



The Florida Safe Families Network (FSFN) How Do I Guide helps you understand the steps to complete your work in the FSFN system. It is a desk reference and companion document to other supporting resources such as, User Guides and Online Help. Visit the DCF FSFN website (<http://fsfn.dcf.state.fl.us>) for additional resources.

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Add / View / Manage / Reroute Approvals

How Do I...?	Selections	Tips & Guidelines
<p>Approve Case/Provider Work</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Approvals expando, expand My Approvals. • Expand applicable pending approval item. • Click Case hyperlink. • From applicable page, select Approval from Options drop down. • Click Go. • From Approval History page, select appropriate Approval Decision radio button. • Click Continue. <p>Approval Decision selections:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Approve – to approve work and forward for Supervisory Approval, if needed. - Reroute – to forward work for approval to another worker using Reroute Worker Approval page, which is accessed by clicking Other hyperlink. - Recall/Return – to recall or return work that has been submitted for approval. Work is recalled when any item on page is changed; approval process must be re-initiated. - Not Approve – to finalize work that is not receiving approval. The work is "frozen" with a status of Not Approved. 	<p><i>Pending Approvals display under My Approvals expando, accessed via the Approvals expando on the Desktop.</i></p> <p><i>The system displays all approvals across all assigned profiles within the FSFN application.</i></p> <p><i>Approvals that are not under the profile that the supervisor is currently logged in with do not display as a hyperlink, but as plain black text and do not have an Actions hyperlink displayed to the right.</i></p> <p><i>If there are Approvals under another profile, and the supervisor needs to review the approval within FSFN, the supervisor must log out and log back in under that applicable profile.</i></p>



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View Approval History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From a page requiring approval, select Approval from Options drop down. • Click Go. • The Approval History page displays. <p>Approval History Status descriptions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Initial Status/Initial Action – Item has been created by original worker but not approved. - Pending Status/Approved Action – Item is in Pending status in the approval process but has been approved by original worker. - Pending Status/Received Action – Item is in Pending status in the approval process but has been received by next approver or supervisor Approved. - Status/Approved Action – Item has completed the approval process. - Not Approved Status/Not Approved Action – Item has completed the approval process. 	<p><i>The Approval History page displays a historical view of each person in the approval chain, his or her status, and the date of the approval action. The most recent approval is displayed first.</i></p>
Add/View Approval Comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop, select a case from Approvals expando. • Click appropriate Case Folder icon. • Click appropriate Service icon. • Click Actions hyperlink. • Click Continue. • On Comments pop-up page, type appropriate comment. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Use the Comments pop-up page to add a comment to a document that is in the approval process.</i></p> <p><i>Any user involved in the approval history can document and view comments added to a document.</i></p> <p><i>Note: If the supervisor has Approvals under another profile, then the supervisor must log out and log back in under that applicable profile to approve these approvals.</i></p>



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<p>Manage Pending Approvals</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select Approval Management. • From Approval Management page, in Approval Activity group box: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – If Manage My Pending Approvals is selected, either select a worker from Worker drop down, or select All workers. – If Reroute Worker Approvals is selected, select worker from Worker drop down (See <i>Reroute Worker Approvals</i> below.). • In Manage My Pending Approvals group box, select check box next to work requiring approval. • In Approval Decision group box, select an Approval Decision. • Click Save. • Continue with preceding steps until desired cases have been processed for approval. • Click Save. • Click Close. • To view the case prior to approval, click hyperlink next to the case in Work Type column. The page displays. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Review page. – Click Close. – You are returned to Manage My Pending Approvals page for an approval decision. – Review page; select Approval from Options drop down. – Click Go. – The Approval History page displays. – Select Approval Decision. – Click Save. – Click Close. 	<p><i>The Manage My Pending Approvals page displays work that has been approved by a worker and forwarded to a supervisor. The work can also be viewed prior to approval.</i></p> <p><i>Approvals with a status of Initial do not appear on the Manage My Pending Approvals activity.</i></p> <p><i>Review the work prior to making the approval decision by clicking the links in the Work Type column.</i></p>



