

Medi-Cal Administrative Activities (SMAA) Program

Random Moment Time Study (RMTS)

Quarterly Training

February 2015

Agenda

- RMTS –Quarterly Updates
- Calendars
- Shifts
- TSP Updates
- Sample Generation
- RMTS– System Reminders



RMTS –Quarterly Updates

RMTS Quarterly Updates

Each quarter the following will be updated unless otherwise directed by your LEC/LGA coordinator:

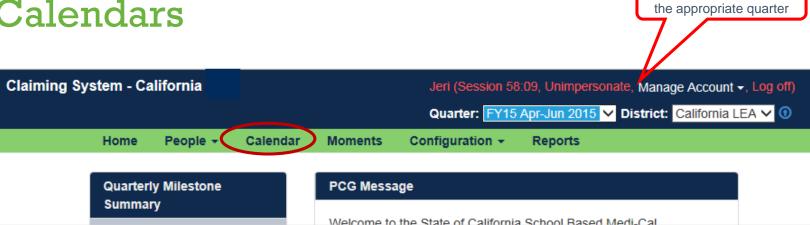
- Calendars
- Shifts
- TSP list

Work with your Business Office and Human Resource department to identify TSPs who are:

- 100% federally funded (eliminate from TSP list)
- · Currently employed with the LEA
- Meets SMAA participant time study requirements as outlined in Section VI in the DHCS manual

Calendar Updates

Calendars



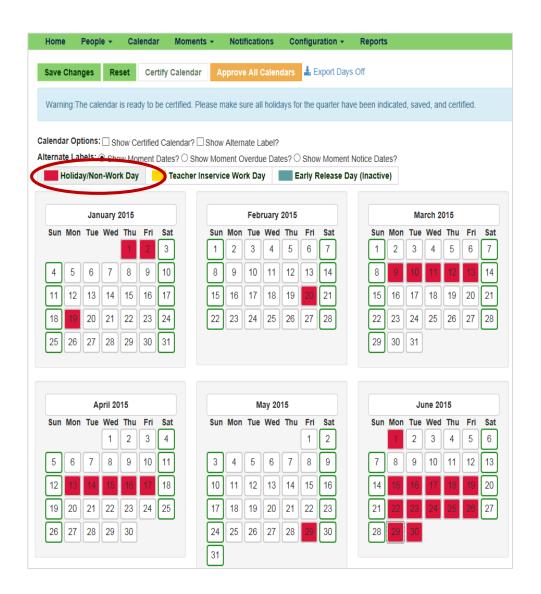
Calendar Certification

- Each LEA SMAA coordinator must certify a LEA calendar indicating non-student attendance days
 - Note: Be sure to indicate when summer vacation is by marking the days as nonstudent attendance days by using the non-work/holiday indicator (red in the system)
- Calendars must be certified prior to sample generation
- Calendars must be dual-certified by LEC/LGA coordinators

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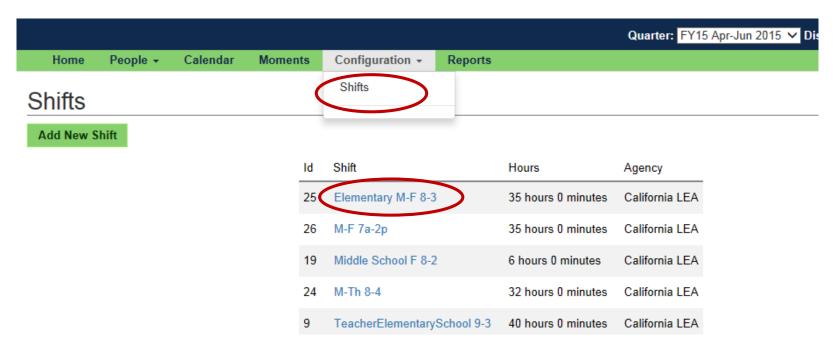
Calendars

- Access calendars by clicking on the 'Calendar' link
- Add holidays/non-working days for the upcoming quarter by clicking on the appropriate label ('Holiday/ Non-Work day') and then click on the date to label appropriately
- Certify calendars by clicking the 'Save Changes' then 'Certify'.



Shift Updates

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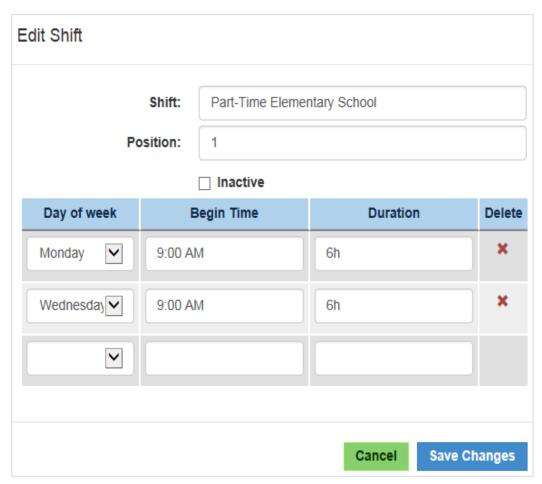


