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• ☐ Recent changes

• ☐ Student records

- Preferences -> System 1 -> Lists -> Student validations
 - Select error or warning messages, as a function of plan type (10, 20, or 70-80-90).
 - Affects both web and 4D Client.
 - Different from the "incomplete" items dialog for IEP forms (Preferences -> Web and multi-user -> Form to use for new IEPs on web -> Options
 - The IEP items must be addressed before "incomplete" can be un-checked for the IEP.
 - The IEP items affect the web user only.
 - Validation item, W919 Transition goal missing won't occur when the As Of date in preferences is after 6.30.2010.
 - Validation item, "Svc without evaluation date" item available.
 - Applicable only if neither student nor service are marked as DNR.
 - New prompt: When user adds a service with a provider code of 300 (Dep't. of Mental Health), the program offers to check the Chap. 26.5 box for the student.
 - Also batch update from browse window (Special expressions -> "Update Chapter 26.5")
 - Transition survey (A-100 through A-107) in separate tab.
 - Batch updaters available in 4D Client.
 - ☐ Transportation
 - Citations form (bus incident, parent not home)
 - Request form
 - Enter, print, and schedule buttons.
 - Schedule tab now has "Location type" column ("corner" or "door").
 - Revised "Find transportation" dialog (Data -> Transportation... in 4D Client)

• DRDP

- CASEMIS DRDP export added November 2010.
 - Updated to allow the user to select the provider type to be written for LPROV and FPROV.
- Six individual fields replace older text areas for languages.
 - New fields used in preference to old for export.
- Error message for combination of "0-Not yet" with "Emerging" check box.
- Error message when the completed date is not in the appropriate date range for spring or fall.
 - Only when not marked as incomplete.
- New DRDP 2010 infant/preschool/school age forms added
 - These are *not* used by CASEMIS
 - Don't print properly with the Windows pdf drivers (win2pdf and pdf995).
 - Can prevent them from being displayed (Preferences -> System 1 -> Lists -> "DRDP add record options")

• IEPs

- Customize meeting types for DFL7 drop-down (Preferences -> System 1 -> Lists -> "IEP DFL7 purpose")
- New IEP search dialog (Data -> IEPs...)
 - Also available on web home page (see below).
- New "incomplete" items can be specified for web.
 - Service overlap start/end date

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- Services without frequency; location code; minutes or duration; provider code; start and/or end date; teacher name.
- Web "incomplete" items available in 4D Client for DFL6, DFL7 ("Incomplete items" button near bottom of IEP form).
- Administrative users ("AdminGroup") can un-certify IEP by pressing a button.
- More types of IEP attachments allowed
 - Word, Excel, PowerPoint, plain text, pdf
 - May need to declare "Helper applications" in web browser preferences.
 - Others can be attached but web browser may not know how to deal with them when sent back (from server to web user).
- IEP certified notification, for admin or read-write users (4D Client)
 - Preferences -> Appearance -> Notify me every <xx> minutes about newly certified IEPs.
- Revision on DFL7 team meeting notes page to accommodate longer text
 - Text fields are normally limited to 32,000 characters (8-10 pages printed)
 - Special tabs on 4D Client page
- **Web home page**
 - Slight reorganization to simplify appearance and function.
 - Printing functions are now in the navigation bar, and include tool tips when the mouse hovers.
 - Added DRDP search options to the Find student drop-down menu.
 - Completed date before / complete date on/after / complete date blank
 - Form marked incomplete
 - Eligible infants/preschoolers for fall/spring evaluation period.
 - Added "attachment" icon to IEP list, for IEPs that have one or more documents attached.
 - Added "Last DRDP" column to upper/student list.
 - Page moves vertically back to where it was when the user navigates to the next / previous set of records.
 - Added a multi-level search for IEPs (hidden section).
 - Multi-level preference remembered when re-opening the search section.
- **Web user session management**
 - New web user warnings
 - Instant messages (same as for 4D Client users).
 - Instant messages last until the next day, or until the administrator removes them.
 - Idle hold release within 2 minutes (student and IEP records).
 - Idle hold release imminent (student and IEP records).
 - Idle logoff within 5 minutes (most web locations).
 - Idle logoff within 2 minutes (most web locations).
 - Web user can disable hold warnings (but not idle logoff warnings) from home page preferences.
 - Three new slide controls under Preferences -> Web and multi-user -> Multi-user.
 - Polling delay (idle user, frequency for testing)
 - Log off
 - Release hold
 - Return to logon page (check box) - attempts to save user's work on a student or IEP record, prior to logoff.
- **Reports**

