CalSAWS | JPA Member Representatives and Board of Directors Meeting



June 25, 2020

One Goal. One Team. One System.

Agenda

- JPA Board Chair, Michael Sylvester, will call the joint meeting of the CalSAWS Member Representatives and Board of Directors to Order.
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JPA Board Secretary, John Boule, will confirm quorum of the CalSAWS Member Representatives and Board of Directors and review the agenda and protocols.

Agenda

3 JPA Board Chair, Michael Sylvester, will announce the Public's Opportunity to speak on items NOT on the Agenda. Public comments are limited to no more than three minutes per speaker, except that a speaker using a translator shall be allowed up to six minutes.

Note: The public may also speak on any Item ON the Agenda by waiting until that item is read, then requesting recognition from the Chair to speak.

- a. To unmute yourself:
 - If you joined via computer, click the microphone icon in the lower left corner of the Zoom window.
 - II. If you called in, press *6 on your phone.

CalSAWS Member Representatives Action Item



CalSAWS Member Representatives Action Items

JPA Board Nominations, Elections, and Appointments

- Nominations, elections, and appointments of the JPA Board and Project Steering Committee Members for Fiscal Year 2020/2021
 - Pursuant to the JPA Agreement Article II, section 2.04, subsections (c) and (d), the Directors from Regions 1 through 5 shall be selected from the Member Representatives from their respective Regions. Regions 1 and 4 shall each select two (2) Directors, Regions 2 and 3 shall each select one (1) Director, and Region 5 shall select three (3) Directors. Region 6, represented by Los Angeles County, shall have three (3) Directors, who shall be the three (3) Member Representatives from Region 6.
 - i. Present the nomination slate from the Regional Nomination conference calls, gather any further nominations from the floor, and proceed to elect the JPA Board of Directors for those Regions for the period of July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2021.
 - ii. Introduce the Directors appointed by Region 6 for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

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Region 1 JPA Board Nominees

Kathy Gallagher

Contra Costa Employment & Human Services Department February 2013 – Current

Total Years of Service: 50

Tracey Belton

San Benito County Health & Human Services Department 1997 - Current

Total Years of Service: 24





Director

Region 2 JPA Board Nominee

Ann Edwards

Sacramento County Department of Human Assistance June 2014 - Current

Previous County Served: Solano

Total Years of Service: 22



Region 3 JPA Board Nominee

Bekkie Emery

Mendocino County Health and Human Services Agency November 2017 - Current

Total Years of Service: 22



Region 4 JPA Board Nominees

Delfino Neira

Fresno County Department of Social Services 2014 – Current

Previous Counties Served: Kern Santa Barbara Total Years of Service: 31



Director

Kathryn Harwell

Stanislaus County Community Services Agency January 2013 – Current Previous Counties Served: Fresno Sacramento

Total Years of Service: 41



Region 5 JPA Board Nominees

Debra Baetz

Orange County Social Services Agency July 2018 - Current

Total Years of Service: 31

CaSonya Thomas

San Bernardino County Human Services Agency October 2016 – Current

Total Years of Service: 29

Melissa Livingston

Ventura County Human Services Agency 1980 – Current

Total Years of Service: 40







Assistant Executive Officer



Agency Director

Region 6 JPA Board Appointments

Antonia Jimenez

Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services September 2018 - Current

Total Years of Service: 30+

Michael Sylvester

Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services March 2006 - Current Previous Counties Served: Riverside

Total Years of Service: 18

Cynthia McCoy-Miller

Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services 1990 - Current

Total Years of Service: 40







Assistant Director



Senior Deputy Director

JPA Board

- Nomination Slate
 - Region 1 Kathy Gallagher, Director
 Tracey Belton, Director
 - Region 2 Ann Edwards, Director
 - Region 3 Bekkie Emery, Branch Director
 - Region 4 Delfino Neira, Director
 Kathy Harwell, Director
 - Region 5 Debra Baetz, Director Orang CaSonya Thomas, Assistant Executive Officer San B Melissa Livingston, Acting Agency Director Ventu
- Appointments
 - Region 6 Antonia Jimenez, Director Lo Michael Sylvester, Assistant Director Cynthia McCoy-Miller, Senior Deputy Director
- Call for nominations from the floor.

Contra Costa San Benito Sacramento Mendocino Fresno Stanislaus Orange San Bernardino Ventura

Los Angeles

CalSAWS Member Representatives Action Items PSC Nominations, Elections, and Appointments

- b. Pursuant to the JPA Bylaws Article VIII, Paragraph A., each Region will nominate one or more candidates from among its Deputy Directors, or small county equivalents, to serve on the Project Steering Committee. Regions 1 and 4 will each appoint two (2) Project Steering Committee members, Regions 2 and 3 will each appoint one (1) Project Steering Committee member, and Regions 5 and 6 will each appoint three (3) Project Steering Committee members.
 - I. Present the nomination slate from the Regional Nomination conference calls, gather any further nominations from the floor, and proceed to elect the Project Steering Committee for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.
 - II. Introduce the Project Steering Committee Members appointed by Region 6 for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

Region 1 PSC Nominees

Jessica Paran

Marin County Health & Human Services Department

Previous Counties Served: San Bernardino Sonoma

Total Years of Service: 13

Division Director

Clarisa Simon

San Mateo County Human Services Agency

Total Years of Service: 20



Director – Staff Development, Training and Information Services

Region 2 PSC Nominee

Ethan Dye

Sacramento County Department of Human Assistance May 2005 - Current

Total Years of Service: 21



Deputy Director

Region 3 PSC Nominee

Kelly Hampton

Humboldt County Department of Health and Human Services April 2016 - Current

Total Years of Service: 25



Deputy Branch Director

Region 4 PSC Nominees

Cindy Uetz

Kern County Department of Human Services

Total Years of Service: 34

Vienna Barnes

Tulare County Health and Human Services Agency

Total Years of Service: 26



Chief Deputy Director



Deputy Director

Region 5 PSC Nominees

Gilbert Ramos

San Bernardino County Human Services Agency

Total Years of Service: 28

Alberto Banuelos

San Diego County Health and Human Services Agency

Previous Counties Served: Tulare

Total Years of Service: 21

Rocio Aguiniga

Riverside County Department of Public Social Services

Total Years of Service: 26



Director



Assistant Director



Deputy Director

Region 6 PSC Nominees

Luther Evans, Jr.

Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services

Total Years of Service: 30+

Winna Crichlow

Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services

Total Years of Service: 21

Vicki Moore

Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services

Total Years of Service: 39



Division Chief



Division Chief



Human Services Administrator III

Project Steering Committee (PSC)

Nomination Slate

- Region 1 Jessica Paran, Division Director Marin Clarisa Simon, Director – Staff Development, San Ma Training and Information Services
- Region 2 Ethan Dye, Deputy Director
- Region 3 Kelly Hampton, Deputy Branch Director
- Region 4 Cindy Uetz, Chief Deputy Director
 Vienna Barnes, Deputy Director
- Region 5 Gilbert Ramos, TAD Director Alberto Banuelos, Assistant Director Rocio Aguiniga, Deputy Director

Appointments

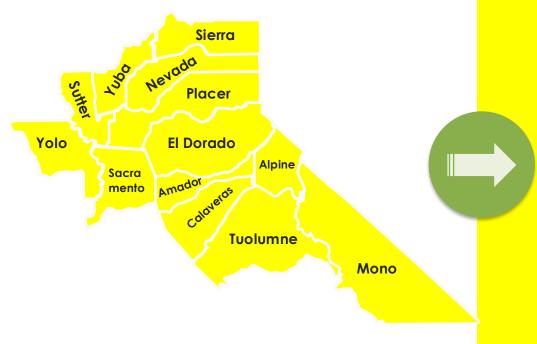
- Region 6 Luther Evans, Jr., Division Chief Winna Crichlow, Division Chief Vicki Moore, Division Chief
- Call for nominations from the floor.

San Mateo Sacramento Humboldt Kern Tulare San Bernardino San Diego Riverside

Los Angeles



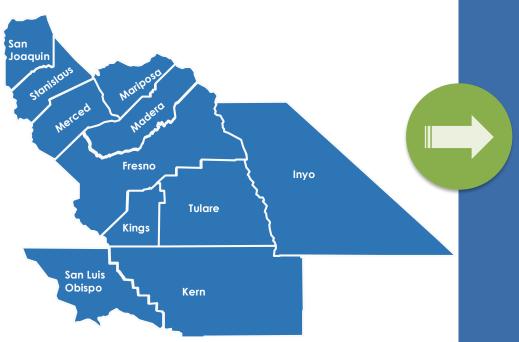
County/Director	Yay	Nay
Alameda Lori Cox		
Contra Costa Kathy Gallagher		
Marin Kari Beuerman		
Monterey Lori Medina		
Napa Jennifer Yasumoto		
San Benito Tracey Belton		
San Francisco Trent Rhorer		
San Mateo Ken Cole		
Santa Clara Angela Shing		
Santa Cruz Randy Morris		
Solano Gerald Huber		



County/Director	Yay	Nay
Alpine Nichole Williamson		
Amador VACANT		
Calaveras Kristin Brinks		
El Dorado Don Semon		
Mono Kathy Peterson		
Nevada Rachel Roos		
Placer Amanda Sharp		
Sacramento Ann Edwards		
Sierra Vickie Clark		
Sutter David Nagra		
Tuolumne Rebecca Espino		
Yolo Nolan Sullivan		
Yuba Jennifer Vasquez		



County/Director	Yay	Nay
Butte Shelby Boston		
Colusa Elizabeth Kelly		
Del Norte Heather Snow		
Glenn Bill Wathen		
Humboldt Connie Beck		
Lake Crystal Markytan		
Lassen Jenna Aguilera		
Mendocino Bekkie Emery		
Modoc Kelly Crosby		
Plumas Neal Caiazzo		
Shasta Melissa Janulewicz		
Siskiyou Katherine O'Shea		
Tehama Laura Williams		
Trinity Liz Hamilton		



County/Director	Yay	Nay
Fresno Delfino Neira		
Inyo Marilyn Mann		
Kern Dena Murphy		
Kings Sanja Bugay		
Madera Deborah Martinez		
Mariposa Chevon Kothari		
Merced Yvonnia Brown		
San Joaquin Chris Woods		
San Luis Obispo Devin Drake		
Stanislaus Kathy Harwell		
Tulare Anita Ortiz		



County/Director	Yay	Nay
Imperial Veronica Rodriguez		
Orange Debra Baetz		
Riverside Sayori Baldwin		
San Bernardino CaSonya Thomas		
San Diego Richard Wanne		
Santa Barbara Daniel Nielson		
Ventura Melissa Livingston		

County/Director	Yay	Nay
Los Angeles Antonia Jimenez		
Los Angeles Michael Sylvester		
Los Angeles Cynthia McCoy-Miller		



CalSAWS Member Representatives Informational Item



CalSAWS Member Representatives Informational item JPA Board State Ex Officio Representative

- Fursuant to the JPA Agreement Article II, Section
 2.04 (b) the State shall have the right to select a representative to serve on the Board as the Ex
 Officio representative of the State.
 - a. Introduce Director of OSI, Dan Kalamaras, as the Ex-Officio representative of the State.

State Ex Officio JPA Board Representative

Dan Kalamaras

California Office of Systems Integration April 2018 – Current



CalSAWS JPA Board Action Items



CalSAWS JPA Board Action Items Election of JPA Board Officers

- Pursuant to the JPA Agreement Article II, Section 3.01, the Board of Directors shall elect from among its Directors, a Chair and Vice-Chair.
 - a. Seek nominations and creation of a slate for Board of Directors Chair and Vice-Chair for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.
 - b. Proceed to elect the Chair and Vice-Chair for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021

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CalSAWS JPA Regions



Election of Board Officers Vote

Region	Board Member	Yay	Nay
State	Dan Kalamaras		
1	Kathy Gallagher		
1	Karen Fies		
2	Amanda Sharp		
3	Bekkie Emery		
4	Delfino Neira		
4	Kathy Harwell		
5	CaSonya Thomas		
5	Debra Baetz		
5	Melissa Livingston		
6	Antonia Jimenez		
6	Michael Sylvester		
6	Cynthia McCoy-Miller		

CalSAWS JPA Board

Action Items

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Approval of the 2020/21 CalSAWS Project Budget including CalSAWS Implementation Advance Planning Document (IAPD) Update, CalACES M&O IAPD Update, CalWIN M&O IAPD Update, County Purchases/Separate Services, Premise Item Funding, and the Administrative Budget for Unfunded costs.

CalSAWS JPA Board

Action Items

In accordance with the JPA Agreement, Bylaws, and MOU, the Board must adopt an annual budget.

CalSAWS JPA Agreement - Section 2.09. Annual Budget.

The Board shall adopt an annual budget for each Fiscal Year. The Bylaws shall further provide for the presentation and content of the budget.

CalSAWS Bylaws, Section IX BUDGET AND FISCAL REPORT, A. Annual Budget

The Board shall adopt an annual budget for each Fiscal Year, which shall first be provided to each Member Representative. The Consortium Executive Director shall oversee the preparation of the Budget.

CalSAWS MOU, Section IV MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITIES, 4.1 Fiscal Responsibilities and Claiming.

