Florida PALM

Planning, Accounting, and Ledger Management





ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

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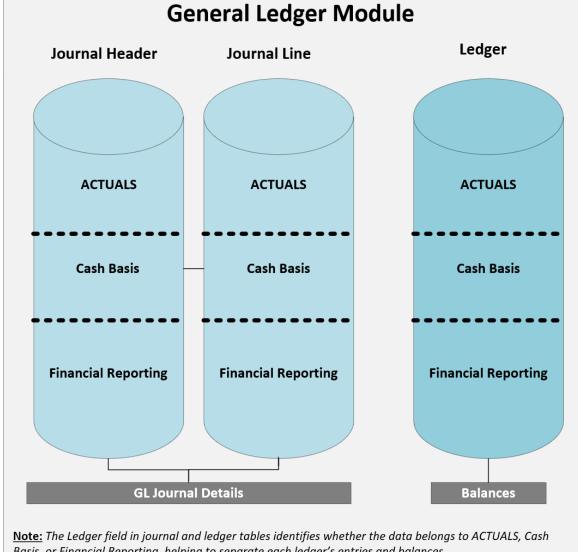
LEDGER STRUCTURE

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Ledger Structure

The diagram provides a high-level view of the Florida PALM General Ledger Module.



Basis, or Financial Reporting, helping to separate each ledger's entries and balances.





Ledger Structure

ACTUALS Ledger

Source: Source Modules (AP, AR, AM, CM, IU and Payroll) create accounting entries.



Journal Creation: Journal Generator (JGEN) converts these entries into ACTUALS GL Journals.

 Once these journals are posted, the amounts are reflected to the ACTUALS Ledger balances, within the GL module.



Online GL Journals: Agencies and DFS users can create journal entries directly in the ACTUALS ledger for accounting adjustments. Entries can be created in three ways:

- Manually using the GL Journal pages
- GLI011 Journal Spreadsheet Upload
- GLI006 Inbound Journal Entry Interface



Reconciliation: SDE011 – Source Module to GL Reconciliation Tool: Used to reconcile source modules to the ACTUALS Ledger.

Cash Basis Ledger



Source: A custom Cash Basis process (GLE012) derives cash accounting entries from source modules (AP, AR, AM, CM, IU and Payroll) and loads entries into Custom Cash Basis accounting entry tables.



Journal Creation: Journal Generator converts Cash Basis entries into Cash Basis GL Journals.

 Once these journals are posted, the amounts are reflected to the Cash Basis Ledger balances, within the GL module.



Online GL Journals: Direct or online GL journal entries are **not** allowed in the Cash Basis ledger. All GL adjustments in the Cash Basis Ledger come only from the ACTUALS Ledger.



Reconciliation: The Cash Basis Transaction Reconciliation Report (GLR171) is a custom report that helps users check if the Fund Cash balance matches between the Actuals Ledger and the Cash Basis Ledger at the transaction level.

Financial Reporting Ledger



Source: All posted ACTUALS journals (including source module journals posted to ACTUALS ledger).



Journal Creation: A custom Financial Reporting Ledger process (GLE014) derives Financial reporting accounting entries and converts these entries into Financial Reporting GL Journals.

 Once these journals are posted, the amounts are reflected to the Financial **Reporting** Ledger balances, within the GL module.



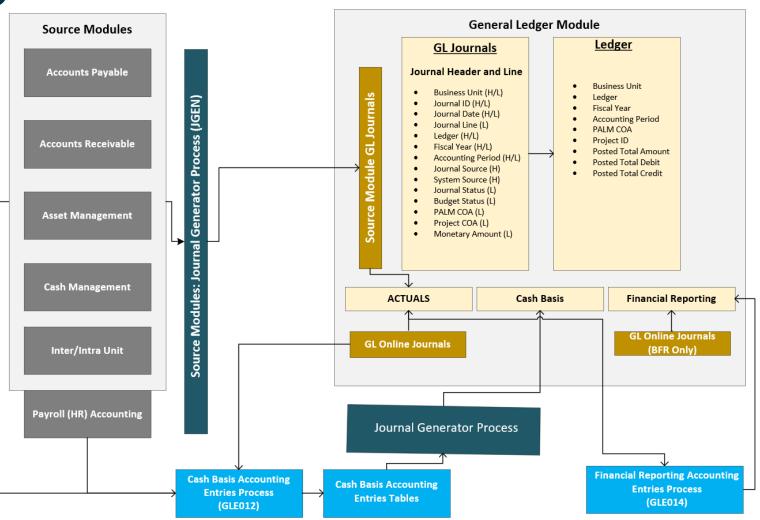
Online GL Journals: Only BFR users can create journal entries directly in the Financial Reporting Ledger for Financial Reporting accounting adjustments.