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Reroute Worker Approvals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select Approval Management. • From Approval Management page, select Reroute Worker Approvals radio button. • In Worker field, select name of worker for whom you are rerouting approvals. • Select check box(es) adjacent to work item(s) you are rerouting. • From Select Receiving Worker group box, click Select Worker hyperlink. • From Reroute Worker Approval pop-up page, select worker who is receiving rerouted approvals. • Click Continue. • Click Save. 	<p><i>Useful when a worker has left the agency and approvals need to be routed to another worker so that the original worker can be inactivated.</i></p>



Create / Close / Reassign Assignments

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Assign Case	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Cases expando, identify case to be assigned. • Click Actions hyperlink next to identified Case. • From Actions pop-up page, select Create Assignment radio button. • Click Continue. • To create an assignment to a unit worker: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – From Create Worker Assignment page, select radio button next to unit worker that you want to assign case. – Select appropriate drop down for Type, Responsibility, and Role for these required fields. • To create an assignment to a worker in another unit: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Select County or State radio button in View By group box. – Click County or State icon to expand unit list. – Click Unit icon to expand Worker list. – Select radio button next to worker that you want to assign case. – Select Type, Responsibility, and then Role. • To create an assignment to a worker using worker search: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Select Type, Responsibility, and then Role. – Click Search hyperlink to search for, and then add worker. • Click Assign. 	<p><i>FSFN automatically generates an email to the workers to notify them of the new assignment.</i></p> <p><i>To sort unit work by title, select the Position Title radio button.</i></p> <p><i>If the case has been previously assigned, the Task Due Reassignment page displays for you to confirm. Click Save.</i></p>



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<p>Close Assignment to yourself, another supervisor, or worker if you have assignment to case</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Cases expando, click Case icon to expand case work. • Click Assignment icon to expand worker assignments. • Click appropriate Worker Name hyperlink. • From Worker Assignment page, click End Assignment radio button in Status group box. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Assignment cannot be closed if incomplete approvals exist.</i></p> <p><i>The supervisor is not allowed to end the last assignment on a case manually.</i></p> <p><i>The system checks to see if an incomplete approval chain exists for the worker whose assignment is being closed.</i></p> <p><i>When an incomplete approval chain exists, a message box is displayed stating, "Pending approvals exist for this worker. Approval process must be completed before assignment can be closed."</i></p> <p><i>The assignment closure process terminates allowing the supervisor and worker to complete outstanding approvals. If no incomplete approval chains exist, the assignment closure process completes.</i></p>
<p>Reassign Tasks via assignment process (current assignment closed)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Worker expando, identify case or provider work to be assigned. • Click Actions hyperlink next to identified case or provider. • From Actions pop-up page, select Assignment Maintenance radio button. • Click Continue. • From Worker Assignment page, select End Assignment radio button in Current Worker Status group box. • Click Reassign. 	<p><i>If the existing assignment is ended, the Task Due Reassignment page does not appear and all existing tasks are automatically routed to the newly assigned worker.</i></p> <p><i>You cannot close a primary assignment unless you are creating a new primary assignment.</i></p>



View / Accept / Reject / Delete Case Transfer Requests

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View, Accept, Reject, or Delete Case Transfer Requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop, click Utilities menu. • Select Case Transfer Request menu item: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Accepted - Rejected - Pending • Click Close. 	<p><i>Through this page, the Sending Unit Supervisor can view his or her pending Case Transfer Requests that have yet to be accepted or rejected, as well as any Case Transfer Requests that were accepted or rejected from other supervisors.</i></p> <p><i>The Sending Unit Supervisor also has the option to delete the pending Case Transfer Requests that he or she has previously sent by clicking on the Delete hyperlink.</i></p> <p><i>The Receiving Unit Supervisor navigates to this page to view his or her pending Case Transfer Requests and clicks on the Case ID hyperlink to view the Case Transfer Request.</i></p>