4.1.4. Administrative Costs (also known as unfunded costs) are costs properly incurred by the Consortium but designated by the State of California as ineligible for reimbursement.....On or before April 1 of each year, the Consortium, with the concurrence of the Consortium's Member representatives as defined in Section 2.07 (Quorum; Required Votes; Approvals) of the JPA Agreement, will approve a schedule of Administrative Costs for the upcoming fiscal year (July 1 through June 30).

CalSAWS JPA Board

Action Items

The CalSAWS annual project budget includes all funding categories:

Baseline Project Funding: CalSAWS, CalACES and CalWIN IAPDUs

Policy Enhancements: Premise

County Purchases and Separate Services

Administrative (Unfunded): Insurance, Audits, Fiscal Agent Services, Accounting System Access, Conference Rooms/Fees (Approved by the General Membership January 24, 2020)

CalSAWS Project Budget - FY 20/21	CalACES M&O	CalSAWS	CalWIN M&O	TOTAL
CalACES M&O	\$153,434,308	\$O	\$O	\$153,434,308
CalACES - County Purchases	\$3,398,264	\$O	\$O	\$3,398,264
CalSAWS DD&I / M&O	\$0	\$180,298,634	\$O	\$180,298,634
CalSAWS - Administrative	\$0	\$781,510	\$O	\$781,510
CalSAWS - ABAWD Automation	\$0	\$8,189,000	\$O	\$8,189,000
CalSAWS - Brown Tapia Settlement	\$0	\$398,430	\$O	\$398,430
CalSAWS - CalFresh Overissuances (SB 278)	\$0	\$37,900	\$O	\$37,900
CalSAWS - CalFresh Periodic Report (SAR 7 Reminder)	\$0	\$869,000	\$O	\$869,000
CalSAWS - CalFresh Public Assistance Cases Tracking	\$0	\$3,000,000	\$O	\$3,000,000
CalSAWS - CalFresh Safe Drinking Water Pilot (SB 89)	\$0	\$1,200,630	\$O	\$1,200,630
CalSAWS - CalWORKs Earned Income Disregard (SB 80)	\$0	\$809,700	\$O	\$809,700
CalSAWS - CalWORKs Overpayments (SB 726)	\$0	\$431,250	\$O	\$431,250
CalSAWS - Disaster CalFresh	\$0	\$533,658	\$O	\$533,658
CalSAWS - Foster Care Eligibility Determination (FCED)	\$0	\$2,650,838	\$O	\$2,650,838
CalSAWS - Home Visiting Program (HVP) Automation	\$0	\$803,184	\$O	\$803,184
CalSAWS - Medi-Cal Automation (SB 1341)	\$0	\$7,090,016	\$O	\$7,090,016
CalSAWS - Online CalWORKs Assessment Tool (OCAT)	\$0	\$3,193,515	\$O	\$3,193,515
CalSAWS - Removal of Homeless Assistance Consecutive Day Rule	\$0	\$805,385	\$O	\$805,385
CalSAWS - SAWS Shared Application Forms Revision	\$0	\$8,079,000	\$O	\$8,079,000
CalSAWS - SSI Cash-out Reversal Automation (AB 1811)	\$0	\$108,860	\$O	\$108,860
CalSAWS - Stage One Continuous Eligibility	\$0	\$3,895,000	\$O	\$3,895,000
CalWIN - M&O	\$0	\$O	\$109,731,489	\$109,731,489
CalWIN - Separate Services	\$0	\$O	\$968,662	\$968,662
Total	\$156,832,572	\$223,175,510	\$110,700,151	\$490,708,233

Revenues				
Intergovernmental	\$156,832,572	\$223,175,510	\$110,700,151	\$490,708,233
Expenditures	\$156,832,572	\$223,175,510	\$110,700,151	\$490,708,233
Service and supplies	\$156,693,948	\$82,344,871	\$87,822,966	\$326,861,785
Capital outlay	\$108,000	\$140,830,639	\$22,877,185	\$163,815,824
Debt service, principal and interest (for C-IV hardware leases)	\$30,624	\$ 0	\$0	\$30,624

CalSAWS JPA Regions



CalSAWS Project Budget Vote

Region	Board Member	Yay	Nay
State	Dan Kalamaras		
1	Kathy Gallagher		
1	Karen Fies		
2	Amanda Sharp		
3	Bekkie Emery		
4	Delfino Neira		
4	Kathy Harwell		
5	CaSonya Thomas		
5	Debra Baetz		
5	Melissa Livingston		
6	6 Antonia Jimenez6 Michael Sylvester		
6			
6 Cynthia McCoy-Miller			

CalSAWS JPA Board Action Items

Consent Calendar

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- Consent Calendar
 - a. Approval of the May 29, 2020 JPA Board Meeting Minutes
 - b. Seeking Board authorization for the completion of Signature/Fund Custodian Authorization Forms required by San Bernardino County Auditor-Controller/Treasurer/Tax Collector for State Fiscal Year 2020/21 (for CalSAWS Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Holly Murphy, Laura Chavez, Thomas Hartman, Diane Alexander, and CaSonya Thomas - see posted agenda for details).

CalSAWS JPA Board Action Items

Consent Calendar

- i. Approve the completion of the form in the name of the CalSAWS Chair, authorizing the Chair to approve payments to be made by the Controller for CalSAWS.
- ii. Approve the completion of the form in the name of the CalSAWS Vice-Chair, authorizing the Vice-Chair to approve payments to be made by the Controller for CalSAWS.
- iii. Approve completion of the form in the name of the CalSAWS JPA Secretary, authorizing the JPA Secretary to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS.
- iv. Approve completion of the form in the name of CalSAWS Section Director, Holly Murphy, authorizing Holly Murphy to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS, in the absence of the CalSAWS JPA Secretary.

CalSAWS JPA Board Action Items

Consent Calendar

- v. Approve completion of the form in the name of CalSAWS Section Director, Laura Chavez, authorizing Laura Chavez to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS, in the absence of the CalSAWS JPA Secretary.
- vi. Approve completion of the form in the name of CalSAWS Section Director, Thomas Hartman, authorizing Thomas Hartman to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS, in the absence of the CalSAWS JPA Secretary.
- vii. Approve completion of the form in the name of CalWIN/WCDS Executive Director, Diane Alexander, authorizing Diane Alexander to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS, in the absence of the CalSAWS JPA Secretary.
- viii. Approve completion of the form in the name of Director CaSonya Thomas, authorizing CaSonya Thomas to approve invoices to be paid by the Controller for CalSAWS.