Reconciliation: Accounting and Auditing team use an external process to reconcile with the ACTUALS Ledger as part of their financial reporting activities.

Ledger Structure

The diagram provides a high-level view of the Florida PALM Ledger Architecture.





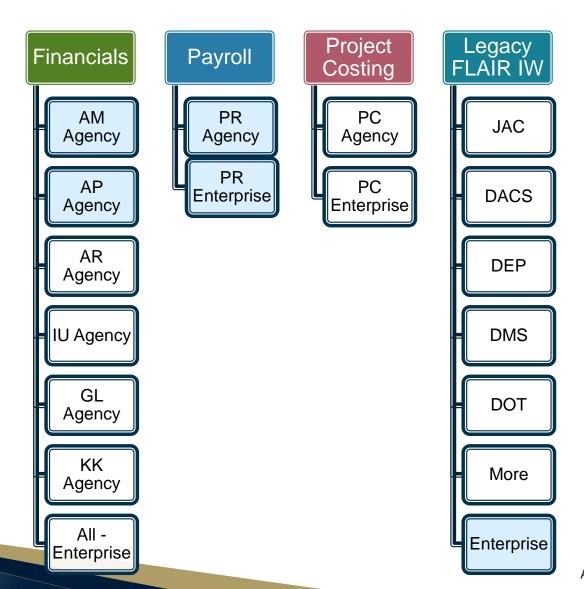
DATA WAREHOUSE / BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

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Data Warehouse Folders & Datasets





DW/BI – Subject Areas for Florida PALM Data

Asset Management

- Financials Asset Acquisitions
- Financials Asset Balance
- Financials Asset Depreciation
- Financials Asset Lease Payment
- Financials Asset Overview
- Financials Asset Retirement
- Financials Asset Utilization

Accounts Payable

- Financials AP Balance
- Financials AP Holds
- Financials AP Invoice Aging
- Financials AP Overview
- Financials AP Transactions

Accounts Receivable

- Financials AR Balance
- Financials AR Invoice Aging
- Financials AR Overview
- Financials AR Transactions



DW/BI – Subject Areas for Florida PALM Data

- Inter/IntraUnit Transfers
 - Custom data with work in progress
- Commitment Control
 - Financials Budget and Expenses
 - Financials Budgetary Control Detail Transactions
 - Financials Budgetary Control Expense
 - Financials Budgetary Control –
 Revenue

- General Ledger
 - Financials GL Balance Sheet
 - Financials GL Budget and Expenses
 - Financials GL Cash Flow
 - Financials GL Detail Transactions
 - Financials Account Reconciliation
 - Financials Revenue Analysis



DW/BI – Subject Areas for Florida PALM Data

- Payroll
 - Human Resources Payroll

- Project Costing
 - Project Budget
 - Project Commitment
 - Project Cost
 - Project Forecast

Project, grant and contract ChartFields are available in all modules. Reports in other areas should also be used to monitor these activities.



DW/BI Reporting Roles

- Capabilities: Consumer or Author
- Folder/Dataset
 - Financials
 - Payroll
 - Project Costing
 - Legacy FLAIR IW
- Security Level
 - Protected data
 - Agency End User
 - Enterprise End User





DW/BI General Reporting Capabilities

- Run a report
- Filter/Prompt using parameters
- Schedule a report
- Set up email alerts
- Print or download a report
- Choose an output type
- Distribute/attach reports
- Add reports as favorites