- Shifts previously established will transfer from the previous quarter
 - Review Shifts
 - Shifts can be added, edited or inactivated for the prospective quarter
- LEA SMAA coordinator will select the most appropriate shift for each employee
- Shifts must be completed before the TSP list is certified

Adding or Editing Shifts

- Add new shifts for TSPs, enter:
 - Desired name of shifts
 - Day(s) of the week
 - Begin time associated with each day
 - Duration for each day in hours and minutes (6h)
- Edit Shifts for TSPs:
 - Edit any desired field or delete rows
- Inactivate Shifts
 - To inactivate entire shift select "inactive" box

Reminder: "Position" indicates the order in which shifts will display in the TSP shift type drop down menu



Updating TSP Lists

TSP List Updates



- All changes such as adding a new participant, updating TSP information, inactivate/activating
 participants must be made directly in the system from the 'Staff Pool Positions' link
 - Changes can be made up until TSP list has been certified, if changes need to be made in the system
 after it has been certified the LEA will need to coordinate with LEC/LGA due to dual certification
 requirement
 - Once the sample has been generated and moments have been assigned, the information becomes 'locked' and is no longer editable
 - Changes made to TSP lists are effective with the upcoming quarter and does not change data for the current quarter
- TSP list must be certified after all updates are completed in the system.

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Adding a new TSP

- Access the TSP list from the 'People' tab then 'Staff Pool Positions'
- Add a new participant:

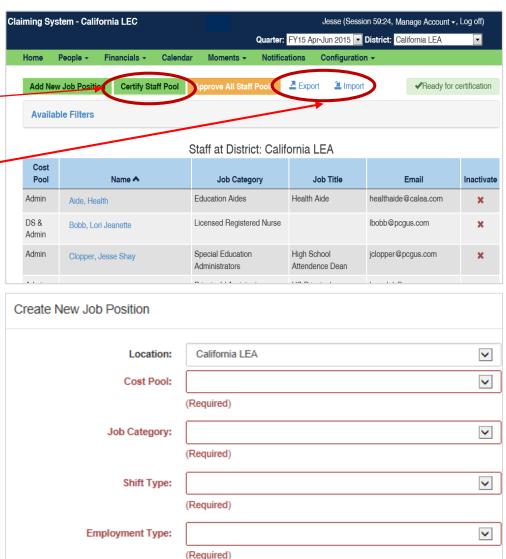
Option 1:

 Manually by clicking on 'Add New Job Position' and completing the required information, or

Option 2:__

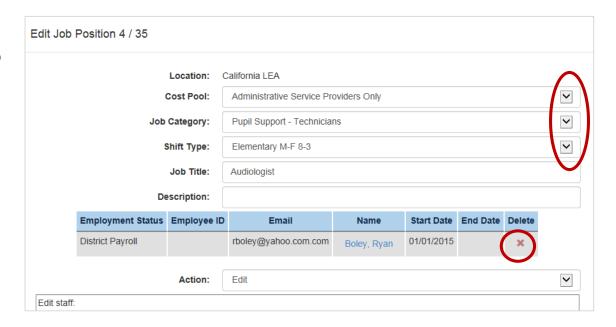
- Via export / import feature
 - Click 'Export'
 - Save file as an Excel spreadsheet
 - All new participants must be added to the bottom
 - To remove a TSP enter a date in the end date column

Reminder: all newly added TSPs for April-June must have a start date of 4/1/15



Editing TSP Information

- To make edits to an existing TSP use the drop down menus in the TSPs profile
- Inactivate a participant by clicking on the 'X' in the 'Inactivate' column
- Certify the TSP list by clicking on the 'Certify Staff Pool' option
- TSP lists must be dual certified by LEC/LGA coordinators prior to claim sample generation



Sample Generation

Sample Generation

- Once all quarterly updates have been completed by the LEA, the LEC/LGA coordinator will need to dual certify the calendars and TSP lists
- PCG will then provide any additional QA elected by the LEC/LGA
- After all QA is finished the quarterly sample can be generated and TSPs will be notified 5 student attendance prior to their first moment
- Once the new quarterly sample has been generated, updates to TSPs email addresses and last names are the only changes that can be made during the quarter



RMTS – System Reminders

RMTS System Reminders

TSPs document their activity during assigned moment(s) in the web-based RMTS system

TSPs receive the following notifications:

- 5 student attendance days before the moment
- 1 hour before the time of the moment
- 24 hours after the moment
- 3 student attendance days after the moment
- The LEA SMAA coordinators are copied on the 24 hour and 3 day late notifications

Paper (Hard Copy) RMTS moments are generated for TSPs that do not have an available email address

- TSP must complete, certify, and submit their paper moment within 3 student attendance days of the moment to the LEA SMAA coordinator unless otherwise directed by your LEC/LGA coordinator
- LEC/LGA coordinator must enter the responses within the 5 student attendance day response window