CalSAWS JPA Regions



Consent Calendar Vote

Region	Board Member	Yay	Nay
State	Dan Kalamaras		
1	Kathy Gallagher		
1	Karen Fies		
2	Amanda Sharp		
3	Bekkie Emery		
4	Delfino Neira		
4	Kathy Harwell		
5	CaSonya Thomas		
5	Debra Baetz		
5	Melissa Livingston		
6	Antonia Jimenez		
6	Michael Sylvester		
6	6 Cynthia McCoy-Miller		

Member Representatives Informational Items



CalACES Annual Audit Findings



CalACES Annual Audit Findings

Background

 The Annual financial audit is conducted in accordance with the JPA Agreement.

Section 2.10. Annual Operational and Fiscal Reports. The Board shall cause an annual operational report and annual fiscal report to be prepared and provided to each Member Representative.

- Independent auditors are selected through a procurement process. The Independent Financial Auditor:
 - Reviews financial statements that are prepared by the Fiscal Agent.
 - Conducts field work / site visits.
 - Reviews sample assets and financial artifacts.
 - Interviews Project Management and Project Staff.
 - Submits two deliverables:
 - + Audit report on the basic financial statement
 - + Single Audit report
- The audit period precedes the operational effective date of the CalSAWS Consortium (July 1, 2019) but the final audit report is provided to all CalSAWS member counties for informational purposes.

CalACES Annual Audit Findings

Findings

- CalACES Year Ending June 2019 Single Audit Report and Financial Statements
 - Performed by Eide Bailly, LLP
 - Results: There were no audit findings and the auditors found no instances of non-compliance which could have had a direct and material effect on our financial statement amounts.
 - The auditors further found that the financial statements "present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the general fund," of the Consortium. The auditors made no recommendations.
 - These documents are now available on the CalSAWS Web Portal (CalSAWS CIT 0062-20 and <u>https://www.calsaws.org/about-us/public-</u> <u>information/contracts-financials/</u>).

State of the CalSAWS Project



State of the CalSAWS Project Looking Back and Looking Ahead Video





CWDA Update and Perspective





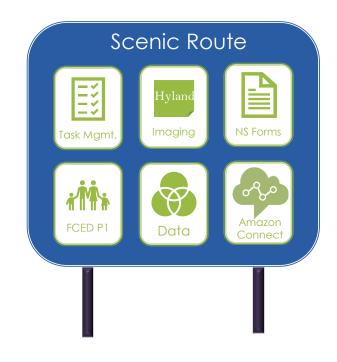
The Scenic Route



On the Road to CalSAWS

The Scenic Route

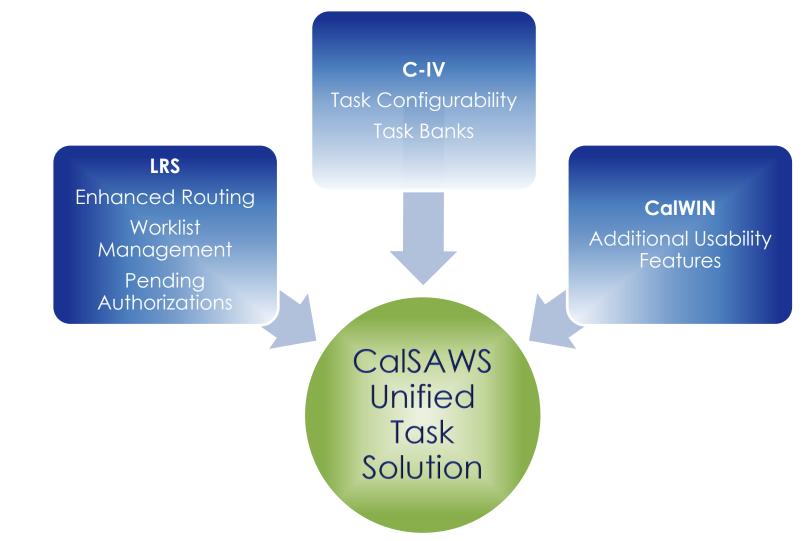
- On the Road to CalSAWS and the Transformation of the Core:
 - Design Development and Implementation
 - Schedule and Milestones
 - Development Approach
 - County Interaction
- Scenic Route stops:
 - Task Management
 - Imaging
 - Non-State Forms
 - FCED Phase 1
 - Reports/Analytics
 - Amazon Connect Contact Center





On the Road to CalSAWS Task Management





On the Road to CalSAWS Task Management

Where are we today?

- Design started in April (though at a slower pace than anticipated due to the focus on COVID)
- The kickoff meeting with the task management committee is this afternoon, June 25th
- Plan to meet bi-monthly with the committee, and more frequent meetings may be scheduled as needed
- Currently, the first release in 20.09, which will be focused on technical backend changes -- no functional changes to the system planned
- The unified task solution is currently planned to be phased into the system through the 21.03 release





On the Road to CalSAWS Imaging – CalSAWS Solution

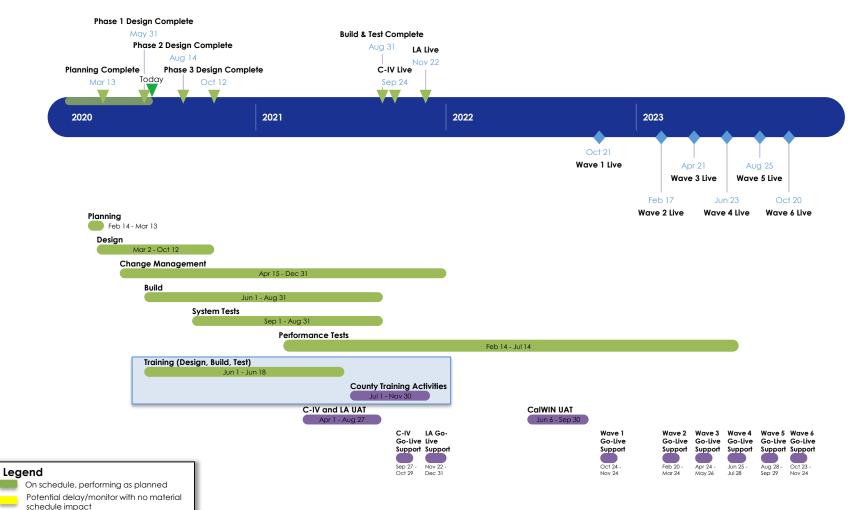
- Hyland SAS offering hosted in AWS Cloud
- Integrated with the core CalSAWS Application
- CalSAWS Imaging Committee has been instrumental in the design process
- On track to complete design phase by October
- Conversion activities are in process for
 - Los Angeles County
 - C-IV Counties
- Performance test planning in process



Hyland

On the Road to CalSAWS Imaging – CalSAWS Solution





Note: Training dates for CalWIN Counties will align with CalSAWS Training and are not included on this timeline.

