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Program(s) Impacted:			
Adoptive Services	ARC	CalFresh	Cal-Learn
CalWORKS / RCA	CAPI	Child Care	CMSP
Foster Care	GA/GR	GAIN/REP/WTW	GROW
Kin-GAP	Medi-Cal / RMA		
🔀 Other – specify			

Area(s) Impacted:			
Call Center	Case Assignment	Client Correspondence	Eligibility
Fiscal / Collections	Hearings	Imaging	Lobby Management
Reports	Resource Data Bank	Schedule Appt	Security
Self Service Portal	Special Investigation	Task Mgmt	Time Limits
Training			
Interface(s) - specify			
Other – specify			

Justification / Request Summary:

Under Special Units/Hearings there is a Notes page that Hearings Representatives use to make detailed case notes regarding State Hearings. We have recently learned that SIU staff have access to view this privileged information. The purpose of this page is to have a secure location for Hearings staff to make notes in regards to State Hearings communication between the Hearing Representative and the claimant. There does not appear to be a business need for SIU staff to have access to this privileged information.

Issue:

Hearing Representatives do not utilize the Journal tab for documentation regarding hearing communication between themselves, the claimant, or county staff. . Under Special Units/Hearings there is a Notes page that Hearings Representatives use to make detailed case notes regarding State Hearings should only be accessed by State Hearing staff.

Proposed Recommendation:

Restrict access to Special Units/Hearings page, only allow Hearings Unit staff to have access, FSS IV in hearings, Admin Clerk III for Hearings, FS Supervisor for Hearings, and Quality Management Manager.

Prioirity/Implementation Consideration(s):High

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