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Discipline Refresher
September 19, 2017
9:00 AM—12 Noon

Marks Refresher
October 10 2017
9:00 AM—12 Noon

Medical Refresher
October 26, 2017

Student Services Labs

♦ **Every Friday, August 2017 through June 2018 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

♦ **Please register by email to Jennifer Schwartz: jschwartz@noacsc.org**

♦ **Include the time you plan to arrive as well as the topic(s) to be covered**

The ProgressBook Suite was recently updated to v. 17.1.1. In this release, the following notable enhancements were applied to StudentInformation:

♦ DASL Options has been renamed StudentInformation Options (*StudentInformation > Management > School Administration > StudentInformation Options*)

♦ The Report Catalog (Ad-Hoc Reports) has been renamed Analytics Hub.

♦ New Custody Alert Icon.

♦ Students' View Profile screens now display all parent/guardian contacts in the order they are listed on the Contacts Summary Page. (E3181)

♦ When adding a course section to a student's schedule on either the Course Section Assignment screen or Request Assignment screen, you can no longer enter a stop date. This will prevent unintentionally dropped course sections. (E6026)

♦ Teachers' last names and first initials display along with sections in the drop-down menus used for adding Course Sections to Course Groups. (E3471)

♦ During student transfers, Disability Condition transfers to receiving school. (E7348)

♦ The Assessment Import screen now accepts larger file imports. (E10928)

These known issues are now resolved:

♦ Buildings using Period Attendance no longer need a Default Absence Type for Daily Attendance configured in order to add or edit school absences. (D12054)

♦ Using the Transportation sub-tab under Field Selection no longer leads to an error when using EZ Query SIS Student Search. (D11391)

♦ The Locker/Combinations Import now updates and reactivates locker information. (D11124)

♦ Students' Local Ethnic Category and Summative Race now populate correctly for receiving schools following transfers to schools with other ITCs. (D11583)

♦ How Received IRN, Home School IRN, and Home School fields now populate correctly for receiving JVS districts with other ITCs (D11586, D11535)

For additional details about this most recent update, please refer to the release notes,

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Changes to Calendar Pages

The 17.1 update included the following changes to calendar pages in StudentInformation:

◊ **When creating a Master Calendar with the Calendar Wizard, Daily Start Time and Daily Stop Time are now required fields. The times can be edited after the calendar is created.**

◊ **When you create or edit a new sub-calendar, you have the option of entering a Daily Start Time and Daily Stop Time.**

◊ **On the Calendar Exception Management page, the Arrival and Departure fields have been renamed Daily Start Time and Daily Stop Time, respectively.**

Daily Start Time:* 08:05 AM ⊙   Daily Stop Time:* 03:10 PM ⊙

As we've communicated previously, Software Answers is currently in the process of redesigning the application for compliance with Ohio's House Bill 410, which mandates an hourly attendance calculation. Ahead of the forthcoming changes, we strongly suggest using the Start Time and Stop Time fields on your calendars, as well as when entering any less than full-day absences.

Fall Training Sessions at NOACSC

All trainings scheduled from 9 AM — 12 Noon

◊ **September 7, 2016:** *Fees Refresher*

◊ **September 19, 2016:** *Discipline Refresher*

◊ **October 10, 2016:** *Marks Refresher*

◊ **October 26, 2016:** *Medical Refresher*

◊ **November 14, 2016:** *Calendars*

◊ **Lab Time: Every Friday, Scheduled by Request**

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