# Decision Support Release Notes

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1. HR Biographic/Demographic

1.1 Change to Processing Logic to Address History

**Products Affected:** HR EDW Tables (T_ADDR_HIST)

**Universe Affected:** N/A

**Case Number:** 20050603_341

**Date Implemented:** 22 September 2005

**Description:** Decision Support has modified the processing logic used to populate the T_ADDR_HIST table to prevent an error in which 46 rows were being incorrectly excluded from processing. Both Banner and the EDW allow one active (current in the EDW) and one inactive (non-current in the EDW) record per person, address type and 'sequence number' combination. Banner uses only an indicator (SPRADDR_STATUS_IND) to determine active vs. inactive while the EDW previously used both the SPRADDR_STATUS_IND and Banner effective dates (SPRADDR_FROM_DATE and SPRADDR_TO_DATE). This logic was causing 46 Banner records to be excluded from processing because they were being recognized as duplicate. To enable these rows to be processed into the EDW tables, Decision Support has modified the processing rules to mimic the Banner processing (i.e., use only the SPRADDR_STATUS_IND) for active and inactive address records.
2. Human Resources/Payroll

2.1 Position & Job Labor Distribution Data Added to HR Universe

Products Affected: HR Business Objects Universes

Universe Affected: EDW – HR – Position/Job Hierarchy

Case Number:

Date Implemented: 22 September 2005

Description: Decision Support has added data for both Job Labor Distribution and Position Labor Distribution to the Position/Job Hierarchy universe. This data is sourced from the EDW tables T_JOB_LBR_DISTR and T_POSN_LBR_DISTR, respectively.

These new objects will enable users to report on the CFOAP accounts that are going to be used to pay for each Job and Position controlled by a unit. The Position and Job Labor Distribution data relates to future payroll runs only. To report on past payroll runs, users should use the Payroll universe instead.

Users may also report on the Job Labor Distribution for each Job an employee holds, in addition to the Job Labor Distribution Salary Contribution Percentage. Users can also perform this reporting by Position Labor Distribution.

Additional information about these new objects, and how to use them in reporting, can be found in the Position/Job Hierarchy Universe Quick Universe Guide (located on the DS website at https://www.ds.uillinois.edu/asptest/projects/metadata/docs/PJH_QuickReferenceGuide.pdf)
3. Pre-Registration & Registration

3.1 Remove Unused Data Column

| Products Affected:  | PRR EDW Tables       |
|                    | R&A EDW Tables       |
|                    | Records EDW Tables   |

| Universe Affected: | N/A                  |

| Case Number:       | 20050527_31          |

| Date Implemented:  | 22 September 2005    |

**Description:** An unused column in the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table has been removed. The TEST_INSTRUMENT_CD column in the EDW was not populated, and its associated Banner source column (SORTEST_TEIN_CODE) was unused in the Banner system. This column has been removed from the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table and from the associated PRR security view V_TEST_RESULTS_HIST_PRR.

3.2 Add Session Code/Description Objects to PRR Universes

| Products Affected:  | PRR Business Objects Universes |

| Universe Affected:  | EDW – STU – Registration Complete |
|                    | EDW – STU – Registration Limited |

| Case Number:       | 20050808_730          |

| Date Implemented:  | 22 September 2005    |

**Description:** Two new objects for Session Code and Session Description have been added to the Registration universes. These objects are sourced from the EDW columns SESS_CD and SESS_DESC of the EDW table T_SECT_BASE. The new objects are located in the Section Information sub-class of the Course & Section Information super-class. Users may use these new objects to view session data, and to identify blended courses (code=L), online courses, and other types of courses.
4. Recruiting & Admissions

4.1 Remove Unused Data Column

Products Affected: PRR EDW Tables  
R&A EDW Tables  
Records EDW Tables

Universe Affected: N/A

Case Number: 20050527_31

Date Implemented: 22 September 2005

Description: An unused column in the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table has been removed. The TEST_INSTRUMENT_CD column in the EDW was not populated, and its associated Banner source column (SORTTEST_TEIN_CODE) was unused in the Banner system. This column has been removed from the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table and from the associated PRR security view V_TEST_RESULTS_HIST_PRR.
5. Records & Transfer Articulation

5.1 Remove Unused Data Column

Products Affected: PRR EDW Tables  
R&A EDW Tables  
Records EDW Tables

Universe Affected: N/A

Case Number: 20050527_31

Date Implemented: 22 September 2005

Description: An unused column in the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table has been removed. The TEST_INSTRUMENT_CD column in the EDW was not populated, and its associated Banner source column (SORTEST_TEIN_CODE) was unused in the Banner system. This column has been removed from the T_TEST_RESULTS_HIST table and from the associated PRR security view V_TEST_RESULTS_HIST_PRR

5.2 Add Primary Level Indicator Data

Products Affected: Records EDW Tables  
Records Business Objects Universes

Universe Affected: EDW – STU – Academic Records

Case Number: 20050517_708

Date Implemented: 22 September 2005

Description: A Primary Level Indicator has been added to the EDW table T_STUDENT_OVERALL_CRS_DTL, and a corresponding object has been added to the Academic Records universe. This indicator can be used to determine which level applies to a course when 2 different levels have been assigned by the University. The Primary Level Indicator will return values of Y or N for all Institutional Course Work. It will return a NULL value for any Transfer Course Work.