





2026-2027 Financial Aid PRP

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Introduction

This FA PRP (Peoplesoft Release Patchset) Overview Document is intended to provide ctcLink users with a summary of the changes that will be made in the system as a result of the upcoming 2026-2027 FA PRP upgrade implementation. Each FA PRP contains bug fixes and features that are important for PeopleSoft to work well. Below is an overview of the changes that you can expect to see as part of this upgrade.

Financial Aid

Update: Ability to Benefit '08-WBST' ATB Test Code

To align with Department of Education's May 2025 update to the 2025-2026 COD Technical Reference, Volume 1, Oracle modified the application package code, changing valid completion dates for '08-WBST' ATB Test Code from "Oct 25,1996" to "Mar 31, 2023"

In addition, the typo in the long name translate for '08-WBST' ATB Test Code has been corrected.

Navigation

Navigation: Menu > Financial Aid > Ability to Benefit > Manage Ability to Benefit

Navigation: Menu > Financial Aid > Ability to Benefit > Create Ability to Benefit

Image: Before '08-WBST' ATB Test Code eligibility date range is incorrectly 07/01/2015 to 03/13/2023

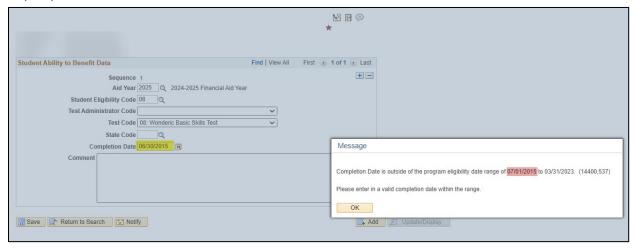


Image: After '08-WBST' ATB Test Code eligibility date range is correctly 10/25/1996 to 03/13/2023

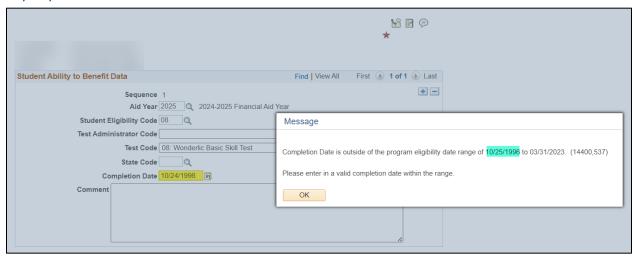


Image: BEFORE Test Code 08 is missing the 'I' in 'Wonderlic'

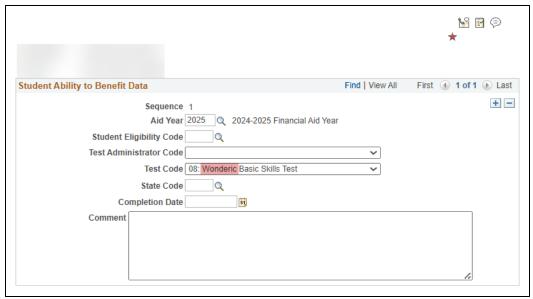
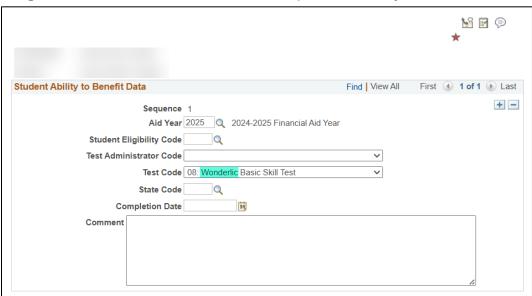


Image: AFTER Test Code 08 'Wonderlic' is spelled correctly

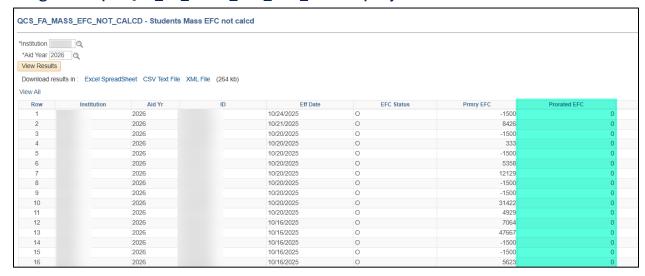


Bug Fix: ISIR Load Not Populating PRORATED_EFC field on ISIR_COMPUTED Table

Staring from Aid Year 2026 and onward, ISIR_COMPUTED record will populate PRORATED_EFC field at the time an ISIR is loaded.

