CAREWARE: ENROLLMENT AND ELIGIBILITY CLEAN-UP PROJECT

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Agenda

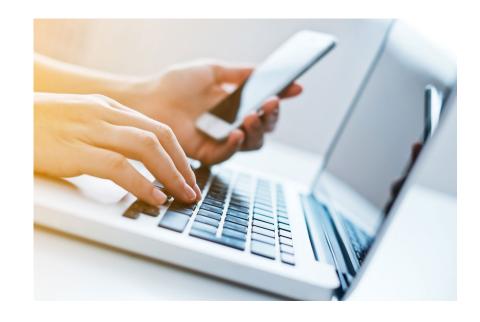
- ► What is CAREWare (CW)?
- Enrollment and Eligibility Status in CW
- ► Why is this important?
- ► Modification of Enrollment & Eligibility Status
 - Discuss the different scenarios
 - Next Steps and Clean-Up Project

CAREWare



What is CAREWare?

- ► Electronic health information system that stores Iowa Ryan White Part B and Part C data
- ► Federal report required data is imported from REMI to CW
- Very important tool for reporting to our federal funders



Enrollment & Eligibility in CW



Vital and Enrollment and Eligibility Status in CAREWare

Two data variables in CAREWare that are important for Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Services Report (RSR) reporting to the Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA)

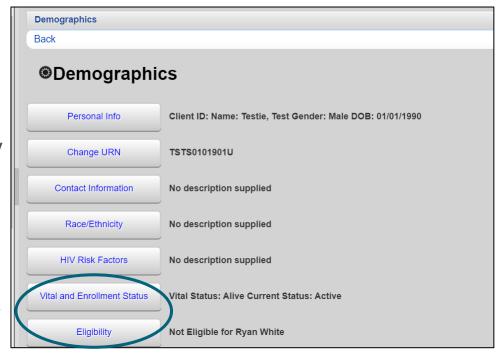
- 1. Vital & Enrollment Status tracks if clients are discharged, inactive, moved, etc. in CAREWare
- 2. Eligibility Status determines if a client will be included in your agency's RSR
 - 1. Required annual federal report for HRSA
 - 2. Must be Ryan White Part B eligible for the duration they received services to be included
- 3. The REMI to CW nightly import does NOT update Vital & Enrollment Status and Eligibility status
 - 1. Users need to manually update these in CW



Vital and Enrollment & Eligibility Status

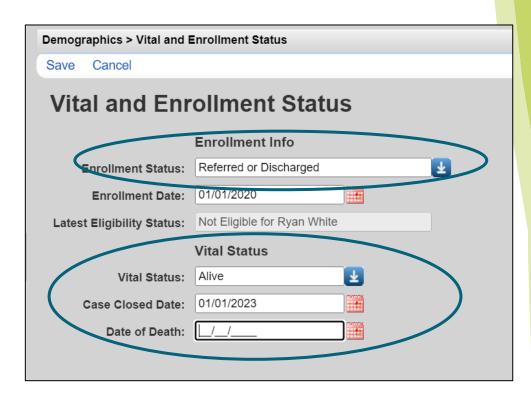
- Once you've clicked a client's CW file, you will see this
- Navigate to the Vital and Enrollment Status and Eligibility bars
 - This is where you will make the updates





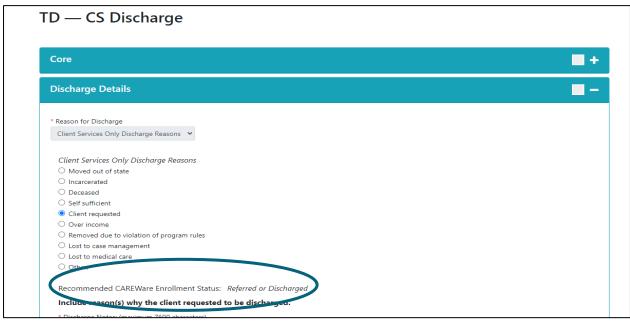
Updating Vital & Enrollment Status

- Once you've clicked on Vital & Enrollment status, you will see this
- Update the enrollment status as needed
- Update as needed:
 - Vital status
 - Case closed date
 - Date of death
- ► The enrollment date should never change. It will always be the first date the client ever received a Part B service





Updating Vital & Enrollment Status (Continued)



- ▶ If you are a Part B and C agency, you will only update the Vital and Enrollment status if the client is no longer enrolled in Part B AND C
 - If the client discharges from Part B, but remains in Part C at your agency this will not be updated
- Utilize the REMI discharge form so that you know what reason to put in CW



