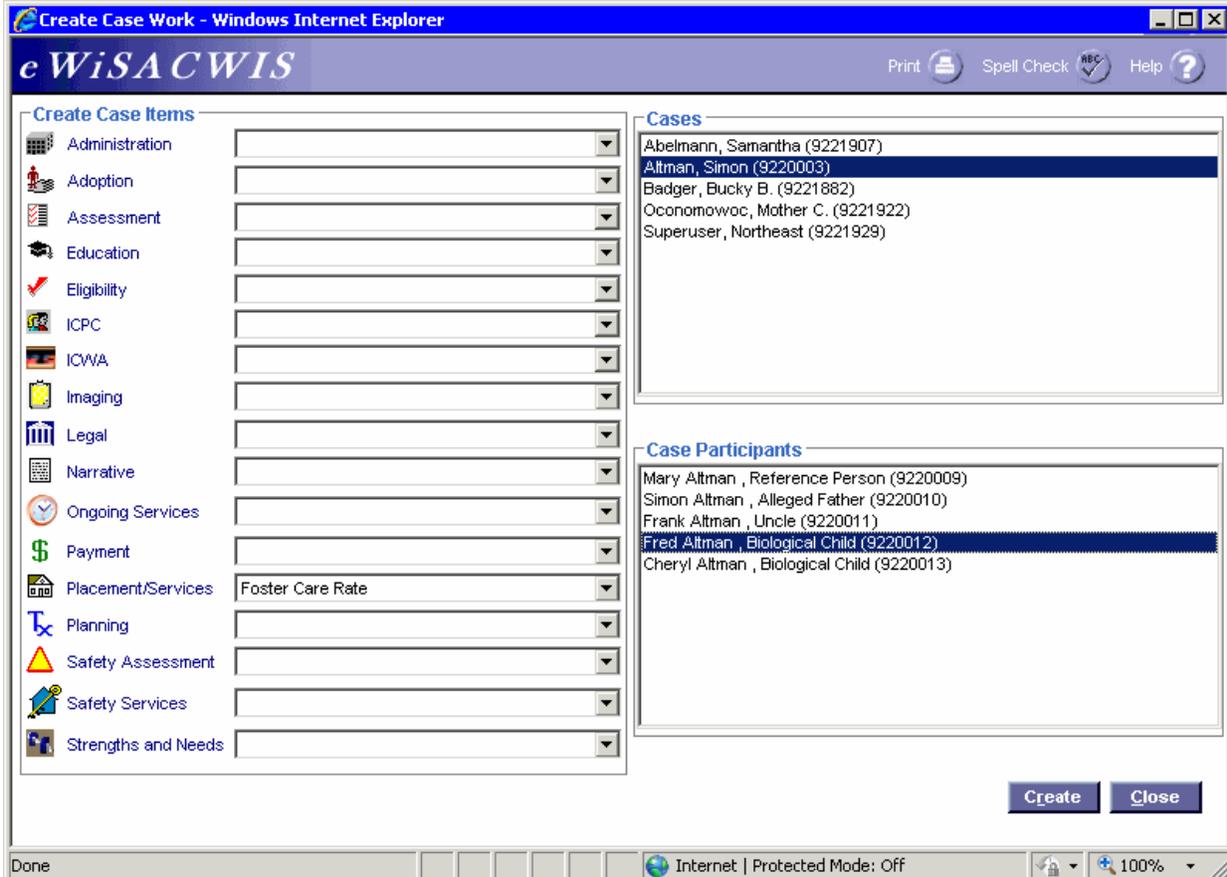
The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Service - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DHFS - State of Wisconsin". The application is "eWiSACWIS". At the top, there are navigation links for "Child", "Service", and "Provider". The "Child" section shows "Child: Altman, Fred (9220012)", "Case Name: Altman, Simon (9220003)", and "Request Number:". The "Provider" tab is active, showing "Provider Information" for "AAA Agency" with ID "20170". Fields include C/O, Street (255 Hoosier Blvd.), City (Madison), Phone ((608)515-4566), State (WI), Zip (53701), and Country. Below this is "Payment Information" with "Parent Agency: AAA Agency", "Target Pop: CHIPS - Abuse and Neglect (NYA - 61)", and a checkbox for "Override Parent Agency rule". There is also a "Kinship Care" section with a dropdown for "Relationship of Child to Kinship Provider:". At the bottom, there is an "Options:" dropdown, a "Go" button, and "Save" and "Close" buttons.

Service Page > Provider Tab (Service)

Step 3 of 3

- Click the Search hyperlink to launch the Search page and search for the appropriate provider. The provider is the agency providing the wraparound services, i.e. LSS.
- From the Search page, select the radio button next to the provider you want to use and click Continue, this will return you to the Service tab and populate the provider you selected into Provider Information.
- In the Target Pop field choose the appropriate value.
- The Total Clothing Allowance Disbursed field represents the amount of clothing allowance that has been paid out for this child for the current episode.
- Return to the Service tab.
- To approve the Service and to send it to your supervisor for approval, choose Options> Approval > and click Go.
- On the Approval History page, click the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Service page.

Wraparound Placements



Create Case Work Page

Step 1 of 2

- From the Create Case Work page select Placement/Services > Foster Care Rate > Case > Case Participant and click Create.

Wraparound Placements

Participant Information

Child: Altman, Fred (9220012) Rate Effective Date: 02/04/2011
Case: Altman, Simon (9220003) Rate End Date: 00/00/0000
Provider: Provider, Frankie (20170)

Supplemental Rate

CANS Effective Date: 02/04/2011
CANS End Date: 08/04/2011
Child's Level of Need: 3
Provider Level of Care: 3
Supplemental Points: 19 \$104.50
LON/LOC Value:

Uniform Foster Care Rate

Current Basic Costs: \$455.00
Supplemental Costs: \$104.50
Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
Administrative Costs: \$75.00
Cost > Spending Limit: \$0.00
Total Monthly Costs: \$684.50

Administrative

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Exceptional Rate

Transportation to School of Origin: \$0.00
 Exceptional Costs: \$50.00
Payment Justification:
justify monthly exceptional costs here...

Monthly Payment Explanation

Options: [Dropdown] [Go] [Save] [Close]

Foster Care Rate Page

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Note: In order to pay a foster home a rate above the basic rate, the worker must complete the Foster Care Rate page and send it to your agency's Rate Setter for approval.

- Enter the Rate Effective Date. The rate cannot be prior to the Effective Date of the CANS. Once a date is entered, the page will refresh to bring in the Supplemental Rate information from the CANS, as well as the Current Basic Costs.
- Enter any applicable costs in the Exceptional Rate group box. If either checkbox is selected in the Exceptional Rate group box, justify the exceptional costs by completing the Payment Justification.
- Once all amounts have been entered, click the Save button to update the amounts in the Uniform Foster Care Rate group box.
- To approve the rate setting and send it to the agency's Rate Setter for approval choose Options > Approval and click Go. On the Approval History page, select the Approve radio button and click Continue.
- Click Save and then click Close on the Foster Care Rate page.