Note: The only query that has the PRORATED_EFC field from ISIR_COMPUTED is QCS_FA_MASS_EFC_NOT_CALCD

Image: Example QCS_FA_MASS_EFC_NOT_CALCD query results



Bug Fix: EFC_STATUS for Academic is 'Official' But Non-Standard is 'Unofficial'

"This issue is observed for aid years in the past, however, the reason why the issue wasn't encountered by customers is because prior to the changes from the Consolidated Appropriations Act (CAA), customers were allowed to prorate a students EFC for periods greater than or less than the standard award period defined at the Institution. When an EFC was prorated, a calculation to the EFC occurred and the EFC_STATUS was updated to 'Official' for the non-standard award period. Because prorating an EFC is no longer allowed, customers aren't calculating an EFC for the non-standard award period." – Oracle

Note: We do not use Non-Standard award period so ctcLink colleges have not been affected by this bug.

Navigation

Financial Aid > Awards > Award Processing > Assign Awards to a Student > Need Summary (tab)

Image: BEFORE SAI status is Unofficial for Non-Standard award period even though SAI status of Academic award period is Official

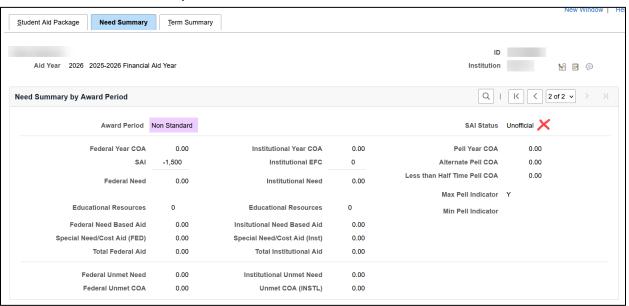
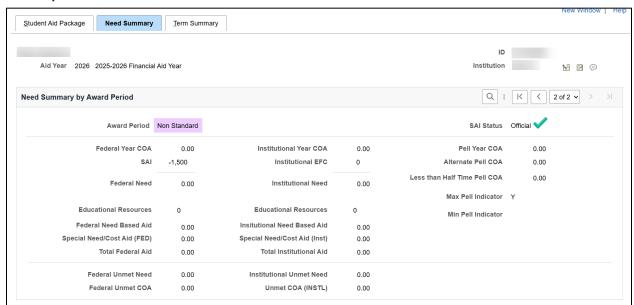


Image: AFTER SAI status for Non-Standard award period matches SAI status for Academic award period



Bug Fix: Field SFA_FPS_PIA in record ISIR_COMPUTED should be signed

INAS calculation has not been working correctly for students whose Parent Adjusted Gross income (AGI) is 0 or negative. This patch updated SFA_FPS_PIA field in ISIR_COMPUTED record from Number (15) to Signed Number (15) to resolve the issue.

Note: Since ctcLink colleges have not been calculating INAS for Aid Year 2025 or 2026, we were not affected by this bug.

2026-2027 Aid Year Updates

Delivering updates based on the 2026-2027 ISIR processing.