Behind schedule and requires escalation

County Activities (On schedule)

State Activities

On the Road to CalSAWS Imaging – CalSAWS Solution

Hyland Imaging

Imaging Training Timeline - Tentative Dates (C-IV and LA)

- Training (Design, Build, Test)
 - Topic Discovery: June 1, 2020 July 3, 2020
 - General Design: July 6, 2020 October 30, 2020
 - Build: November 2, 2020 April 30, 2021
 - Test and Upload to LMS: May 3, 2021 June 18, 2021
- County Training Activities
- C-IV Train-the-Trainer: July 1, 2021 August 31, 2021
 - C-IV General Training: August 30, 2021 September 24, 2021
 - Los Angeles Train-the-Trainer: August 23, 2021 September 17, 2021
 - Los Angeles General Training: TBD

Imaging related change management activities will align with overall CalSAWS change management and readiness timelines.

On the Road to CalSAWS Exit 3 – Non-State Forms



On the Road to CalSAWS Non-State Forms



- Last summer, the counties reviewed the most used Non-State forms to design forms for 58-county use and potential creation of these as state forms.
 - Outcome: 114 New Requirements for Non-State Forms
- Starting May 2020, CalSAWS began sending proposed forms for state stakeholder review:
 - As required for public facing technology, forms approved to become a state form are being shared with Advocates through the state's normal advocate review process.
 - Some forms are recommended to be obsolete due to existing state forms which can be utilized for the same goal.
 - For forms that are not accepted as state forms, a county may choose to utilize it within their own county processes; however, it will not become a CalSAWS form.
 - Note: County-specific forms can still be imaged into CalSAWS so that the record/history of forms sent remains intact.

On the Road to CalSAWS Non-State Forms



Revised CalSAWS DD&I Project Schedule

Original Plan	Category	Description
	Phase 1	Non-State Forms in English and Spanish (Releases 20.09-21.05)
	Phase 2	Non-State Forms in 13 threshold languages (Releases 21.07-22.07)
	Dependencies	An approved English version of a form is required prior to obtaining translations

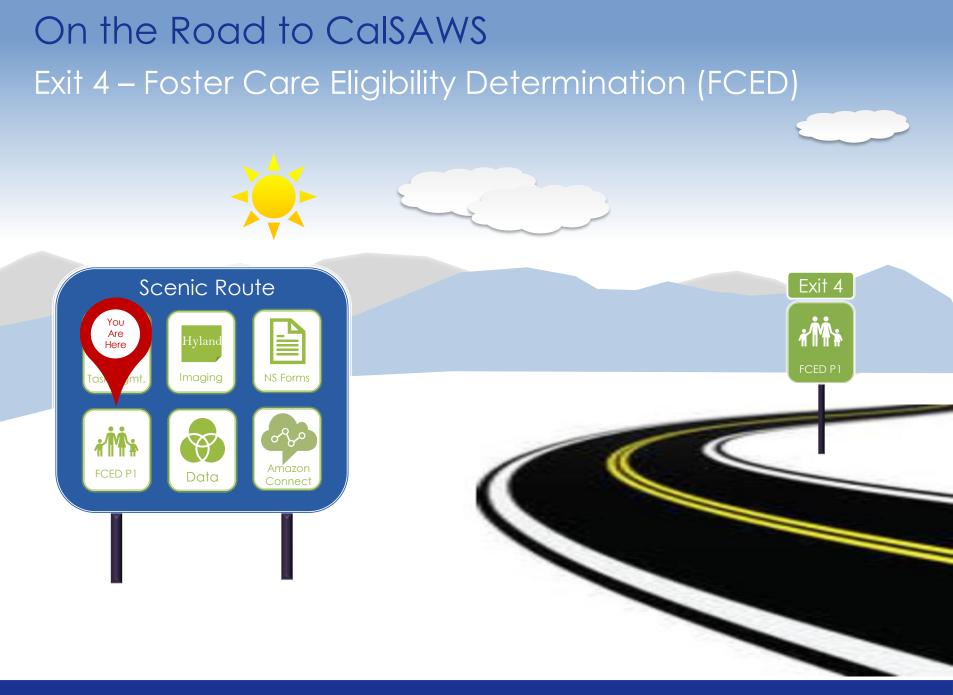
•	Revised Plan	Category	Description
		Phase 0	State and Advocate review
	,	Phase 1	Non-State Forms in English and Spanish (Releases 20.09-21.05)
		Phase 2	Non-State Forms in 13 threshold languages (Releases 21.07-22.07)
		Dependencies	An approved English version of a form is required prior to obtaining translations

On the Road to CalSAWS

Non-State Forms



Group	Count of Forms	Status	Make a	Outcome: Keep as Non- State Form	Outcome: Obsolete form	Outcome: In Review	Comments
State Forms	9	In Build Target 20.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
State Forms	1	On hold	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Per CDSS - Updates are on hold
Migrate C-IV Forms	17	In Review	6*	5+	4	2	* Advocate review complete + Advocate review in process
Migration C- IV Forms with Changes	17	In Review	9	2	3	3	
Update LRS forms	24	In Review	11	7	1	5	
Add New Forms	40	In Review	14	2	11	10	



FCED

What Has Been Decided?



Federal Comprehensive Child Welfare Information System (CCWIS) rules require that we have a single statewide set of rules for data preparation and foster care eligibility determination

- This is the one mandatory component of CCWIS
- Eligibility for enhanced federal funding for Child Welfare automation (past, present, and future) is dependent on compliance with CCWIS rules

County Directors have determined that foster care eligibility must remain in SAWS; State leadership has agreed this will be California's approach

- Leverages other eligibility functionality, like NOA generation, benefit issuance, security roles, interfaces (e.g., MEDS), etc.
- SAWS often has existing data (from other programs) about children in Foster Care that can be leveraged
- Eligibility Workers with multiprogram responsibilities can work within a single system

FCED Governance

FCFD

- Four County Executive Representatives
 - Karen Fies Sonoma County
 - Deborah Martinez Madera County
 - Cynthia McCoy-Miller Los Angeles County DCFS
 - Debra Baetz Orange County



FCED State FCED Committee



FCED Committee is a bridge between CARES and SAWS

Executives Four (4) County Executive Representatives with Foster Care eligibility knowledge

CARES ELT

CWDA

CDSS

OSI

Foster Care Eligibility Subject Matter Experts

one from each Children's Services region – Bay Area, Mountain Valley, Los Angeles, Northern, Southern, and Valley (in process)

Advisory Members may include

SAWS Consortia, FCED Core Team Workgroup Members, Representatives of research organizations, such as the California Child Welfare Indicators Project at U.C. Berkeley, the Children's Data Network, and/or the CDSS Research Services Branch, OSI Project Staff for SAWS and CWDS, CDSS Program Staff for SAWS and CWDS

Solution Overview



- LA County retains their current CWS/CMS interface and data mart process. The available timeline does not allow for reworking LA's business processes and other uses of the CWS/CMS file in time to have the functionality in place at the C-IV cutover, so LA's process will remain separate for Phase 1 efforts.
- 57 Counties will leverage a new CWS/CMS interface based on the LA County interface. The interface will be sent directly from the CWS/CMS System to the CalSAWS System.
- Update a subset of CalSAWS Foster Care eligibility rules.
- Update online data collection pages to add additional data elements.
- Utilize existing CalSAWS FC NOAs, forms, and reports.