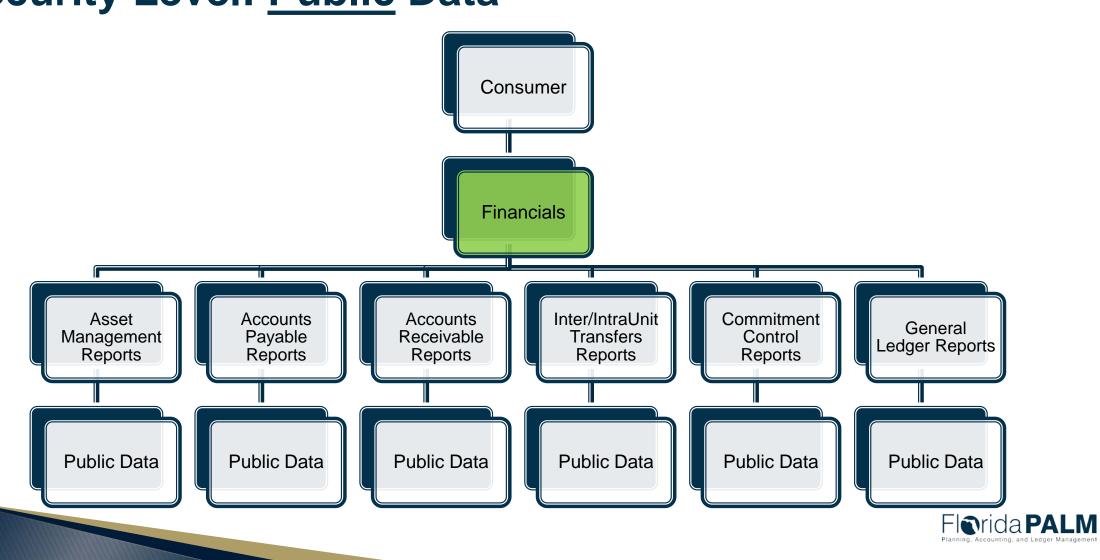
- Create a query
- Modify a query (drag & drop)
- Share a query (privately)
- Publish a query (DFS only)
- Create a Dashboard

