

CHRIS Release 18.5 – September 30, 2009

This Release contains CHRIS fixes and changes. Here are some of the changes:

- **All CHRIS Users:**
 - **Arkansas CHRIS Logon** response window will have the DCFS 'Catch Phrase' displayed:

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 - **Client Search Function** – removed the separate 'Address' specific search and incorporated it within the 'Client Characteristics' search. You will be able to search on only an address (street, city, or county) or by first name, etc... There are no mandatory fields for the Client Search.
- **Resource Workers and Adoption Specialists – Provider Screens:**
 - **Directory – Find Provider:**
 - **Inquiry ID** – a new Direct Search is available when Adoptive or Foster Family information comes through the Foster Care/Adoption Web Inquiry process. The Applicant receives an automated message on the Web Site giving them their Inquiry ID number; therefore, this new Search function will assist the Resource Worker and Adoption Specialist to quickly locate the family in CHRIS should the family contact them regarding their status. Currently, the Inquiry ID is only displayed when the Inquiry button on the Provider's General Information screen is clicked (copy of Applicant's Inquiry).
 - **Preferences Tab:**
 - **Preferred Gender and Age** – revised the grouping to capture the different Age Ranges by radio buttons, instead of entering the numerical text ranges:
 - Each Gender has the **following Age Ranges** to click 'Yes' or 'No':
 - Birth – 23 Months
 - 2 – 5 Years
 - 6 – 8 Years
 - 9 – 10 Years
 - 11 – 12 Years
 - 13 – 14 Years
 - 15 – 17 Years
 - **What Prompted Inquiry** – updated the checkbox selections to include the following four events:
 - Adoption.com
 - AdoptUSKids
 - C.A.L.L.
 - Heart Gallery
 - **Adoption Characteristics Tab** (also located in the Child's General Information Screen) – revised to show the same selections as in the revised CFS-409 Foster Parent and Adoptive Parent Questionnaire, which will be available by Policy in the near future. The Adoption Specialist may want to review these new selections and possibly update the information on all active Pre-Adoptive Families. This information will be captured by the [AR Adoption Services Parent Profile Match System](#) which matches pre-adoptive families with a specific foster child waiting to be placed in an adoptive home.
- **Caseworkers/Supervisors in Case:**
 - **Case Plan:**
 - **Youth's Educational Stability grouping** – only appears for child clients on the Printed Case Plan; and,
 - **Youth Transition Plan screen** – a Cancel button has been added