Current Status



- In February, the FCED Governance gave their approval to move forward with the proposed solution.
- The Accenture contract amendment for the FCED work was approved by the CalSAWS JPA on March 27, 2020.
- The System Change Requests (SCRs) for the FCED Phase I (a) effort have been created and are tentatively scheduled for implementation in the March 2021 release.
- An FCED kick off meeting with the Foster Care committee was held on June 2, 2020.

Placeholder FCED

CalSAWS FCED Timeline



Category	Description		
Phase 1 (a)- Tentative Release March 2021	Update CalSAWS with additional data collection elements, eligibility rules, NOAs, State forms, reports, and fiscal processing		
Phase I (b) – Release is TBD	One-way, inbound interface with CWS/CMS		
Phase 2 – Release TBD	Integration with CWS-CARES System		
Dependencies	Timing of the CWS-CARES System go-live. Downstream impact on training		

On the Road to CalSAWS Exit 5 – Data Analytics

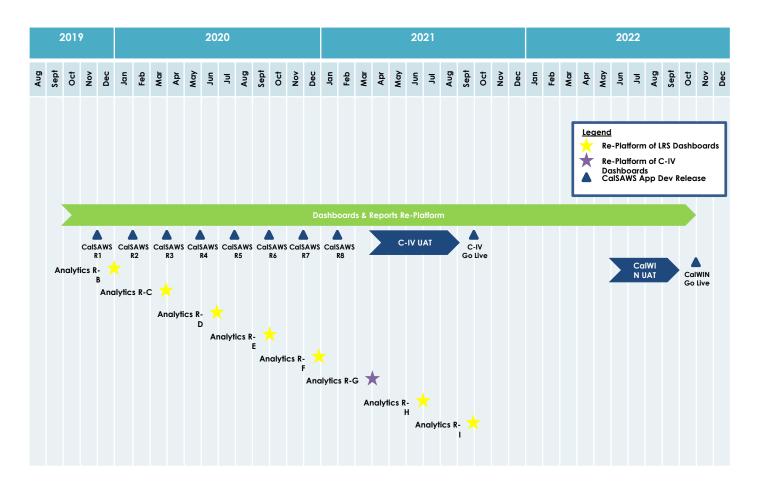


On the Road to CalSAWS Data Analytics & Reports – CalSAWS Solution



- Re-platforming of the CalSAWS reporting solution to a modernized data lake architecture in AWS
 - Scalability for 58 counties
 - Enhanced analytic capabilities
 - Enhanced user experience
- A cloud solution that empowers users to be creative and explorative while still providing access to critical, day-to-day information
- Counties will have access to the solution and all existing reports at the time they Go Live in CalSAWS

On the Road to CalSAWS Data Analytics & Reports – CalSAWS Solution



On the Road to CalSAWS Completed Webinars



#	Meeting Topics	Date	Led By	Audience
1	 Analytics Project Overview Scope Timeline Approach Architecture 	January 22, 2020	CalSAWS	Management, State & Ad Hoc Reporting Committees
2	 Purpose Built Data Sets Review - CalSAWS team to walk through: Method, key principles and technology used in designing and implementing purpose-built data sets Differences between OBIEE subject area and Aurora Purpose Built Data Set 	February 26, 2020	CalSAWS	Ad Hoc Reporting Committee
3	 Purpose Built Data Sets Feedback - Counties to provide feedback: Where functionality overlaps (e.g. accessing C-IV/LRS database to do ad hoc reporting) Where there are differences between their existing process and the CalSAWS Analytics Solution 	April 22, 2020	Ad Hoc Reporting Committee	CalSAWS
4	Dashboard Portfolio Review – CalSAWS team to walk through CalSAWS report inventory, report descriptions and sample reports to view	May 20, 2020	CalSAWS	Management Report Committee
5	 Dashboard Portfolio Feedback - Counties to provide feedback: Where functionality overlaps (e.g. using Qlik or equivalent tool for specific county reporting, producing similar dashboards) Where there are differences between their existing process and the CalSAWS Analytics Solution 	June 24, 2020	Management Reporting Committee	CalSAWS

On the Road to CalSAWS Upcoming Webinars



#	Meeting Topics	Date	Led By	Audience
6	 State & Fiscal Reports Review - CalSAWS team to walk through: Method, key principles and technology used to design and implement State Reports Scope & Timeline for implementation of State reports 	July 22, 2020	CalSAWS	State Reporting Committee
7	 State & Fiscal Reports Feedback - Counties to provide feedback: Where functionality overlaps (e.g. downstream processes executed when State reports are generated that can be performed with the Visualization tool) Where there are differences between their existing process and the CalSAWS Analytics Solution 	August 20, 2020	State Reporting Committee	CalSAWS
8	 Analytics Solution Readout - CalSAWS to walkthrough: Summary of feedback received Key overlaps and differences identified 	September 23, 2020	CalSAWS	Management, State & Ad Hoc Committees, Design Team