Some of the important changes have been highlighted below:

- File layout size changes from 7704 for Aid Year 2026 to 7944 for Aid Year 2027
- 19 fields have been updated in the ISIR layout to now be considered as FTI data
 - These new fields have 'FTIM' instead of 'FPS' in the field name to identify the fields as FTI (i.e. SFA_FTIM_FISAP_TO)
 - These new fields were added to SFA_FAN_FTI_VW, SFA_ISIR_CONT and SFA_SIM_ISIRCON records

Note: Data Services has updated our institutionally-secured custom views (VCS_SFAFANFTI_S, VCS_SFAISIRCT_S and VCS_SIM_ISIRC_S) with the new FTI fields as we do not use the delivered records

 Modified SAI and Flags tab to display the new FTI fields in the new 'Intermediate Calculated Values' grid

Image: Aid Year 2026 - FPS fields are all in the 'FPS Information' section

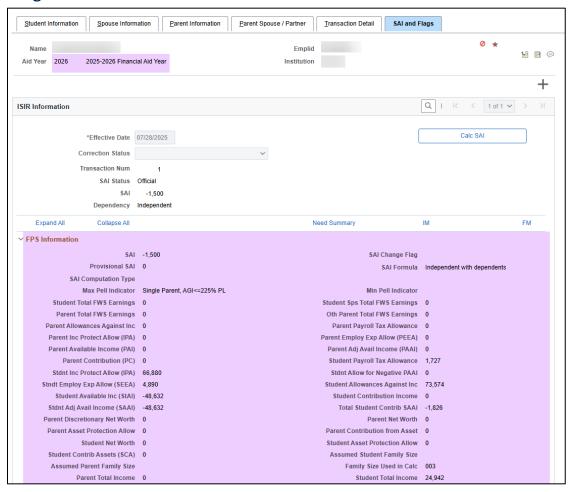
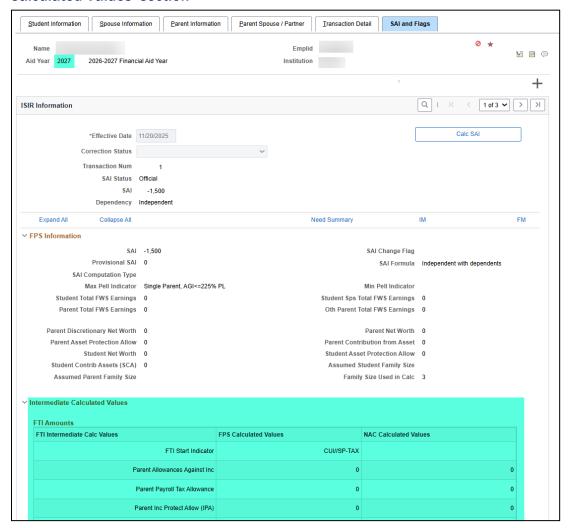


Image: Aid Year 2027 – FPS fields now considered FTI are in the new 'Intermediate Calculated Values' section



 The calculated Total Student Contribution field (SFA_FPS_TSC) in ISIR_COMPUTED record is also to be considered as FTI going forward

Note: We don't have any queries that contain this field

• Batch versioning to ISIR COBOL introduced from 2027 and onward

Image: CBL_FAPSAR00_xxxxxxx.log for Aid Year 2027 and onward will contain version information

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PeopleSoft Campus Solutions Version 9.20
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FAPSAR00 ==> Version: 2025.92.P136.01 --
> 2025-11-20-07.46.17.810000 INFO(14415,1) PI(228623041) Program(FAPSAR00)
FAPSAR00 : Begin program execution at 07.46.17.810000 on 2025-11-20

COMMIT LEVEL SET TO: 00500

OPRID : CTC_CBURROW
RUN_CNTL_ID : PROCESS_ISIR_CB

AID YEAR : 2027
TG5 :
INST :
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2026-2027 ISIR pages are available

Navigation

Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Import > 2026-2027 ISIR File Data

Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Import > 2026-2027 Suspense Management

Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Corrections > View 2026 -2027 Outbound Data

Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Corrections > View 2026 -2027 Outbound Files

Note: 2023-2024 ISIR File Data and 2023-2024 Suspense Management pages have been archived

Image: Navigation Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Import has been updated



Image: Navigation Financial Aid > File Management > ISIR Corrections has been updated

