

# CalSAWS

California Statewide Automated Welfare System



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CalOAR - Update logic for WTW\_CWEX  
(Variable #53) per SIRFRA 4009

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## 1 OVERVIEW

WTW\_CWEX (variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs) identifies individuals who did or did not participate in education while on CalWORKs assistance and who exited CalWORKs in the measurement period.

WTW\_CWEX is part of the Cal-OAR 19E and is the denominator of the educational completion rate.

Update CalOAR logic for WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs).

### 1.1 Current Design

Existing CalOAR logic for WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs) follows the below criteria:

1. WTW\_V\_EN (Variable #41 - Enrolled in Any Approved Education or Training Activity or Program) = Yes; Prior to discontinuance individuals were enrolled in an Education program within measurement period.
2. WTW Program Status = 'Discontinued' or 'Sanctioned'
3. WTW program period is within the report period
4. CalWORKs Person Status went from 'Active' to 'Discontinued'
5. CalWORKs program period is within the report period

### 1.2 Requests

Update CalOAR WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs) criteria #2 to:

2. WTW/REP Program Status = 'Sanctioned' or 'Deregistered'

### 1.3 Overview of Recommendations

1. Update CalOAR WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs) criteria #2.

### 1.4 Assumptions

1. All existing functionalities will remain unchanged unless called out as part of this SCR.

## 2 RECOMMENDATIONS

### 2.1 CalOAR Update Logic for WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53)

#### 2.1.1 Overview

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Update CalOAR logic for WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs).

#### 2.1.2 Description of Change

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1. Update CalOAR WTW\_CWEX (Variable #53 - Former WTW Individuals who Participated in Education while on CalWORKs) criteria #2 to:  
WTW/REP Program Status = 'Sanctioned' or 'Deregistered'

##### Example 1:

Assume WTW\_V\_EN (variable 41 - Enrolled in Any Approved Education or Training Activity or Program) returns 02 for the reporting period of July 2024 to December 2024. Say the WTW program has the following statuses:

- 'Active' with a begin date of 7/1/2024 and an end date of 8/31/2024
- 'Deregistered' with a begin date of 9/1/2024

For the July 2024 to December 2024 report, WTW\_CWEX = 02.

##### Example 2:

Assume WTW\_V\_EN (variable 41 - Enrolled in Any Approved Education or Training Activity or Program) returns 02 for the reporting period of July 2024 to December 2024. Say the WTW program has the following statuses:

- 'Active' with a begin date of 7/1/2024 and an end date of 12/31/2024
- 'Deregistered' with a begin date of 1/1/2025

For the July 2024 to December 2024 report, WTW\_CWEX = 01.

Example 3:

Assume WTW\_V\_EN (variable 41 - Enrolled in Any Approved Education or Training Activity or Program) returns 02 for the reporting period of July 2024 to December 2024. Say the WTW program has the following statuses:

- 'Sanctioned' with a begin date of 7/1/2024 and an end date of 8/31/2024
- 'Active' with a begin date of 9/1/2024

For the July 2024 to December 2024 report, WTW\_CWEX = 01.

### **2.1.1 Partner Integration Testing**

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Yes.

After programming changes are made, CalSAWS will generate outbound CalOAR 19E test files for the July 2024 to December 2024 reporting period, which will be sent to CDSS. CDSS will review the files and send to a small cohort of counties to review and validate that the data is satisfactory.

### **2.1.2 Execution Frequency**

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No change.

### **2.1.3 Key Scheduling Dependencies**

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No change.

### **2.1.4 Counties Impacted**

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All counties.

### **2.1.5 Category**

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No change.

### **2.1.6 Data Volume/Performance**

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No change.

### **2.1.7 Interface Partner**

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California Department of Social Services (CDSS).

### **2.1.8 Failure Procedure/Operational Instructions**

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Batch Support Operations staff will evaluate transmission errors and failures and determine the appropriate resolution (i.e., manually retrieving the file from the

directory and contacting the external partner if there is an account or password issue, etc.

### 3 SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Number	Functional Area	Description	Attachment
1	Cal-OAR	Criteria tracker for Cal-OAR, with updates for WTW_CWEX	CA-286996 Cal-OAR Data Element Specifications Tracker.xlsx