On the Road to CalSAWS Contact Center – CalSAWS Solution

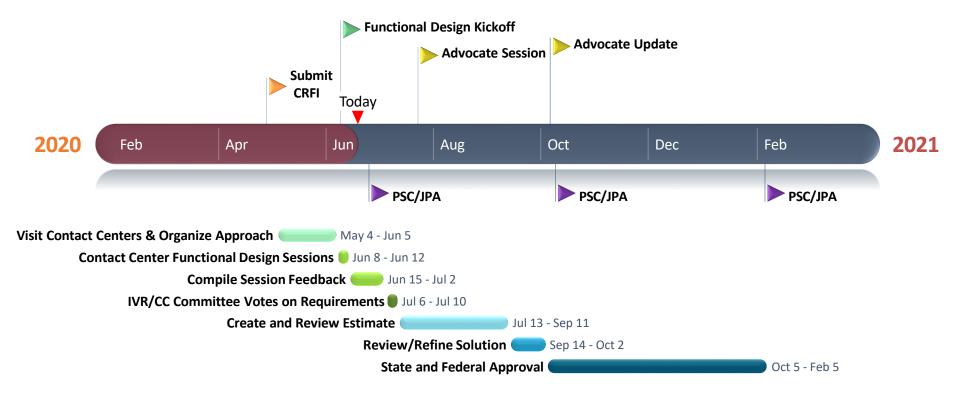


- Amazon Connect Contact Center Solution
 - Platform as a service will allow for scalability and ongoing cost efficiencies
 - Reduce initial upfront costs for new counties
 - Platform deployment for C-IV Counties was completed April 2020
 - Due to two (2) recent outage incidents:
 - CalSAWS is consolidating the technical monitoring processes into our core production operations
 - Amazon is putting additional monitoring controls in place
- Contact Center Functional Design Session held June 8 June 11
 - 100 county experts participated in those sessions
 - Sessions designed to further define the scope of requirements for CalSAWS Contact Centers
 - Included in-depth discussions on Local, Project and Joint configurations and controls for a multi-tenant support model
- Advocate Session for Customer Facing Contact Center Functionality scheduled July 20, 2020
- **Requirements** to be reviewed and approved by IVR/CC Committee in July 2020



On the Road to CalSAWS Contact Center – CalSAWS Solution





CalSAWS Procurements



CalSAWS Procurements

Construction Zone

- Portal/Mobile Introduction of Deloitte Team
- CalWIN OCM
- Print Center



CalSAWS Statewide Portal/Mobile Application

Timeline

PROCUREMENT EVENT	DATE
Released RFP	November 4, 2019
Contractor Proposal Due Date	January 22, 2020
Evaluated Proposals and Prepared Vendor Selection Report	January 23 – April 21, 2020
Consortium Issued Notice of Intent to Award to Deloitte	April 22, 2020
Contract Negotiations	April 27 – May 13, 2020
State, Federal and JPA Board of Directors Approval of Agreement	May 14 – August 7, 2020
Start Date of Statewide Portal/Mobile App Vendor	August 10, 2020
Portal/Mobile App Go-Live	September 2021

Deloitte Delivery Team



Kimberly King Test Lead

Jerald Nielson Application Development Lead

Jared Miniman User Interface Lead

CalWIN Training, OCM & Implementation Support

Timeline

PROCUREMENT EVENT	DATE	
Released RFP	December 17, 2019	
Contractor Proposal Due Date	April 23, 2020	
Evaluate Proposals and Prepare Vendor Selection Report	April 24 – August 5, 2020	
Consortium Issues Notice of Intent to Award	August 6, 2020	
Contract Negotiations	August 10 – September 1, 2020	
State, Federal and Consortium JPA Board of Directors Approval of Agreement	September 4 – December 1, 2020	
Planned Start Date of CalWIN Contractor	December 2, 2020	

Central Print Procurement

Timeline

PROCUREMENT EVENT	DATE	
Develop Requirements and RFP	January 21 – April 22, 2020	
Consortium RFP Review and Approval	April 23 – May 5, 2020	
State RFP Review and Approval	May 6 – May 22, 2020	
Federal RFP Review and Approval	May 26 – July 24, 2020	
RFP Release	July 28, 2020	
Bidder's Conference	August 5, 2020	
Contractor Proposal Due Date	September 25, 2020	
Evaluate Proposals and Prepare Vendor Selection Report	September 28 – November 18, 2020	
Consortium Issues Notice of Intent to Award	November 19, 2020	
Contract Negotiations	November 23 – November 30, 2020	
State, Federal and Consortium JPA Board of Directors Approval of Agreement	December 2, 2020 – March 10, 2021	
Planned Start Date of Central Print Contractor	March 11, 2021	

 Note: Have requested waiver for Federal pre-approval of the RFP. If approved, the RFP will be released sooner.

CalSAWS Points of Interest



CalSAWS Points of Interest Tour Guides: June & Scot





Hyland Cloud-based Imaging



Automated Assistants

Amazon Connect



More in depth

- Background on Migration to Amazon Connect
 - Like-for-like migration from on-premise solution for call centers and IVR for the 39 counties
 - Quotes from the field
 - Testimonials from workers
- Demo of potential capabilities on Amazon Connect
 - These were not in-scope for the 39 counties but are all possible examples of features that could be implemented with existing AWS capabilities

Amazon Connect

Quotes



 The following animations slides show some quotes the project received from the Counties about the Amazon Connect implementation.



"I really appreciate all of the professionalism and support that we were provided for the Amazon Connect transition. The team was knowledgeable and professional and very well prepared. The use of the new tool has been great. It was very easy to pick up and we've never had such low wait times."

Kathy Harwell, Stanislaus County



Merced County migration to Amazon Connect was exceptional in mist of the COVID-19 pandemic outbreak right before our County received training and transition over. The entire Team did an amazing job of adjusting in-person training and quickly facilitating teleconference/virtual training for all Merced County Call Center staff as well as making these training available in future. All Trainers were friendly, patient and understanding with all of questions/concerns of every single individual. One of the functions I truly appreciate is the routing profiles, as a manager/supervisor, I am able to manage how and to whom the calls will be directed by incorporating Priority Level and Delay. This gives an equal and fair opportunity to each individual to receive calls. The system facilitates the capability of pulling basic information at a quick glance in real-time metrics and historical metrics, it does have a slight delay when shifting between status but over all its easy to use. We received the adequate level of training to be able to be familiar and use the equipment and program. Even to this day the entire Team has shown support to any questions and concerns we have even after our training support transition has ended. Thank You on behalf of Merced County.

Maria Luisa Rodriguez, Merced Family Services Supervisor



It has been a smooth transition so far. On day two we had two dropped calls but the Amazon Connect team looked into it and it looks like the disconnect wasn't due to vendor defect, they were both three way calls with a language line, EW and Covered Ca and the call dropped both the client (Amazon Connect and the interpreter at the same time) probably a problem with their connection. So over all it is going very well, staff haven't had anything negative to say and it seems business as usual.

San Joaquin County – Kimberly Poirier - Contact Center Manager



Amazon Connect has enabled Kern to continue providing a high level of service to customers during the pandemic. We were able to deploy Amazon Connect to all desks in our call center which allowed Kern to increase the number of agents on the phone each day. We were also able to deploy staff to work from home which enabled Kern to meet social distancing guidelines within the office. The project has been a great partner in making all of this possible. We benefit from the:

- Post Call Survey
- Professional Voice Talent
- Flexibility to remotely connect
- Ease of use, all functions feel very familiar
- Rapid response of project staff to help counties meet their needs

Valerie Rangel Program Director Call Centers, Kern County



Amazon Connect

Testimonials



 These videos were made by contact center workers in the counties and talk about their experience with the transition to Amazon Connect and using the new system.

