

Customer Release Notes

MEALS PLUS WEB SPRINT 27—MARCH 4, 2020

This document describes enhancements and corrections for *Meals Plus* Web.

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New Features

- NEW! Districts now have the ability to Print Applications from the Cog Option list on the Manage Application grid!
 - Active, Deleted and Archived applications can be printed

A	View/Edit
3	History
	Notes
€	Print Application
Î	Delete

- NEW! Customers now have the ability to apply Free status and a Grace Period for students that have transferred from a CEP school in another district to a non-CEP school on the Manage Application form!
 - Customers will need to set a **Grace Period** for students that fall into this classification.

Status		Finances
CEP Transfer		
CURRENT	PREVIOUS	Balance adjustments to this account must be made under Account# 7410
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Other Enhancements

<u>Menus</u>

Manage Menus

Applied Menus

- **Saving** an **Applied Menu** in *Meals Plus* will update the menu in *ISITE menu boards* if the menu is linked.
- The **Delete** option has been added to **Cog Option** list in the **Applied Menus** grid.

Delete Applied Menu		
Are you sure you want to delete this applied menu?		
	Cancel	✓ Yes



<u>Reports</u>

Serving

Meals Per Labor Hour

• Customers can now export the Meals Per Labor Hour report as an Excel file type.

Options FROM:	TO:	(REPORT FOR	MAT:
03/02/2020	03/02/2020		PDF	Excel
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Students

Meal Benefit Expiration

• The option has been added to filter by **Carryover Type** (Year End, CEP Transfer or both).

Student Allergies

• **Customers** can now export the **Student Allergies** report as an *Excel* file type.

Report Parameters	
SITE	
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TEACHER	
	-
GRADE	
	-
ALLERGEN	
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REPORT FORMAT	
PDF Excel	

Students

Manage Application

Status Change

- A Change Reason column has been added to the Status Change Report.
 - The **Change Reason** can be one of the following:
 - MBE Expired
 - Income
 - Homeless



- Migrant
- Runaway
- DC Case Type
- Case Type
- Foster
- DC Foster
- KinGap
- HeadStart
- Verification with reason/result
- Declined Benefits

MBE Notification

CEP Transfer Notification

- The **CEP Transfer Notification h**as been added as a **Letter** type.
 - The **CEP Transfer Student** letter has been added to the **MBE Notification** form.
 - The ability has been added to generate a **Printed Notification Letter** for **CEP Transfer Student**.
 - The ability has been added to generate an **Emailed Notification Letter** for **CEP Transfer Student**.

1	ABE Notification			
ſ	Options			
	Date of Letter:	Letter Type:		Show Site Name:
	03/04/2020	MBE Notification	CEP Transfer Notification	Yes No
	Action: Print Email	Sort By: Parent Last Name, Parent First Name		

Utilities

Export

New York SIRS Export

- The export will exclude non-LEA students when reporting student with expired MBE.
 - The Import Schedule has been renamed to Auto Export Setup.



Corrections

Inventory

Inventory Utilities

Import/ Export

• The error causing the **Import** to not update the **Brand** and **Servings Per Purchase Unit** fields has been corrected.

<u>Menu</u>

Manage Menus

Cycle Menus

- The error causing newly added **Recipes** to be removed unintentionally from a **Cycle Menu** has been corrected.
 - The error causing the **Fruit** and **Vegetable Juice Contributions** to not be calculated as percentages in the **Cycle Menu** has been corrected.
 - The Nutritional Standards for Supper Menus has been corrected:
 - Vegetables now require 0.5 cup per day.
 - **Fruits** now required 0.25 cup per day.
 - The error causing the **Meal Standard** requirement for **Grains** to not calculate accurately has been corrected.
 - The error causing **Grain** based **Desserts** to not be included as a **Meal Contribution** has been corrected.
 - The error causing **Users** to receive a blank screen upon saving a **Cycle Menu** has been corrected.
 - The error causing Users to receive an error when attempting to **Edit a Recipe** within a **Cycle Menu** has been corrected.
 - The error causing **Reimbursable Meal Contributions** to not reflect changes made to corresponding **Recipes** has been corrected.

Cycle Menu Analysis Report

• The error causing the **Cycle Menu Analysis Report** to fail was discovered to be related to **Orphaned Reimbursable Meals** and has been corrected.

Serving

Transaction History

• The error causing the **Transaction History** report to not calculate the Payment Amount accurately, when incorporating sales tax, has been corrected.