Eligibility Status in CW

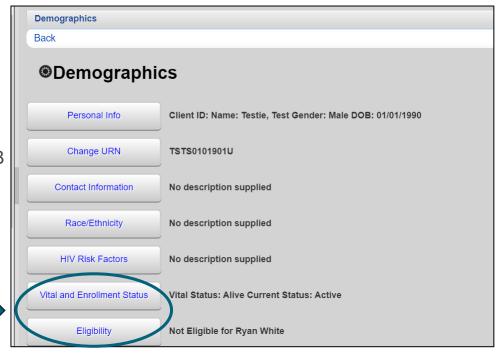
*Crucial for accurate RSR data that is submitted to HRSA annually



Updating Eligibility Status in CW

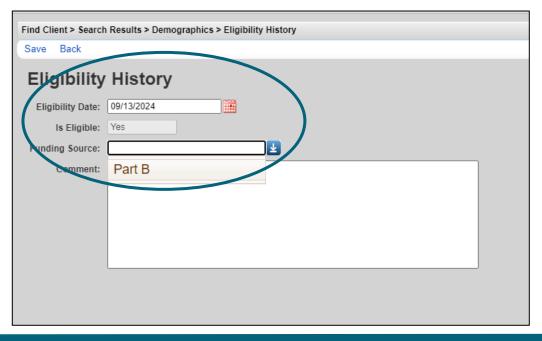
- Once you've clicked a client's CW file, you will see this
- ► Navigate to the Eligibility tab
 - This stores all of the client's RWPB and RWPB eligibility status history
 - This is where you will make your changes





Updating Eligibility Status in CW





- Once you've clicked "Eligibility", you will see the Eligibility history
- Click "Start" to make a client RWPB (or RWPC) eligible
- Click "Stop" to make a client RWPB (or RWPC) ineligible
- After clicking start or stop, you will select the "funding source" and "date"

Eligibility Status in CAREWare

RWPB Ineligible if:

- ►The client is discharged from your agency in REMI
- ► The client transferred from your agency to another agency

RWPB Eligible if:

- ► Your agency reactivates the client in REMI
 - Any client in Pre-Case Management, Pending, or Active status
- ► Your agency receives an incoming transfer
- Your agency has a new client

Eligibility in CAREWare



Example of a RWPB Eligible Client



Example of a RWPB Ineligible Client

- ► A client can be ineligible for RWPB but eligible for Part C
- ▶ When a new REMI profile is created, eligibility is automatically pushed into CW
- ▶ If clients are in CW as "RWPB Ineligible" during the time they receive services, they will **NOT** be included in your agency's RSR



Scenarios

► John Doe was transferred from SCHC to PHC. What should his Enrollment and Eligibility Status be updated to in the SCHC CW domain?

► Jane Doe was reactivated in REMI by DVNA. What should her Enrollment and Eligibility Status be updated to in the DVNA CW domain?

► Ineligible for Part B and Referred/Discharged

► RWPB Eligible and Active



Next Steps

Vital and Enrollment Status and Eligibility Status Clean-Up Project in CW



Clean-Up Project

- ► Agency's need to correct any Vital and Enrollment and Eligibility discrepancies between CW and REMI
 - They will be updated in CW
- ► Mariah will provide each agency a list of discrepant clients and statuses the week of October 14th
 - Please have these cleaned up by Friday December 20th and let Mariah know once they are
 - This will ensure accuracy for the RSR
 - Don't hesitate to reach out to Mariah with questions if you have trouble understanding the spreadsheet



Clean-Up Project: Spreadsheet

► Spreadsheets will have three tabs:

Ineligible but Active

Eligible but Discharged

REMI and CW Discrepant



- ►Ineligible But Active: Clients that are listed in CW as RWPB ineligible, but have an enrollment status that is active in CW
 - Part Cs: If there's a Part C active client on this list, you can ignore them



Clean-Up Project: Spreadsheet

- ▶ CW Eligible but Not Active: Clients in CW who are RWPB Eligible, but have an Enrollment status of "Referred, Relocated, Discharged, or Inactive/Case Closed in CW"
 - If clients are eligible, they need to be changed to an active enrollment status
 - If the Enrollment status is correct, they need to be changed to RWPB In-Eligible



Clean-Up Project: Spreadsheet

- ► REMI & CW Discrepancies: Clients who have a REMI Eligibility/Enrollment status that is discrepant compared to the CW Enrollment and Eligibility status
 - If a client is Pre-Case Management, Pending, or Active in your REMI domain, they should be eligible and active in CW
 - Mariah will have notes indicating if the client is a transfer client. In that case, they should be ineligible in your agency's CW domain
 - Some clients may be on multiple tabs



Next Steps: Moving Forward

- ► Moving forward, please implement a process within your agency to ensure that these statuses are updated in CW
- ► Utilize the two-page handout that Mariah will send out
- ► Reminder: Any time a client is re-activated in REMI, transfers to/from your agency, or discharges these statuses will need to be manually updated in CW



Questions?

- ► Please don't hesitate to reach out to me to schedule a call regarding the spreadsheet
- ►I've tried to simplify it as much as possible, but it still might be confusing for some people
- ▶ Questions? Concerns?

