Educational Passport System Update
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Topics

- Our story begins: the evolution of EPS
- Partnerships: team work makes the dream work
- Usage and feedback from the field
- Sky is the limit: new and upcoming features
The Need – help foster students faster

- Student gets transferred to a new home and school
- School is unaware of foster status – no services
- Social Worker has to drive to school for educational records or fax
- Length of time to get services could be days or weeks! All paper process.
DCFS Student Information System (SITS) created in 2011

Best Practices: Los Angeles County's DCFS Student Information Tracking System
History:
DCFS Student Information System (SITS)

- LAUSD, Pomona and Long Beach sharing full student records 2013

- Educational Coordinating Council / LACOE / DCFS collaborating in 2014 - Educational Passport System created
EPS - What is it?

- Secure data sharing system: foster youth educational records
- Partnership LACOE / DCFS / Districts / Probation
- Includes homeless youth
- Ability to share student documents
EPS - What does it contain?

- Student demographic & school enrollment data
- Current courses – transcripts – attendance - test scores
- Uploaded electronic documents – eCum folder
- Calpads data, DCFS data
Educational Passport System

Background

- **2014**: Design
  - Working with DCFS on Data Transfer

- **2015**: Develop
  - System quickly built & deployed.
  - Work with districts began
  - 11 districts signed

- **2016**: Deploy
  - 50 new MOU’s signed.
  - Total: 61

- **2017**: Enhance
  - 19 new MOU’s signed.
  - Total: 80
  - Over 1100 users

- **2018**: Enhance
  - Total: 85 MOU’s signed.
  - 72 Districts signed homeless MOU,
  - 52 signed E-cum Folders for general population.
Educational Passport System (EPS)

- LACOE uses system
- Districts use system
- Probation uses system
- Say What?! What people are saying about EPS
- Community Colleges How they will use system
- Courts How they will use system
Welcome New CAT Members

Office of Child Protection (OCP)

Palmdale School District  Launching a Lifetime of Learning
Upcoming Features

- MDT module implementation LA County wide at all Probation Campus
- DCFS (CSW) social worker accessing LA-EPS (pilot initiative)
- Data sharing with LA County Early Education Student Population
- Data sharing with LAUSD Homeless Student Population
- Data sharing with the state new Child Welfare System
- Enable access to other LA County agencies
- Extending LACOE Foster Youth Case Management Functionality
- Mobile App for Social Workers access in the field
Summary:

- Advisory Team drives innovation
- Free to agencies in LA County
Questions & Answers