Create / Update On Call Management

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<p>Create an On-Call Schedule</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select On-Call Schedule. • Click Maintain. • On Maintain On-Call Schedule page, click Basics tab. • From On-Call Schedule group box, select county, month, year, and program from County, Month, Year, and Program drop downs. • Click Search. • A Validation Error pop-up appears, stating, “An on-call schedule for criteria specified does not exist. Do you want to create it?” • Click Yes. • The Receiving Unit Contact Information group box pre-populates based on prior Search criteria. • In On-call Supervisors group box next to Primary Supervisor, click Search. • From Worker Search page, select radio button next to appropriate supervisor listed in Worker’s Returned group box • Click Continue. • The Maintain On-Call Schedule page’s Basic tab displays, and selected supervisor pre-fills On-Call Supervisors group box. • Complete same steps to search for and choose a back-up supervisor, if applicable. • From On-Call Supervisors group box, enter the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – County sheriff number in County Sheriff Phone text box. – Services contact phone number in Services Contact text box. – In Schedule Comment group box, enter comments, if applicable, in Schedule Comment narrative text box. 	<p><i>If you receive the message, ‘On-Call Schedule does not exist’ it is because there is no Receiving Unit designated for the County and Program.</i></p> <p><i>When scheduling a worker for on-call, multiple dates and times can be selected as long as they are for one (1) worker. Each worker needs the schedule complete and saved separately.</i></p> <p><i>A copy function is available on the Maintain On-Call Schedule page > Schedule tab > Copy On-Call Schedule group box. This function allows you to create additional On-Call schedules using a previous schedule.</i></p>



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How Do I...?	Selections	Tips & Guidelines
<p>Create an On-Call Schedule (cont.)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Click Schedule tab. • In Copy On-Call Schedule group box, select month and year from Month and Year drop downs. • In On-Call Worker Assignment group box, select check box next to date(s) and time(s) being scheduled. • Click Search hyperlink next to Primary on-Call. • From Worker Search page, select radio button next to appropriate worker listed in Worker's Returned group box. • Click Continue. • The Maintain On-Call Schedule page's Schedule tab displays. • Click Save. • The selected worker pre-fills Primary column of on-call schedule table in On-Call Worker Assignment group box. • Complete the same steps to search for and choose a back-up supervisor, if applicable. • Repeat steps to designate an on-call worker for each subsequent worker's date(s) and time(s). 	



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<p>Update On-Call Schedule</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select On-Call Schedule. • Click Maintain. • From Maintain On-Call Schedule page's Basics tab, select County, Year, Month, and Program for schedule you want to update. • Click Search. • The on-call schedule displays on Schedule tab. • Click Schedule tab. • Select check box next to date(s) and time(s) for on-call staff being updated. • Click Search hyperlink next to Primary On-Call. • From Worker Search page, search for a worker. • Select radio button for chosen worker in Workers Returned group. • Click Continue. • Click Save. • The updated worker selected displays in Primary Worker column in On-Call Worker Assignment group box. • Repeat steps to designate an updated on-call worker for each subsequent worker who needs to be updated. 	<p><i>There can be any number of dates and times, as long as one (1) worker takes all of those dates and times.</i></p> <p><i>The On Call Schedule for the Selected County and the Program type is available for viewing through the On-Call Schedule button in the CI Unit Documentation group box directly next to the Assign button. The system directs the worker to the appropriate On Call schedule based on the Date, County, and Program information. The On Call Schedule button is available for selection at any point prior to the CI Unit assigning the Intake to either a Receiving Unit or an Investigator. After which point, the On Call Schedule button is disabled.</i></p> <p><i>The On-Call Schedule is always accessible via the Utilities menu on the Desktop.</i></p>



