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State Authorized Risk Assessment Tools for Sex Offenders Review Committee

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To: Chief Probation Officers of California (CPOC)

From: SARATSO Review Committee

Re: GEARS Implementation – STABLE-2007 Score Submission Procedure Change

Beginning Wednesday, June 1, 2022, SARATSO will fully transition score reporting for the Dynamic (STABLE-2007) and Violence (LS/CMI) risk assessment tools from the Multi-Health Systems Inc. (MHS) Legacy platform to the Global Institute of Forensic Research (GIFR) Electronic Assessment & Reporting System (GEARS). As a result of this transition, there will be changes to probations role in the score submission process for the dynamic assessment tool.

Beginning June 1, 2022, probation departments will have a reduced role in the score submission process for the STABLE-2007. Certified treatment providers will no longer need to submit the STABLE-2007 Score Submission Spreadsheet to probation. Much like LS/CMI score submissions, STABLE-2007 certified treatment providers will be required to submit their STABLE-2007 assessments via the GEARS portal. GEARS will automatically upload scores to the Department of Justice (DOJ) database. Treatment providers are still required to submit STABLE-2007 scores, and interpretations of those scores, to the supervising probation officer or designee. Scores will be sent to probation via the STABLE-2007 GEARS Score Report. This report is similar to the LS/CMI Profile Report, however, this report will include tables and charts relevant to STABLE-2007 reporting (i.e. Static-99R/STABLE-2007 Combined Score chart, etc.).

Unfortunately, there is still no way for the certified treatment provider to indicate if a client is unable or ineligible to be scored in the GEARS platform. Due to this reason, SARATSO will implement the **Unable to Score STABLE-2007 Spreadsheet** to account for these individuals. Probation will have the following role in submission of the Unable to Score Spreadsheet to DOJ:

Probation officers will have 5 working days to submit the STABLE-2007 spreadsheet to DOJ. The probation officer must verify the accuracy of the identifying information (name, DOB, CII#, county etc.) before submitting the spreadsheet. If the probation officer has any questions regarding submission of the spreadsheet, they shall contact the DOJ Risk Assessment Unit at CAHRSO@doj.ca.gov or call their help line at (916) 210-3120.

Probation will be responsible for requesting offender's scores periodically if they do not receive the STABLE-2007 GEARS Score Report from the treatment provider when expected. If this is a reoccurring issue, probation will notify SARATSO, and may submit a formal complaint via the CASOMB website (Location: [CASOMB Homepage](#)>Certification>Complaints Form).

Probation's role in the LS/CMI score submission process will remain the same. The only time probation will be involved in submitting scores to DOJ is when clients cannot be scored. Certified providers will submit the Unable to Score LS/CMI Spreadsheet to probation, and the supervising officer or designee will be responsible for verifying identifiers and submitting the spreadsheet to DOJ within 5 working days. LS/CMI certified treatment providers will continue to send the LS/CMI Profile Report to probation with interpretations of the score as agreed upon by the Containment Team.

If you have any questions, please connect with SARATSO at SARATSO@cdcr.ca.gov.

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