Consumer

Author

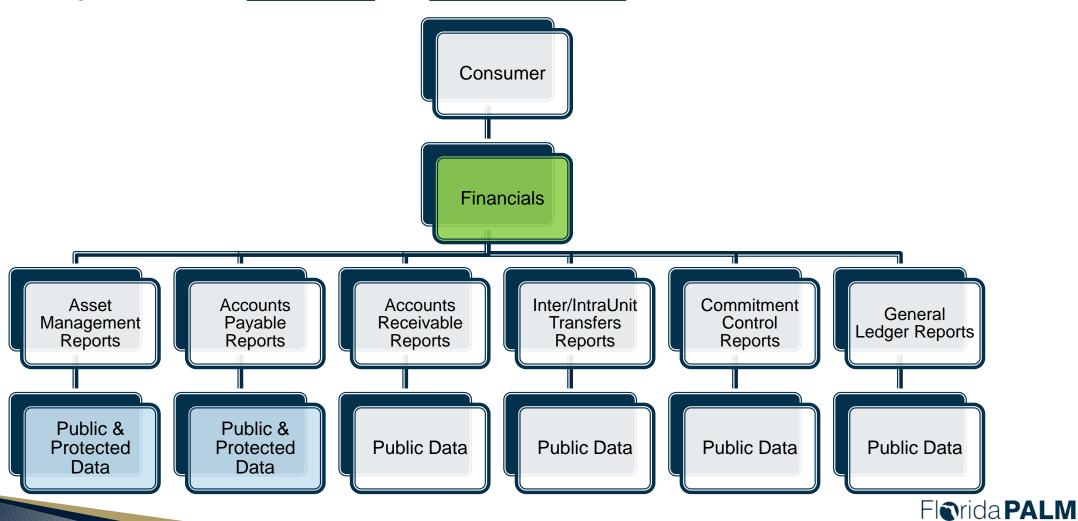


Agency Role: Financials (Consumer) Security Level: Public Data



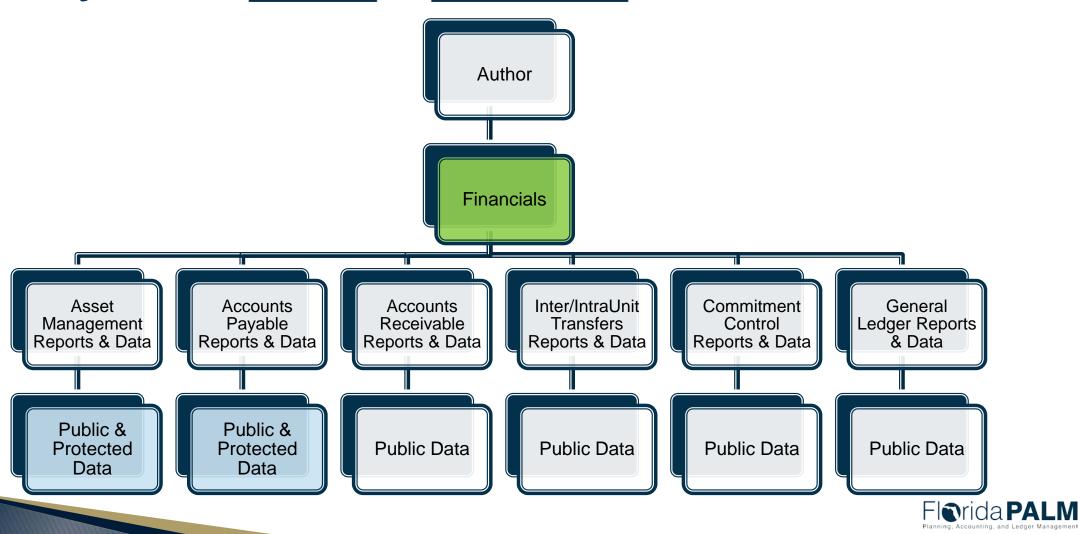


Agency Role: Financials (Consumer) Security Level: Public & Protected Data



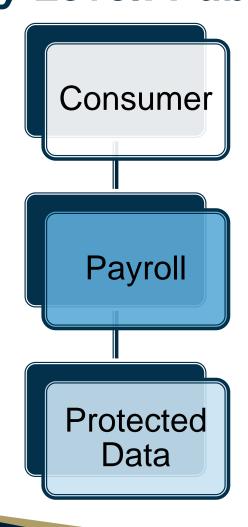


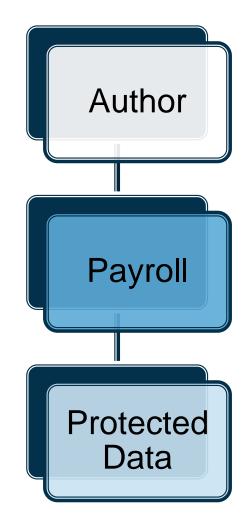
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DW/BI - Payroll Security Level: Public & Protected Data

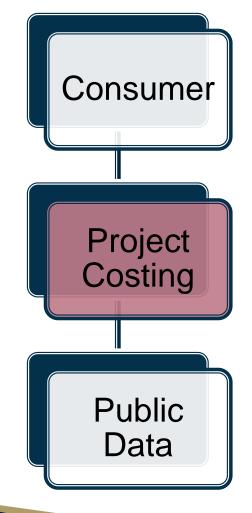


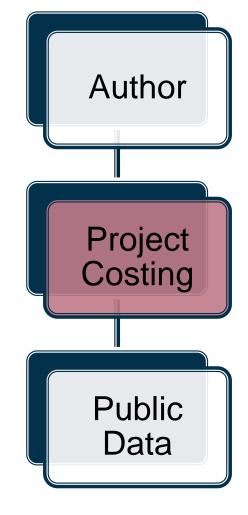






DW/BI - Project Costing Security Level: Public Data









Roles: Legacy FLAIR Information Warehouse

Security Level: Public Data







DW/BI – Legacy FLAIR IW Datasets

- DW/BI will use the Legacy FLAIR data structure
- Includes use of Legacy FLAIR IW Data Views
- Agency information is segregated by folder
- Authors can use Florida PALM & Legacy FLAIR IW Data
 - For example, reports available at go-live
 - GLR168 Multi-Year Project, Contract, or Grant Activity Summary Report
 - PRR069 Annual Leave Payments Report



End User Role Mapping Considerations

- What information is needed?
 - Florida PALM: Business Process
 - DW/BI: Folders/Datasets
- What role capabilities are needed?
 - Florida PALM: Reporter
 - DW/BI: Consumer or Author
- What access level is appropriate for the user?
 - Public Data
 - Protected Data (AM, AP, PR)
 - Users must be authorized to access protected data



End User Role Mapping Guidance

Consumers

- Active report or data user on a <u>recurring</u> basis (daily, weekly, or monthly)
- Super users and problem solvers
- May have Florida PALM Maintainer or Reconciler roles
- Report or research data across modules, business processes, and fiscal years
- Responsible for reporting on programs, projects, grants or contracts
- Distributes reports to others within the agency