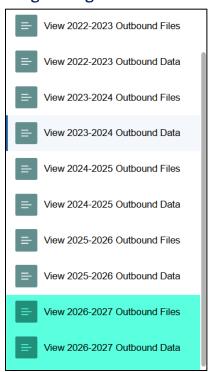
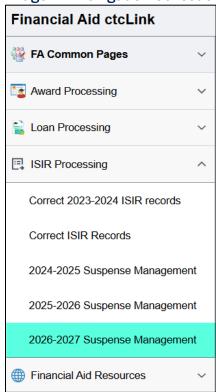


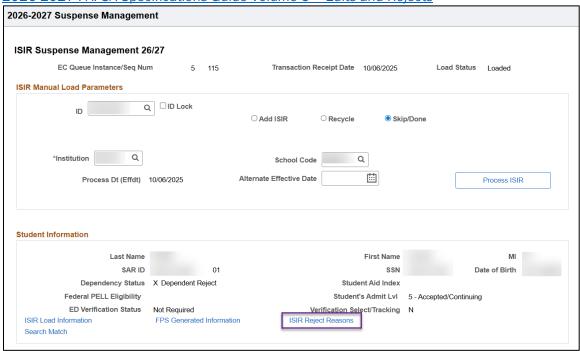
Image: FA Navigation Collection > ISIR Processing has been updated

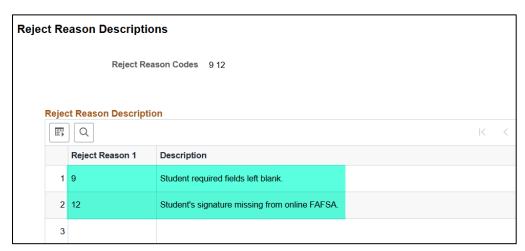


PeopleCode fix delivered so reject reasons display correctly on 2026-2027 Suspense Management page

Images: Reject reasons on 2026-2027 Suspense Management page matching

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Update: Cannot Display Parent or Student Contribution Fields Starting Aid Year 2027

Updated the FA Classic and Fluid Self Service pages to hide the parent contribution and the student contribution of the SAI for Aid Year 2027 onwards.

Navigation

Staff View

Campus Community > Student Services Center > View Financial Aid > Select Aid Year 2027 > Select Financial Aid Summary > Student Aid Index

Student View

Financial Aid Tile > Select Aid Year 2027 > Select Financial Aid Summary > Student Aid Index

Image: Aid Year 2026 - Student Aid Index Summary with parent and student contribution fields

View Financial Aid

Student Aid Index Summary

Financial Aid

Student Aid Index

2025-2026 Financial Aid Year

The Student Aid Index (SAI) is based upon the information you have provided on the FAFSA application

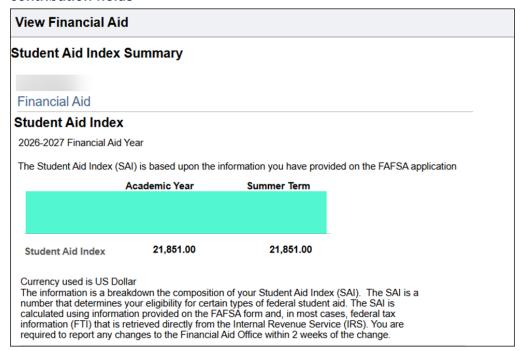
Student Aid Index Breakdown

	Academic Year	Summer Term
Contribution from Parents	15,335.00	15,335.00
Contribution from Student	5,015.00	5,015.00
Student Aid Index	20,350.00	20,350.00

Currency used is US Dollar

The information is a breakdown the composition of your Student Aid Index (SAI). The SAI is a number that determines your eligibility for certain types of federal student aid. The SAI is calculated using information provided on the FAFSA form and, in most cases, federal tax information (FTI) that is retrieved directly from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). You are required to report any changes to the Financial Aid Office within 2 weeks of the change.