Correct a Placement History

How Do I...?	Selections	Tips & Guidelines
View/Edit/Correct a Placement History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select Placement Correction. • The Placement History page displays. • Click Search hyperlink, search for, and select a child. • The system pre-fills Child's Information group box and Placement Correction History group box. • On Placement History page, click Edit hyperlink. • The Placement Correction Detail displays. • Click Save. • Click Close. • You are returned to Placement History page. • From Options drop down, select Validate Corrections to Placement History (This processes an edit check against placement history.). • Submit for Approval. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Your security profile setting determines whether a worker can only view or view and modify placement history.</i></p> <p><i>A placement that is open or undergoing payment processing is not modifiable.</i></p> <p><i>FSFN allows you to save work with errors; however, errors must be corrected prior to final approval.</i></p>



Work with Task Management

How Do I...?	Selections	Tips & Guidelines
<p>Reassign Task to another worker</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select Task Due Management. • The Task Due Management page displays. • From Task Due Management page, select Task Due Reassignment radio button. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – In Worker field, select worker whose tasks must be reassigned. – In Case/Provider field, select case or provider with tasks to be reassigned. – The Task Due Reassignment group box displays all tasks that can be reassigned for case. – For each task to be reassigned, select appropriate worker in corresponding Reassign Task To field from drop down. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Only supervisors can reassign tasks for their own workers.</i></p> <p><i>Tasks can only be reassigned to another worker who has an open active assignment to the case or provider associated with the selected task.</i></p> <p><i>AFCARS tasks cannot be reassigned.</i></p>
<p>Delete a Task</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Utilities menu, select Task Due Management. • The Task Due Management page displays. • From Task Due Management page, select Task Due Deletion radio button. • From Task Due Activity group box's Worker drop down, select a worker whose My Tasks must be deleted. • The Task Deletion group box displays tasks available for deletion. • Select Delete check box for each task to be deleted. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Supervisors can only delete tasks for their own workers.</i></p> <p><i>Supervisors cannot delete their own tasks.</i></p> <p><i>AFCARS tasks cannot be deleted.</i></p>



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<p>View Tasks for a Worker</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Workers expando on Desktop, click Supervisor icon to expand outline to view all workers. • Click Worker icon to expand appropriate worker who is assigned to case or provider. • Select Actions hyperlink for appropriate case or provider. • Select View Tasks radio button. • Click Continue. • The View Task page displays. • Click Close. 	
<p>View Past Due Worker tasks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop, My Task Calendar expando is automatically expanded. • View Past Due Worker group box for list of tasks. • Displays Task Due Name, Worker Name, Date Due, FSFN ID/Investigation Number, and Worker Profile. 	<p><i>This group box only displays when logged in with a supervisor profile.</i></p> <p><i>Only those tasks for the current logged in profile in their Parent Unit pre-fills the Past Due Worker group box.</i></p> <p><i>Tasks past due under other profiles do not display as hyperlinks, but display in red font.</i></p>



View / Create / Renew / End Alert Management

How Do I...?	How Do I...?	How Do I...?
View/Create an Alert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop, click Cases expando. • Click Actions hyperlink next to case name. • From Actions pop-up page, select Create Alert radio button. • Click Continue. • The Maintain Alert page displays. • In Alert Information group box: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Select alert type from Type drop down. – Type alert description in Narrative field. • In Missing Person group box, add a person. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Click Insert. – The Case Participants and Collaterals pop-up page displays. – Select appropriate person check box. – Click Continue. FSFN adds each selected person to Missing Person group box table. • To remove a person from Missing Person group box, click Delete hyperlink next to person. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – The system displays a verification pop-up page. – Click Yes, No, or Cancel. – You are returned to Maintain Alert page. – You can add a case participant, who is not the missing person, in Other Person group box. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Enter Other Person group box information in same manner as entering Missing Person group box information. – The system adds/removes each selected person to/from Other Person group box. 	<p><i>Only supervisors are authorized to create an Alert. Once an Alert is created, it can be renewed to extend or expired by the supervisor.</i></p> <p><i>You can view an Alert from your Desktop if the associated case is assigned to you or by completing a person or case search.</i></p> <p><i>If the person you want to add in the Missing Person group box does not display in the pop-up because they are not a case participant, you need to add the person to the Maintain Case page (See Maintain Case section.).</i></p>



