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## MFSC FALL 2009 – DRA PRESENTATION HANDOUT

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The purpose of this handout is to highlight the materials and examples presented in the DRA – A Closer Look presentation from the Fall 2009 Michigan Family Support Council Conference. Session presented by: Claudia Martello, Oakland County FOC; Corinna Batora and Eric Hewitt, Office of Child Support; and Stephen Schwitzer, MiCSES Project.

Key Points:

### Assignment/Distribution for FIP Assistance

- Key Dates:
  - Pre-DRA: Before 10/1/09
  - Post-DRA: On and After 10/1/09
- Post-DRA: Family arrears will not be assigned to the state when a member certifies for FIP

### Mid-Month Certification on the MHIS screen

- Effective 10/1/09 and after: MiCSES will automatically change mid-month certification dates to the first of the following month
  - Manually entered dates effective after 10/1/09 must be entered as the first of the following month

### Limitation of Assignment

- MiCSES 5.5 Release: The U-arrears remain with the family - *except* when linking IV-A cases
- MiCSES 5.6 Release: The U-arrears can return to the state when LOA is recalculated

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### LOA MANUAL ADJUSTMENT Reason Code

- Use the LOA MANUAL ADJUSTMENT reason code on the OBAA screen when making adjustments for LOA that do not change the overall balances

### Resources

MiCSES Financials Web-based training (WBT) found on mi-support at Training > Web-based Training > Financials, or link to:

[http://mi-support.cses.state.mi.us/training/MiCSES\\_FIN/launch.htm](http://mi-support.cses.state.mi.us/training/MiCSES_FIN/launch.htm)



Notes:



**Limitation of Assignment Examples**

**Example 1**

Linking IVA cases

Set Up

Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG
Sep 2009	A		15		10
Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	10
Nov 2009	A	5	15	5	13
Dec 2009	N	10	13	7	13

Case is Linked in December, *before the 5.6 release (Dec. 12)*

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Sep 2009	A		15		40	30
	Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	40	30
	Nov 2009	A	5	15	5	43	33
Starting	Dec 2009	N	10	13	7	43	33
IVA Case is linked to a case with \$20 URG			10	13	7		
LoA runs			10	20	0		

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Sep 2009	A		15		40	30
	Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	40	30
Script result			5	15	0		
	Nov 2009	A	5	15	5	43	33
Script result			5	20	0		
IVA Case is linked	Dec 2009	N	10	15	5	43	33
LoA runs			10	20	0		
Script result			10	20	0		



**Example 2**

Linking cases, but in month of current assistance

Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG
Sep 2009	A		15		10
Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	10
Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	10
Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	13

Cases are linked in December, before the 5.6 release

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Sep 2009	A		15		40	30
	Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	40	30
	Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	40	30
IVA Case is linked	Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	43	33
LoA runs--No change			10	15	5		

Clean up script runs...

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Sep 2009	A		15		40	30
	Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	40	30
	Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	40	30
IVA Case is linked	Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	43	33
LoA runs			10	15	5		



**Example 3**

Same as Example 2, but with user correction

Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG
Sep 2009	A		15		10
Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	10
Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	10
Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	13

Cases are linked in December, before the 5.6 release

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Sep 2009	A		15		<del>10</del>	30
	Oct 2009	N	5	10	5	<del>10</del>	30
	Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	<del>10</del>	30
IVA Case is linked	Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	<del>13</del>	33
LoA runs--No change			10	15	5		

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Dec 2009	A	10	15	5	<del>13</del>	33
LoA runs--No change			10	15	5		
Manually corrected using regular reason code			10	20	0		



Clean up script runs...

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	40	30
<b>Script Recalculates LOA</b>	Dec 2009	A	10	15	0	43	33
<b>Accrual</b>				+5			
<b>Result</b>			10	20	0		
<b>Ignore: LoA runs (from LINK)</b>		A	0	0	0		
<b>Result</b>		A	10	20			
<b>Manual correction</b>		A	0	+5	-5		
<b>Result</b>		A	10	25	-5		

\*Note that actually the circular rule would offset the negative against NAA resulting in 5/25/0, but it's left this way to illustrate the concepts better.

Which is why we have the new LOA MANUAL ADJUSTMENT reason code

	Month	Asst	NAA	PAA	UDA	URG	Linked URG
	Nov 2009	N	10	10	5	40	30
<b>Script Recalculates LOA</b>	Dec 2009	A	10	15	0	43	33
<b>Accrual</b>				+5			
<b>Result</b>			10	20	0		
<b>Ignore: LoA runs (from LINK)</b>		A	0	0	0		
<b>Result</b>		A	10	20			
<b>Ignore: Manual correction using LOA MANUAL ADJUSTMENT RC</b>		A	0	+5	-5		
<b>Result</b>		A	10	20	0		