# CalSAWS | Bi-Weekly Status Meeting

	Date:	April 10, 2024	Location:	Microsoft Teams Meeting
_				
	Time:	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Meeting Called	CalSAWS Management
			by:	

Attendees: Alan Hernandez, Ana White, Amanda Batt, Arin Shahgholi, Arnold Malvick, Ashley Arnold, Ashraf Elsalaymeh, Ayana Alvarez, Belinda Ramirez, Bobbi Wibbenhorst, Cathryn VanNamen (CalWIN Implementation Support), Chris Van Vlack, Christine Hendren, Cristina Contreras, Danielle Benoit, Daisy Villasenor, Dawn Wilder, Deanna Rotert, Duncan Gilliam (CalWIN Implementation Support), Eric Capati (CalWIN Implementation Support), Geoff Cosner, Gopal Vedula, Greg Postulka, Haikaz (Mike) Tombakian, Henry Arcangel, Holly Murphy, Jennifer Hobbs, Jennifer Smith, Jerry Nielson, Jo Anne Osborne, Joe Mendoza, Joel Acevedo, John Boule, John Dray, Julie Conwell, Justin Stephenson, Karen Rapponotti, Kevin Wilson (OCAT Project), Kibby Stahl (OCAT Project), Laura Chavez, Lenecia Miles, Lisa Salas, Lorena Montes, Lulu Fou, Luz Esparza, Lynn Bridwell, Mara Jennings, Matthew Vandereyck, Melissa Thomas, Michael A. Johnson, Michele Peterson, Nichole Nava, Onur Senman (BenefitsCal Project), Peggy Macias, Quinn Hawkinson, Rachel Frey (BenefitsCal Project), Raul Gonzalez, Ricardo Miranda, Rodain Soto, Roger Perez, Sean Swift, Sharon Caldwell, Sharon Teramura, Sreshta Wickramasinghe (CalWIN Implementation Support), Timothy Hopson, Tom Hartman, Umair Khan, Veronica Lara, Yolanda Banuelos, Yong Vangbliayang, Yvonne Medina

> QA: Dan Dean, Wendy Battermann, Don Coffey, Emmeil Davis, Matt Coffin, Gretchen Williams, Rachel Hernandez

State Partners: Brandon Hansard (OTSI), Neha Dhawan (OTSI), Manroop Mahal (OTSI), Melissa Owens (OTSI), Stephen Zaretsky (OTSI), Lourdes Chang (OTSI), Caralee Mann (OTSI), Renee Mollow (DHCS), Mong Vang (CDSS), Sherice Sterling (CDSS), Cecilia Rolon (CDSS), William Laney (CDSS), Martha Esparza (CDSS), Yingjia Huang (DHCS), David Lucio (DHCS), Katie Mead (DHCS), Nellie Abeleda (DHCS), Theresa Hasbrouck (DHCS), Param Bansal (IV&V), Brian Nagy (IV&V), Apoorva Kandya (IV&V), Aftab Mohammed (IV&V), Rob Trojan (DOF)

Topic	Lead
Commence Meeting	Lulu Fou
Announcements	Lulu Fou

## CalSAWS M&O Bi-Weekly Status

Lulu Fou

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
CalSAWS Project Status Dashboard	Status Dashboard	CalSAWS System Incident highlights
Maintenance and Operations	3.1.3 CalSAWS Help Desk Metrics	The current compliance for April Month to Date (MTD) is 98.8%
	4.4.1 Release Test Summary	Began 24.05 baseline release test execution.  Week 1 of 7 completed. Team is on schedule with a 20% pass rate against a target of 14%.
Application Development and Test	4.5 Reports	<ul> <li>Phase 4, Outcomes and Recommendations discussion with Section Directors after Reports Survey</li> <li>Met with Management Reports Committee</li> <li>Bi-Weekly State and Fiscal Reports meeting</li> <li>Targeted Report Session on Foster Care Integrated Reports</li> <li>Deployed State and Fiscal Reports 24.03 Priority Defects in Production</li> </ul>

