eWiSACWIS Release Highlights

June 10, 2023

Below you will find highlights for the upcoming June 2023 eWiSACWIS release. These highlights include changes that may affect workflow, data entry, procedures, and reporting. Some of the changes are the result of policy changes, legislative changes, eWiSACWIS team input, and issues reported to the eWiSACWIS help desk by users.

Topic	Description
Out of Home Placement	45123: A new **Congregate Care Referral** page will be added to allow CPS/YJ professionals to compile and send referral information to one or more group homes or residential care centers (RCCs) with suitable programs and services. Group home and RCC providers will use the new SYNC web portal to review and respond to referrals, document case notes, and upload documents to eWiSACWIS about a child/youth in their care. The Congregate Care Referral page will include: • A Child/Youth Information tab that draws from the **Person Management** page • A Documentation tab that automatically attaches commonly used documents and allows a user to attach additional documents or images • A Potential Matches tab to allow CPS/YJ professionals to select providers to receive the referral New notifications will be created to support both group care providers using SYNC and CPS/YJ Professionals using eWiSACWIS: • Automatic notifications will be sent to providers when referrals are sent or withdrawn by CPS/YJ Professionals • Primary assigned CPS/YJ professionals will receive notifications when new information is documented, or documents/images are uploaded by providers about youth in their care
	45487: New fields will be added to the Information for Out of Home Care Providers, Parts A & B pages and documents: • Child/Parent/Guardian Chosen names • Child/Parent/Guardian Pronouns • Expecting or parenting youth • Parent/Guardian email addresses • Parent/Guardian Birthdates • Parent/Guardian primary and secondary languages Labels for Mother/Father will be updated to Parent 1/Parent 2, and Worker will be updated to Professional.
Person Management	45123: A new group box with other relevant history will be added to the Supplemental MMH tab of the **Person Management** page. This includes: • Suicidal risk • Other risk of self-harm • History of gang affiliation • Alcohol or drug use • History of human trafficking • History of sexual abuse • History of physical abuse

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Access	44742: A new automated email will be sent to Tribal Child Welfare Professionals and county staff when a new CPS or Services report is received for a child who is a member or potential member of that tribe.
Independent Living	44319: A new checkbox will be added to the top of the **Independent Living** page to designate when a Youth has transitioned to adult care while still eligible for youth services. A new Adult Services Contact Information section will be added to the Contacts tab when the checkbox is checked.
	44320: Users will be able to filter and sort their assignments on the **Independent Living Assignments** page.
Systemwide	The user interface of the following pages has been updated to support modern browsers and the ability to adjust to smaller screens on mobile devices: • 43462: Title IV-E Eligibility • 41821: Approval Management • 45781: Adoption Assistance Agreement • 45541: Maintain Resource Links • 45554: Legal Documentation
Workload Management	43344: A new task, "Potentially Inactive Case" will be created to notify supervisors of potentially inactive cases that might require follow-up. A potentially inactive case is one in which there has been no face-to-face contact or approved casework for 81 or more days. Youth Justice-only cases are excluded at this time.