Amazon Connect



Demonstration of Potential Future Features

- The following video shows several examples of potential future features that could be built on the Amazon Connect using existing/future AWS capabilities
 - 1. Introduction
 - 2. Natural Language Processing
 - 3. Sentiment Analysis
 - 4. Chat Access Channel

After the video, there will be a brief opportunity for Q&A with AWS about the capabilities in the video.



Demonstration of Potential Future Features

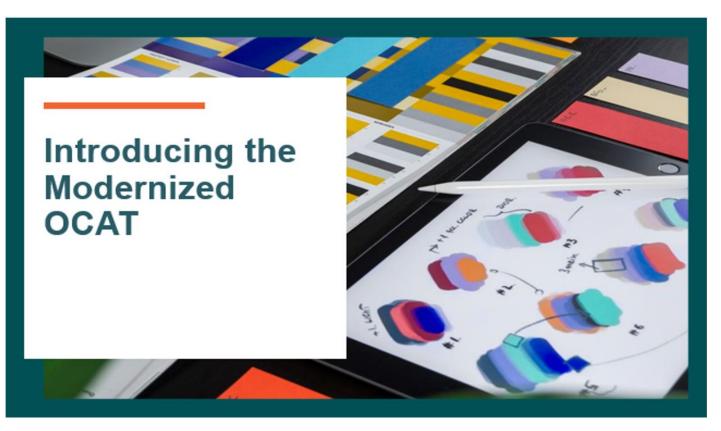


Q&A on the potential future features for Amazon Connect demonstrated in the video

Online CalWORKs Appraisal Tool (OCAT) Demonstration of OCAT

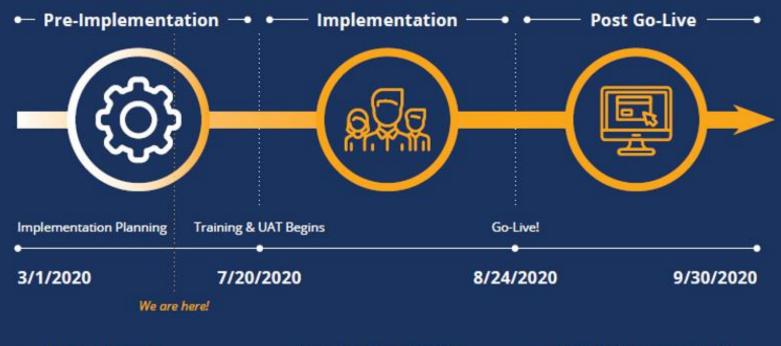






Upcoming Training and Implementation Activities





- County Champion Monthly Calls
- County Readiness Checklist and Connectivity Preparation
- User Acceptance Test Preparation and Training

- User Acceptance Testing
- County OCAT Training
- Ongoing Readiness
 Communications

- Daily Go-Live Support Calls
- Decomission Current System

Hyland Cloud-based Imaging

Demonstration of Capabilities

- Hyland
- The following video shows several features that are in Hyland Cloud-based Imaging solution:
 - 1. Capture process and interface
 - 2. Brainware (artificial intelligence) document classification
 - 3. <u>Potential future enhancements</u> with Brainware extraction
 - 4. Integration with CalSAWS and document retrieval

All of these features in the video, except the unstructured data extraction are in-scope for the 58-county solution that Hyland and Accenture are implementing. The unstructured data extraction, which is clearly noted as not-in scope for the current phase, demonstrates a potential future capability that might provide more automation and business value to the counties.

After the video, there will be a brief opportunity for Q&A with Hyland about the capabilities in the video.

Hyland Cloud-based Imaging Demonstration of Capabilities



Q&A on the features for Hyland Cloud-based Imaging demonstrated in the video

CalSAWS | JPA Member Representatives and Board of Directors Meeting

Automated Assistants Update



Future Pilots with Los Angeles and San Bernardino

- The project has been working with both Los Angeles County and San Bernardino County on potential pilots for Automated Assistants.
- These solutions complement each other:
 - The Los Angeles County solution is focus on adding some self-service capabilities and is API based to work with the Los Angeles DPSS customer service center infrastructure
 - The San Bernardino County solution would be built directly on the CalSAWS Amazon Connect infrastructure being used for the 39 counties

Automated Assistants Update

Planned Capabilities for Los Angeles County Pilot

The following scenarios are identified as the use cases:

- Contact Update (address, email, phone number)
- Electronic Benefit Transfer ("EBT") Card Replacement
- Benefit Identification Card ("BIC") Replacement

Access Channels:

- Voice in IVR (Interactive Voice Response) system
- Web Channel
 - Accessible from Your Benefits Now
 - Directed via to web page via text from IVR system

Los Angeles DPSS, CalSAWS, and Accenture are discussing some contract terms for this solution prior to initiating the work



Automated Assistants Update



Potential Capabilities for San Bernardino County Pilot

We have discussed 3 potential automated assistants to pilot with San Bernardino:

- 1. Authentication:
 - Create an alternate authentication capability with the same questions the worker would ask.
- 2. Push Notification:
 - Push common self-service notifications once the customer is authenticated in the IVR.
- 3. Natural Language Processing (NLP):
 - Potentially replace the IVR menus with Natural Language Processing.

We plan to pilot the first two capabilities starting with English this calendar year

Roadside Safety: Overview of CalSAWS Toolbox

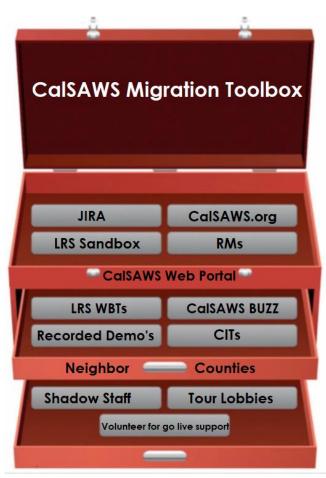


Roadside Safety Overview of CalSAWS Toolbox



As we continue to build CalSAWS by adding functionality to the LRS system there are tools available to counties to prepare and stay informed.

Roadside Safety CalSAWS Toolbox



Tools available to Counties

- CalSAWS.org Current Project Information
- LRS Sandbox Environment matching LRS Production
- JIRA Software Application for all SCRs
- Regional Managers

CalSAWS Web Portal

- LRS Web Based Trainings (WBTs)
- Recorded Demonstrations
- CalSAWS Buzz
- County Information Transmittals (CITs)

Neighboring Counties

- Tour Lobbies/Call Centers
- Shadow Staff
- Volunteer for Go-Live Support



Welcome Home

Video

Welcome Home

CalSAWS Home Page

Adjourn joint meeting of the CalSAWS Member Representatives and JPA Board of Directors



One Goal. One Team. One System.