# CalSAWS BenefitsCal Portal/Mobile M&O Bi-Weekly Status

Jerry Nielson

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
Maintenance and Operations	3.5.1 Release Communications	<ul> <li>BenefitsCal Priority Release 24.03.25 on 03/25/24</li> <li>BenefitsCal Monthly Release 24.03.28 on 3/28/24</li> <li>BenefitsCal Priority Release 24.03.29 on 03/29/24</li> </ul>
Application Development	4.2 Monthly Release Summary	<ul> <li>Upcoming BenefitsCal Priority Release 24.04.11 on 04/11/24</li> <li>Upcoming BenefitsCal Monthly Release 24.04.25 on 4/25/24</li> </ul>

# CalSAWS Central Print Bi-Weekly Status

Geoff Cosner Dawn Wilder

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
1.1	N/A	<ul> <li>Continued processing of print for all 58 CalSAWS counties.</li> <li>Continued Return Mail processing for 5 counties.</li> </ul>



# CalSAWS DD&I Bi-Weekly Status

Lulu Fou

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION		STATUS AGENDA TOPIC	
None		•	None to note for the reporting period	

# CalSAWS BenefitsCal Portal/Mobile DD&I Bi-Weekly Status

Onur Senman

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
	April Enhancements (Release 24.04)	<ul> <li>Four (4) enhancements will be deployed to production across multiple releases in April 2024 including:         <ul> <li>One (1) Collaboration Model Enhancement</li> <li>CSPM-67785: Update Document Type/Upload feature</li> </ul> </li> <li>Three (3) Security Enhancements         <ul> <li>CSPM-68189: Enable Case Linking functionality</li> <li>CSPM-71739: Redacted App Summary PDF for Customers</li> <li>CSPM-71737: Encode all BenefitsCal API calls with Base64 Encoding</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	May Enhancements (Release 24.05)	<ul> <li>Nine (9) enhancements will be deployed to production across multiple releases in April 2024 including:         <ul> <li>One (1) Collaboration Model Enhancements</li> <li>CSPM-68111:</li></ul></li></ul>

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
		<ul> <li>Two (2) Technical Enhancements</li> <li>CSPM-66508: Modify the page architecture of the Help Center FAQs so each category has its own unique page URL.</li> <li>CSPM-73249: Update Person Level Flag for Highlighted Documents to "No"</li> <li>Two (2) Policy Enhancements</li> <li>CSPM-67651: Implementation of SSA Assisted Apps in BenefitsCal</li> <li>CSPM-73247: Add SSA User Guide for SSA Applications flow</li> <li>One (1) Testing Only Enhancement</li> <li>CSPM-71667: Add the Special Circumstance Icon to the e-Application Summary page</li> </ul>
	User Centered Design (UCD) Research Activities	<ul> <li>Customer Experience (CX) Measurements Data</li> <li>Monitored the CX Measurements data from Medallia, Amplitude, and BenefitsCal on a day-to-day basis to identify and address potential usability issues.</li> <li>Analyzed March Always-on data. User Engagement</li> <li>Conducted generative research sessions with customers for Duplicate Application [CSPM-65131].</li> <li>Conducted generative research sessions with customers and CBOs for HH Medical Renewal [CSPM-68213].</li> <li>Conducted county staff focus groups for HH Medical Renewal [CSPM-68213].</li> <li>Conducted generative research sessions with county staff members from Shasta, Tulare, Orange for Duplicate Application [CSPM-65131].</li> <li>Conducted usability testing sessions with customers for MFA case linking [CSPM-68189]</li> <li>Conducted usability testing session with customers for Deactivated Account Message for Customers [CSPM-73248]</li> </ul>