Image: Aid Year 2027 - Student Aid Index Summary without parent and student contribution fields



2026-2027 Aid Year Setup for Federal Methodology (FM) and Institutional Methodology (IM)

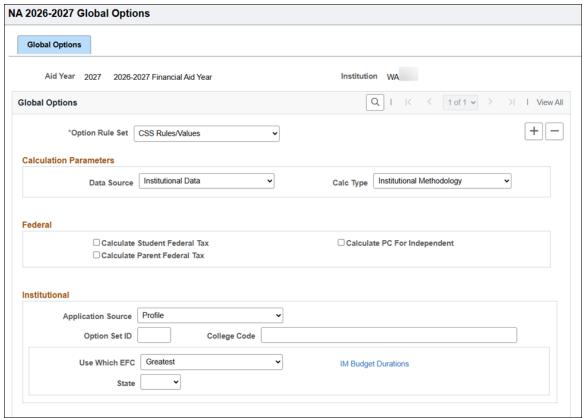
Delivered the following components to support the processing of aid year 2026-2027 IM INAS version 2627.0 software:

- Need Analysis 2026-2027 Global Options
- 2026-2027 Federal (FM) Extension

Navigation

Set Up SACR > Product Related > Financial Aid > Application Processing > NA 2026-2027 Global Options

Image: NA 2026-2027 Global Options page



Navigation

Financial Aid > Federal Application Data > Correct ISIR Records > select FM hyperlink

Image: Correct ISIR Records page for Aid Year 2027 with location of FM hyperlink

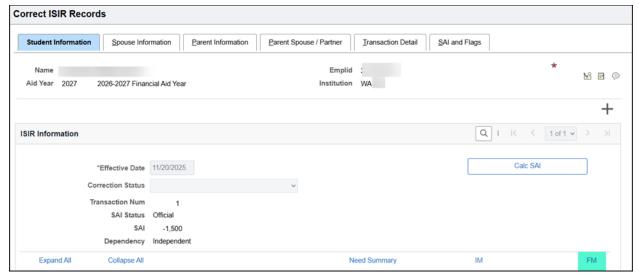
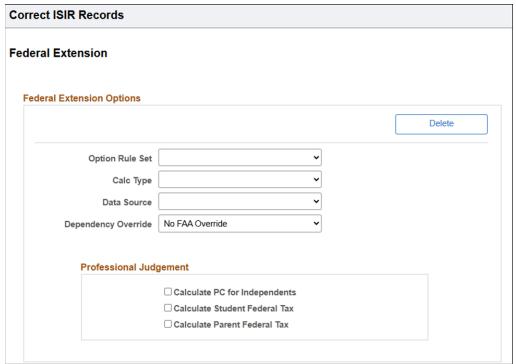


Image: Federal Extensions option page for Aid Year 2027



Changes to the Update Bio/Demo Box on ISIR Data Load Parms

Modified "Update Bio/Demo Options" label to read as "Update Citz/Visa Option" and added new group boxes: "Update Date of Birth" and "Update Marital Status"

Note: Changes are applicable to Aid Year 2025-2026 and onward.

Navigation

Set Up SACR > Product Related > Financial Aid> File Management > ISIR Data Load Parms

Image: BEFORE ISIR Data Load Parameters with 'Update Bio Demo Options' box

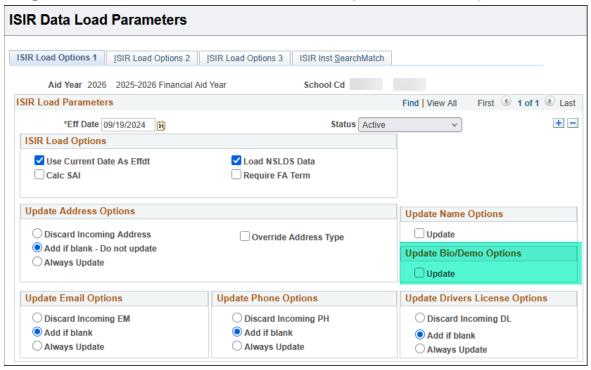
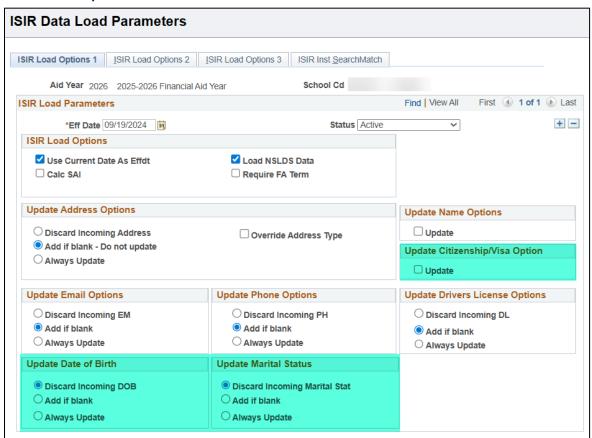