End User Role Mapping Guidance

Authors

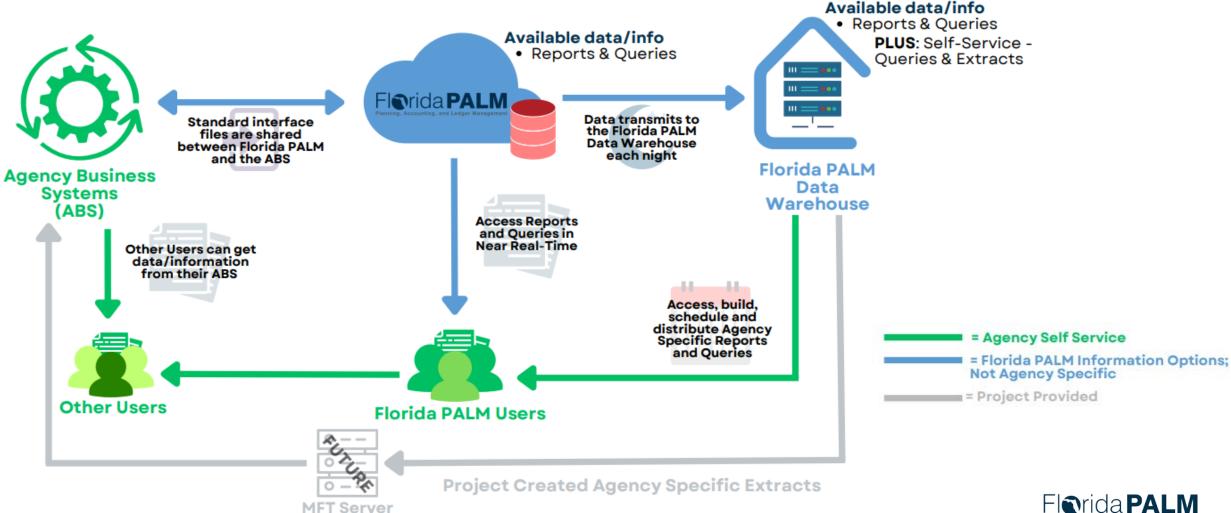
- Responsible for writing queries on a <u>recurring</u> basis (daily, weekly, or monthly)
- Assign to experienced users with a functional knowledge of the business processes and data
- Access includes drag and drop capabilities to create or modify queries using data within the subject areas and datasets to meet agency-specific targeted needs
- Create dashboards for agency specific needs
- Replaces the Florida PALM Query Writer role used in CMS Wave (since that role will be retired)