View / Create / Renew / End Alert Management

How Do I...?	How Do I...?	How Do I...?
View/Create an Alert (cont.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - From Worker Information group box, click Search hyperlink. - The Worker Search pop-up page displays. - In Search Criteria group box, enter worker name and other search criteria, if known. - Set Search Precision from Low to High. - Click Search. - In Workers Returned group box, select radio button for worker initiating the Alert. - Click Continue. The Worker Search pop-up closes. Selected worker pre-fills Worker Information group box on Maintain Alert page. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Only supervisors are authorized to create an Alert. Once an Alert is created, it can be renewed to extend or expired by the supervisor.</i></p> <p><i>You can view an Alert from your Desktop if the associated case is assigned to you or by completing a person or case search.</i></p>
Renew an Alert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Maintain Alert page. See <i>View/Create an Alert</i> section to complete these steps. • Enter Renewed Date. • The system defaults expiration date to be 180 days from Renew Date. • Click Save. • Click Close 	<p><i>Only authorized staff have security access to renew an alert</i></p>
End an Alert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Maintain Alert page. See <i>View/Create an Alert</i> section to complete these steps. • From Maintain Alert page, enter Expiration Date. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	



Work with Case Actions

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De-Link a Mistakenly Linked Services Report to CPS Report from a Case	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Cases expando, click Case Name hyperlink. • The Maintain Case page displays. • From Maintain Case page, select Delink Intake from Options drop down. • Click Go. • Select applicable referral/intake, click Save. • Click Close. 	
Remove Person Mistakenly Added to Case	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Desktop Cases expando, click Case Name hyperlink. • The Maintain Case page displays. • From Maintain Case page, click Remove hyperlink for appropriate participant you want to remove. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Only a supervisor can remove a participant who has been erroneously added to a case and who is not associated with any open case work.</i></p> <p><i>A worker or a supervisor can deactivate a participant who is a participant in the case, but not an active participant.</i></p> <p><i>See the Case Maintenance How Do I Guide for more information on deactivating a participant.</i></p>



Complete Investigation Supervisory Review

How Do I...?	Selections	Tips & Guidelines
<p>Complete an In-Home Safety Assessment - Supervisory Review Tab</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To open Safety Assessment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – From Cases expando, expand Case containing the Investigation. – Click Investigation icon, and then click Safety Assessment hyperlink for the safety assessment you want to review. • Click Initial In-home Safety Assessment icon. • The Updated In-home Safety Assessment page displays. • Click Supervisory Review tab. • From Safety Assessment Information group box, answer required questions by selecting Agree or Disagree from drop down list: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – For each question drop down, select supervisory concurrence (Agree or Disagree). • Enter Further Actions Needed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Enter a narrative description in Further Actions Needed text box. – Enter summary description for each safety assessment area in Supervisor Comments text field. – If enabled, enter a response for Second Party Review. – If enabled, enter a response for On Sight Investigation Justification. • Complete all applicable required fields. • Click Save. • Click Close. 	<p><i>Supervisor receives an email that the safety assessment has been submitted to them for review.</i></p> <p><i>The second party review criteria is auto selected by the system. If the check boxes are selected, then the assessment meets the criteria for a second party review; it must be submitted for SPR. If the assessment does not meet the criteria for SPR, the supervisor may choose to submit it anyway.</i></p> <p><i>If a date is entered in the Updated Safety Assessment Due Date field, an Updated Safety Assessment task displays in the Due in the Future group box on your FSFN Desktop 72 hours before the Updated Safety Assessment is due.</i></p> <p><i>If the task becomes past due, it displays in the Currently/Past Due tasks group box on your Desktop.</i></p> <p><i>The past due task is also escalated to your Supervisor's Desktop in the Past Due Worker group box.</i></p>