Image: AFTER ISIR Data Load Parameters "Update Citz/Visa Option", "Update Date of Birth" and "Update Marital Status" box



Bug Fix: FM & FM Simulation Extension Dependency Override

Created a new field, SFA_DEPNDNCY_OVRD with the correct translate values as defined in the 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 ISIR Record layouts.

Navigation

Financial Aid > Federal Application Data > Correct ISIR Records

Image: Correct ISIR Records page for Aid Year 2026 with location of FM Hyperlink

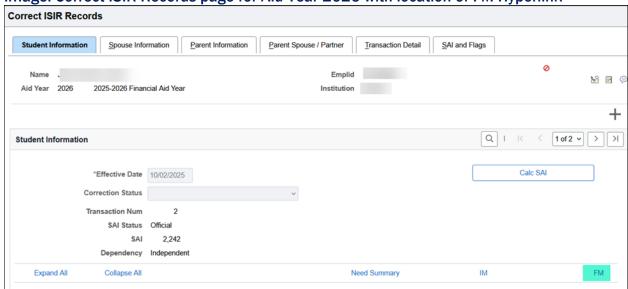


Image: BEFORE Correct ISIR Records Federal Extension Dependency Override dropdown options for Aid Year 2026

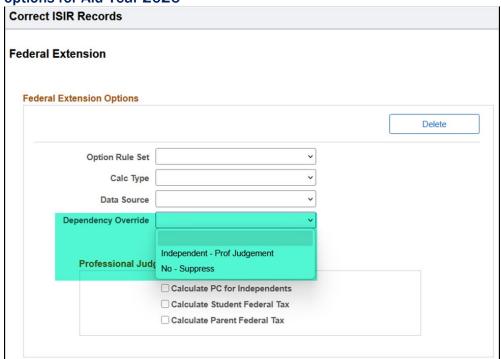
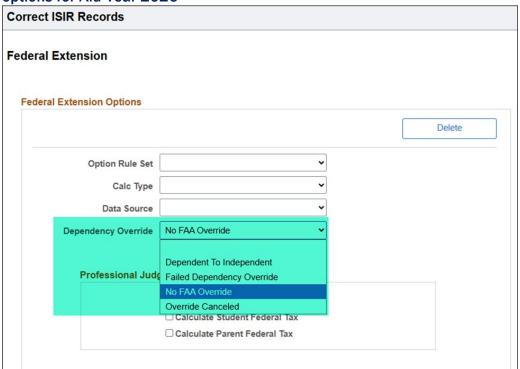


Image: AFTER Correct ISIR Records Federal Extension Dependency Override dropdown options for Aid Year 2026



Navigation

Financial Aid > Federal Application Data > Simulate FM

Image: Simulate FM page for Aid Year 2026 with location of FM Hyperlink

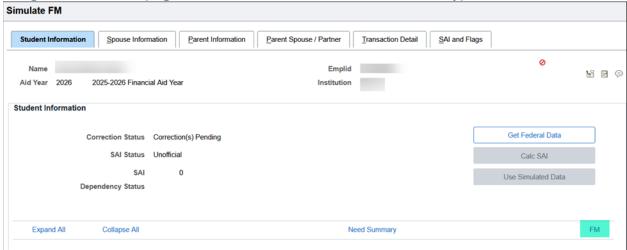


Image: BEFORE FM Simulation Extension Dependency Override dropdown options for Aid Year 2026