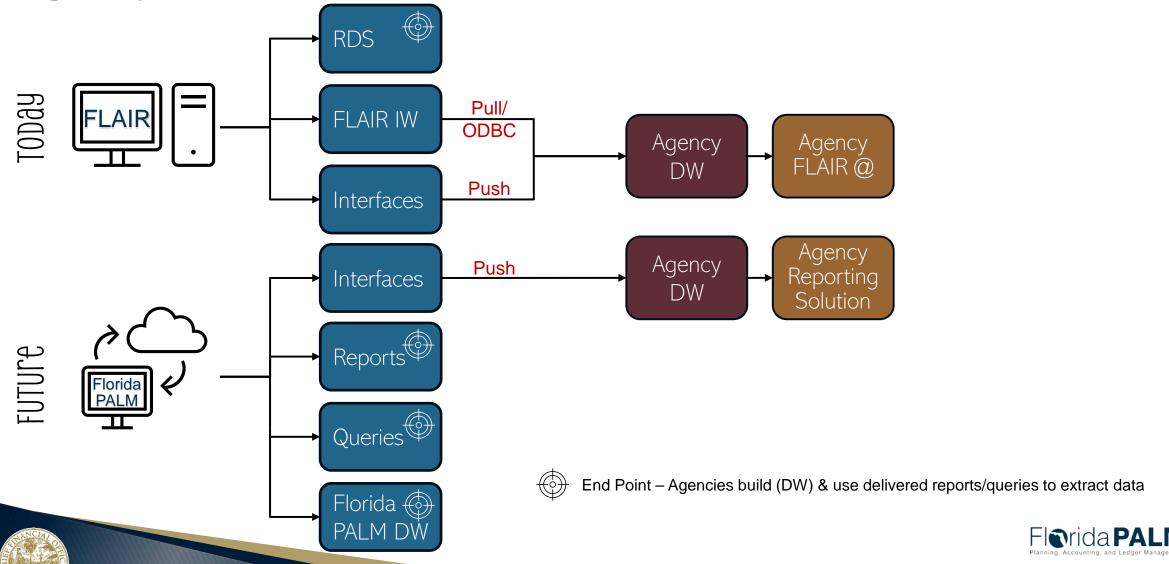
DW/BI PRESENTATION APPENDIX



Overview of Information Options



Agency Data Warehouse Interaction with Florida PALM, DW/BI

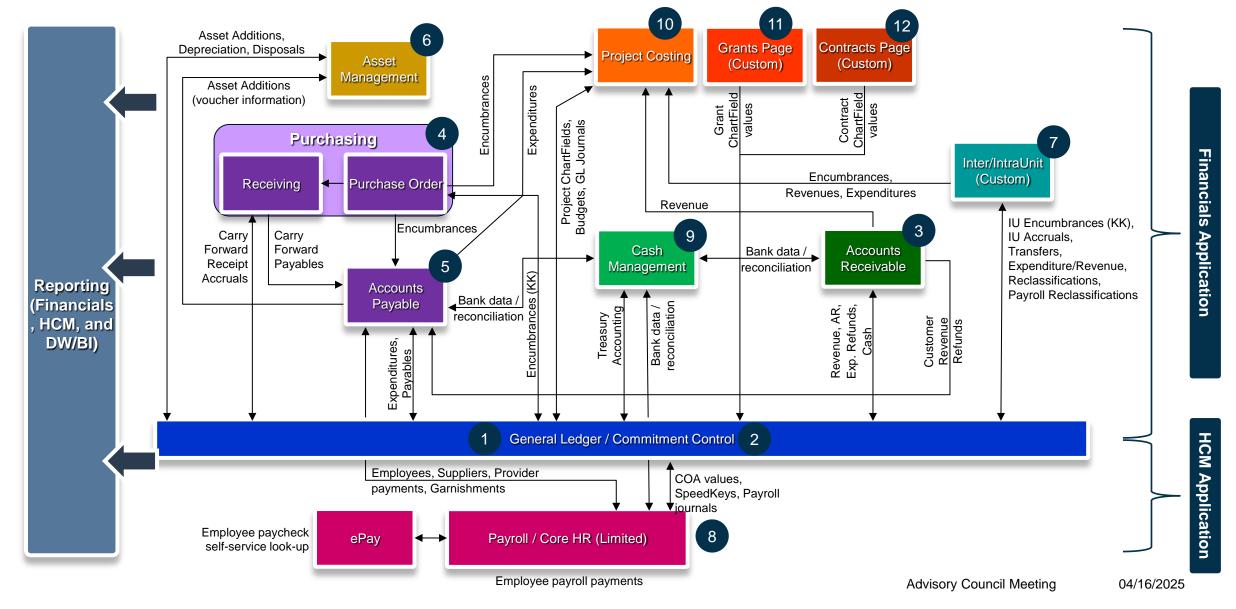


Reporting from Florida PALM vs. DW/BI:

Reporting Solution	Florida PALM (PeopleSoft)	Data Warehouse (Oracle Analytics Cloud)
Report Type(s)	Primarily Operational Other types if real-time data is needed	Primarily Analytical, Statutory, Historical, and Strategic
Florida PALM Data	All Florida PALM data	Subset of Florida PALM data
Legacy Information	Limited to information loaded as part of conversions	IW Data
Data Refresh Schedule	Real-time or near real-time	Nightly data refreshes
Report Complexity	Mostly simple calculations or logic; few BI reports	Simple to complex calculations or logic; more BI reports
Key Reporting Tools	PS Query; BI Publisher (BIP)	BI Classic, BIP



Florida PALM Module Interactions



Reporting Resources

- Knowledge Center
 - DW/BI Overview
 - Reports Catalog
 - Reports
 - Source (Florida PALM or DW/BI), Description, sample, prompts, report columns, report audience
 - Data
 - Interface Catalog
 - Fields & Definitions
 - Configured Data Values
 - Chart of Accounts

- Florida PALM website
 - Reporting Approach
 - Data Protection Approach
 - Meetings & Workshops
 - Testing Preparation Workshop, 11/14/2024
 Data Warehouse Business Intelligence
 Demo
 - Video