STATUS REPORT	STATUS REPORT	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
SECTION	SUB-SECTION	Enhancements
		<ul> <li>Conducted generative research sessions for HH Medical Renewal [CSPM-68213].</li> <li>Conducted generative research sessions for Duplicate Application [CSPM-65131].</li> <li>Conducted usability testing sessions with customers for MFA case linking [CSPM-68189]</li> <li>Conducted usability testing session with customers for Deactivated Account Message for Customers [CSPM-73248]</li> <li>Finalize synthesis for Household Section on Medical Renewal [CSPM-71943].</li> <li>Design updates on Chatbot Advocate Engagement</li> <li>Planned and prepped for April UCD monthly meeting.</li> </ul>
	GetCalFresh (GCF) Parity List	<ul> <li>The most recent session was conducted on 03/06/24 with the CDSS, Consortium, and CWDA on Premise funding and open items.</li> <li>Parity items #9, #19 and #63 implemented and deployed to production with the 24.01 release.</li> <li>Item #31 (CF-303) is delivered with the March 24.03 baseline release.</li> <li>Item #20 (SSA Assisted Apps) is on schedule to be delivered with the the May 24.05 baseline release (Development Completed; SIT In Progress)</li> <li>Premise planning discussions continued with the CDSS, Consortium, and CWDA for the four (4) parity items #22, #34, #44, #52, and #55 (where the BenefitsCal and CalSAWS teams provided the revised version of the estimates in November 2023).</li> <li>The CDSS suggested closure and requested BenefitsCal recommendations on three (3) parity items #24, #46, and #51. The Consortium is working with the CWDA to finalize the recommendations for these.</li> <li>Provided estimates to the CDSS for one (1) parity item #34 in March 2024</li> </ul>

# **OCAT Project Bi-Weekly Status**

Kibby Stahl Kevin Wilson

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC	
	N/A	None to note for the reporting period	

## CalSAWS QA Bi-Weekly Status

Dan Dean

Page 6

STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
QA PMO	N/A	<ul> <li>Participated in Post Release 24.03         Checkpoints</li> <li>Participated in Draft 24.03 Defect Executive         Letter review</li> <li>Participated in Code Scanning Inventory         review</li> <li>Participated in OCAT Operations and Release         Management review</li> <li>Participated in Hyland Imaging Monthly SLA         review</li> <li>Continued work on the CalSAWS Post         Implementation Evaluation Report (PIER)</li> <li>Continued Facilitating CalSAWS Key         Performance Indicator (KPI) Sessions</li> <li>Closed out March Collaboration Model         prioritization poll and distributed notes</li> </ul>
QA Technical	N/A	<ul> <li>Participated in CalSAWS Architecture reviews</li> <li>Participated in Accenture Imaging Monthly SLA review</li> <li>Participated in Fresno Generative AI Call Summary meeting</li> <li>Participated in CalSAWS Contact Center meetings</li> <li>Participated in BenefitsCal / CalSAWS Case Linking reviews</li> <li>Continued review of CalSAWS Change Advisory Board (CAB) tickets</li> <li>Collaborating on resuming Accenture System Security Plan (SSP) updates</li> </ul>
QA Functional/Test	N/A	<ul> <li>Completed CalSAWS Release 24.04.05 WBT SCRs validation</li> <li>Commenced CalSAWS Release 24.05 Job Aid/Online Help SCRs validation</li> <li>Started CalSAWS Release 24.05 Test Execution with 11% Execution Rate, 10% Pass Rate, and 1% Fail/Block Rate</li> <li>Continued CalSAWS RWR Client Correspondence Test Activities</li> </ul>



STATUS REPORT SECTION	STATUS REPORT SUB-SECTION	STATUS AGENDA TOPIC
		<ul> <li>Participated in CalSAWS State/Fiscal Report Activities</li> <li>Participated in FCED Integrated Schedule and Test Plan Activities</li> <li>Participated in Customer Engagement Activities</li> </ul>

### **State Policy Updates**

Sherice Sterling (CDSS)
Cecilia Rolon (CDSS)
Katie Mead (DHCS)
Robin Grandpre (DHCS)
Neha Dhawan (OTSI)
Patrice Yang (OTSI)

#### **Risk Management Group**

Mandy Batt

- o To align with Bi-Weekly Status, the RMG will now take place on the first Wednesday Bi-Weekly Status of the month. Current schedule is as follows:
  - April 10, 2024
  - May 8, 2024
  - June 5, 2024
  - July 3, 2024
  - August 14, 2024
  - September 11, 2024
  - October 9, 2024
  - November 6, 2024
  - December 4, 2024

#### (Optional Items)

# Action Item Who Due Status

# Decision Made Who Made the Decision Date

CalSAWS | Agenda Page 7