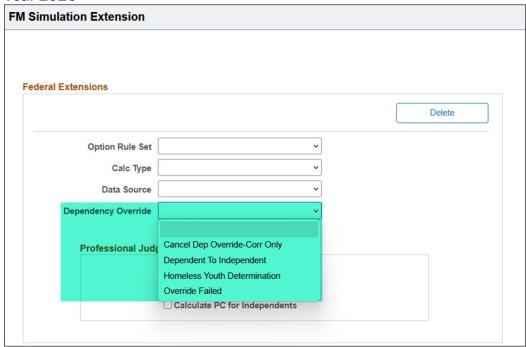
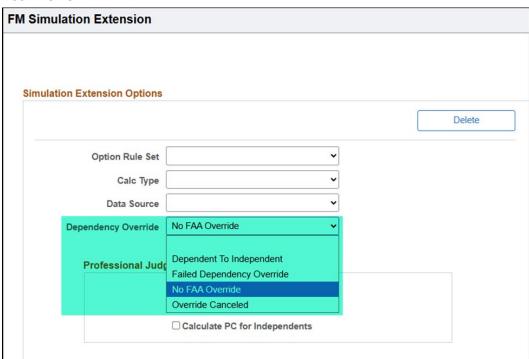


Image: AFTER FM Simulation Extension Dependency Override dropdown options for Aid Year 2026



FM NAC Calculate Generates Warning Message

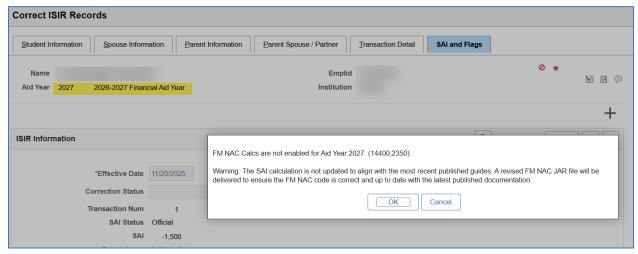
Modified the PeopleCode to add warning message and stop the FM computations for Aid Year 2026-2027.

Selecting 'SAI Calc' button generates the following message:

FM NAC Calcs are not enabled for Aid Year 2027. (14400,2350)

Warning: The SAI calculation is not updated to align with the most recent published guides. A revised FM NAC JAR file will be delivered to ensure the FM NAC code is correct and up to date with the latest published documentation.

Image: Warning message appears for Aid Year 2027 when 'Calc SAI' button is selected



Known Issues

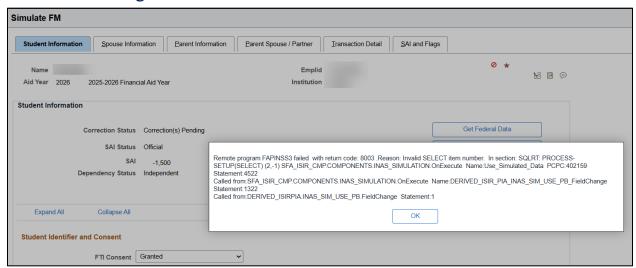
The following are details on bugs with the delivered functionality that have not yet been resolved by Oracle.

Use Simulated Data: Remote Program FAPINSS3 Fails (Bug 37903382)

In this PRP, there is a patch that fixes a bug we didn't have: Bug 37903382 USE SIMULATED DATA: REMOTE PROGRAM FAPINSS3 FAILS ON MSSQL & ORACLE SERVER ENVIRONMENTS.

We have a ticket out with Oracle because we now get the 'Remote program FAPINSS3 failed' error when we select the 'Use Simulated Data' Button on the Simulate FM page.