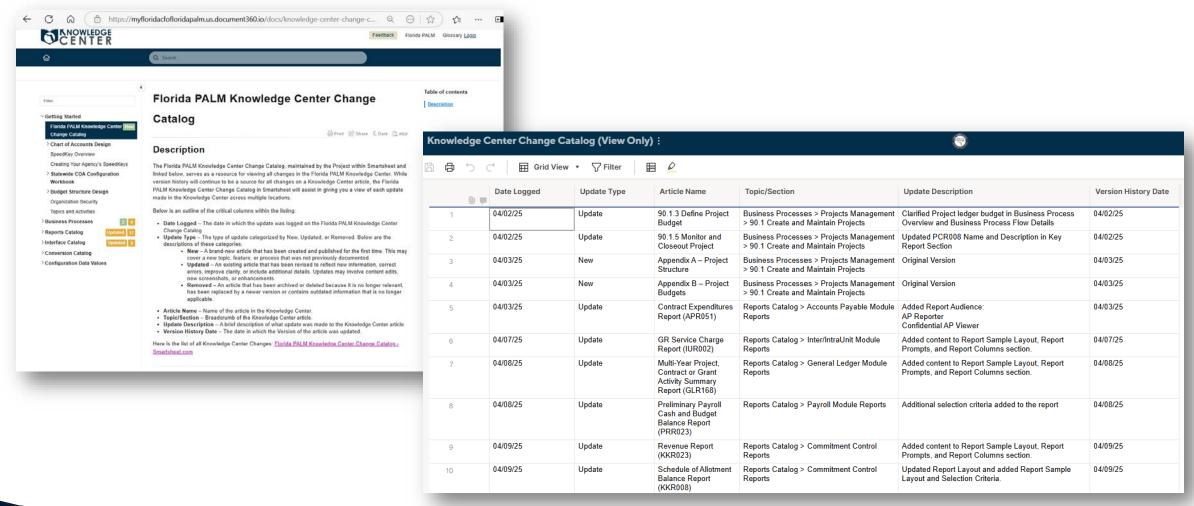


WALK ON TOPICS





Knowledge Center Change Log



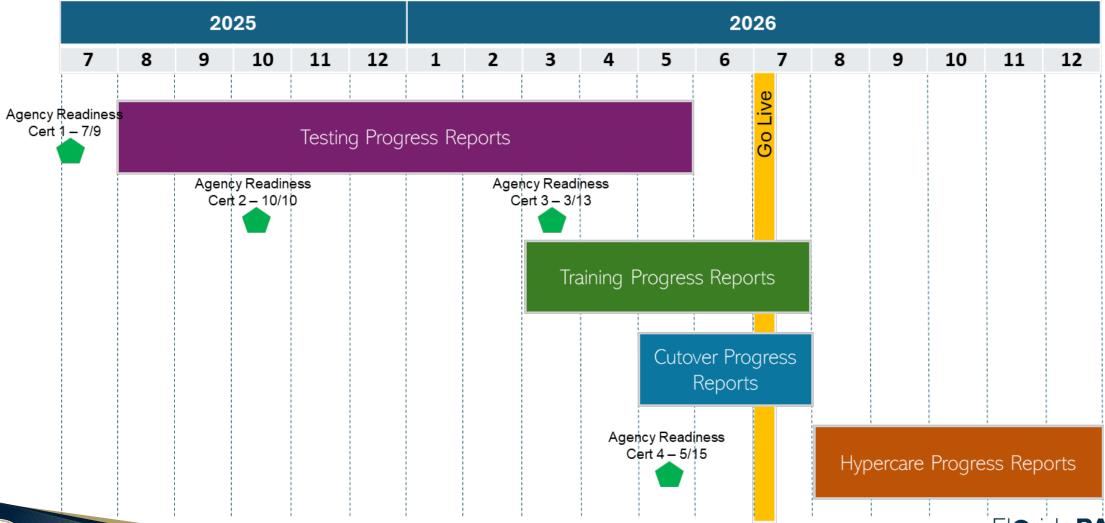


Readiness Workplan Updates

- New columns
 - Task Type (Configuration, Conversion, Role Mapping, UAT, etc.)
 - Alignment to Readiness Certification
- Removing recurring tasks to manage risks and issues. Activity and confirmation to be included in Bimonthly Status Report submission.
- Removing generalized tasks and adding new monthly Progress Report Tasks as agencies execute Testing, Training, Cutover, and Hypercare.



Readiness Workplan Updates





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