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- Command / Cntrl-P now calls the Report Assistant (4D Client)
 - Hold down Cmd/Alt to access old print dialogs (where available).
- District chargeback by school type now accounts for multi-day holidays on the calendar.
 - Specify both start and end dates (can be the same).
 - Event must be a "holiday".
 - Description must include school type (e.g., "Juvenile court school", "Hospital facility", etc.).
- Caseload summary now prints SSID rather than SSN.
- IEP status report (new)
 - Each IEP appears as a separate, listed item.
 - Meeting type, form type, status, completion level (DFL6, DFL7), diagnostics (DFL6, DFL7).
 - Summary information at bottom of report.
 - Also available on the web home page.
- Goal progress summary (new)
 - Web home page only (Print reports menu -> IEPs)
 - DFL6, DFL7 form sets only.
 - User must click on IEP in lower/green list first
- Attendance registers from web home page (new dialog).
- **Imports**
 - Added a 2010-2011 CASEMIS Table A import. In addition to fixed-column, it can import csv or tab-delimited files, if it is able to recognize the type.
 - The CASEMIS Table B import will handle csv or tab-delimited files, if it is able to recognize the type.
 - SELPA Central
 - Alphabetized update item check boxes.
 - Default now is *not* to update districts, schools, or teachers.
 - Option to skip IEPs on import (runs faster).
- **Server notes**
 - **Maintenance practices**
 - Run 4D Tools at least monthly
 - Run at least weekly for more active sites
 - Ensure that 4D Server has an active log file.
 - 4D Backup should save/re-create the log file each night, so that it does not keep growing
 - **Server configuration**
 - Audit Trail
 - Specify deletion of old history after a selected number of days
 - Do not run Windows Backup Agent or Volume Shadow Copy (services)
 - 4D Backup should make the backups to the local (C or D) drive
 - Use network file share and batch process to move contents of 4D Backup folder to another drive on your network.
 - Antivirus software
 - Exclude the SELPA_Mgr_v475 folder from scanning
 - Exclude the .4DC, .4DR, .4DD, .4DR, .4DL, .4BK files if possible
 - Windows automatic updates (Windows server only)
 - Specify notification only for new updates; or automatic download with manual installation.

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- Automatic updating will cause 4D Server to quit on re-boot, may damage data file.
- Running 4D Server as a service under Windows
 - Reduces the likelihood of unexpectedly quitting 4D Server (data file damage).
 - Be careful not to also start 4D Server on the desktop at the same time (check services control panel or taskmgr before starting on desktop)
- **SSL certificate renewals**
 - Browsers now use 256-bit certificates for added security (formerly 128-bit).
 - Generate certificate signing request using OpenSSL tool rather than 4D itself.
 - Example request syntax (e.g., for Terminal in Mac OSX)

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openssl req -new -newkey rsa:2048 -nodes -out <server address>.csr -keyout <server address>.key -subj "/CN=<server address>"
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 - Places private key and certificate signing request files in user's home directory
 - Link to generate OpenSSL request:
<http://www.qualityssl.com/en/support/openssl-csr-tool.lasso>
 - Place new cert.pem (from certificate issuer) and key.pem (from OpenSSL) into the SLPA_Mgr_v475 folder, then re-start 4D Server.
 - We can assist in obtaining the SSL certificate for you.
- **Purchasing a new server**
 - If Windows 2008 Server is pre-installed, add Windows 2003 R2 Server OS downgrade disks to purchase.
 - 4D 2003 Backup apparently doesn't work on Windows 2008 Server OS.
 - Disk mirroring or mirror/strip (RAID 1+0), preferably with hot swap for failing drives
 - 4 GB RAM is the maximum that Windows 2003 Server can address (32-bit).
 - Avoid virtual server configurations (risk of data damage).
- **Requests**
- **Questions**