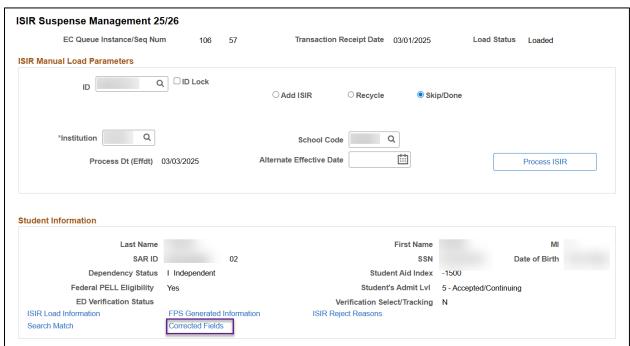
Image: 'Remote program FAPINSS3 failed' error generates when 'Simulated Data Button on Simulate FM Page



ISIR Suspense 'Corrected Fields' Link Display Incorrect Values

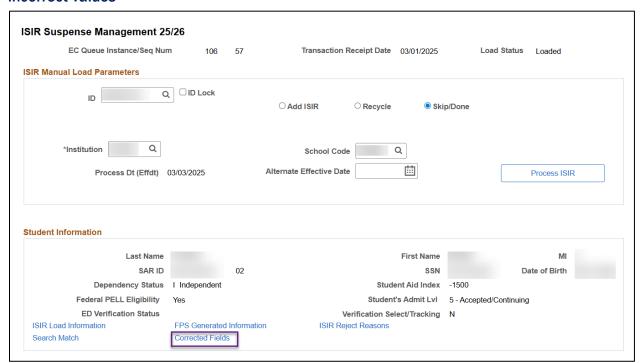
This PRP has a patch that resolves the issue with the 'Corrected Fields' link having blank values on the 2025-2026 ISIR Suspense Management page. That issue has been fixed so there are no blanks but the values that populate are incorrect.

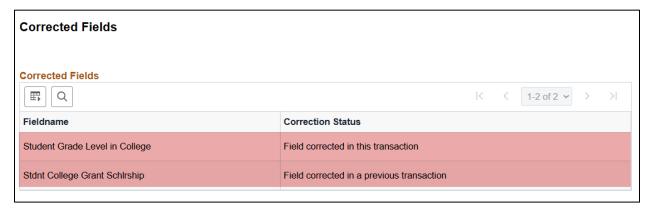
Images: BEFORE 'Corrected Fields' link on 2025-2026 Suspense Management has blank values

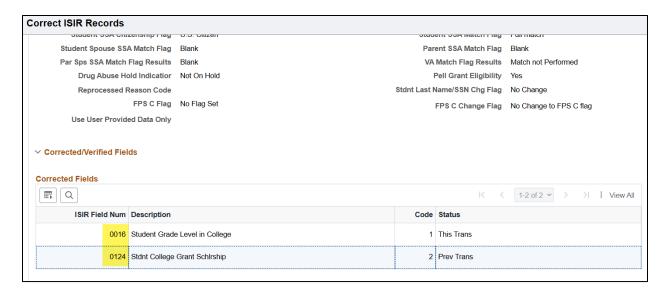




Images: AFTER 'Corrected Fields' link on 2025-2026 Suspense Management have incorrect values







Note: Correct ISIR Records page shows the ISIR Field number

According to <u>2025-2026 FAFSA Specifications Guide Volume 4A</u> 0016 is FPS Correction Reason and 0124 is College #17.

Maintain ISIR Comment Codes for Aid Years 2026 and 2027 Shows Incorrect Text for Some Comments, Compared to FAFSA Specification Guide (Doc ID 3105196.1)

Bug 38474179 2026-2027 COMMENT CODES NOT CORRECT

Oracle has investigated and determined the following comment codes affected:

- For Aid Year 2027
 - incorrect text in codes 007, 008,009, 056, 057
 - code 281 should have Sev level 1
 - o code 282 should be N/A
 - text missing for codes 292, 293, 294; then these were subsequently changed to 'N/A' in a revised update dated from late October 2025 (which Development became aware of on 11/20).
 - comment codes 331-334 were added in the revised October/November update.
- For Aid Year 2026
 - incorrect text in codes 007, 008,009, 056, 057
 - missing text in codes 134,135
 - o code 282 should be N/A

- Updates to codes 281, 292, 293, 294 were made late in the year and not delivered by CS with expectation that customers update the comment codes in their database environments
- o comment codes 331-334 were added in the revised October/November update.

Fix is targeted for a future PRP and Image 37.



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