Change Implementation

IMPLEMENTATION UPDATE								
Project Name:		PIP Information Service						
Go-Live Date:		27.10.14						
Issue Date:		24.10.14						
Issue Number:		187						
Pensions Directorate	Benefits Directorate	Work Services Directorate	Network Services Directorate	FES	OED	UC Service Centres	NiNo	Contracted Customer Services Directorate
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Audience: The initial PIPIS Go-Live User base								

Subject: Personal Independence Payment Information Service – PIPCS Release 3.0 Impact

Timing: From 27th October 2014

Action: For information and cascade only to DWP staff included in the initial Personal Independence Payment Information Service (PIPIS) User base.

Update:

PIPCS Release 3.0 is being implemented over the weekend 25th & 26th October. Release 3.0 brings in new functionality that will impact upon PIPIS.

In order to successfully implement PIPCS Release 3.0, both PIPCS and PIPIS will be unavailable on the 25th and 26th October. PIPIS users are therefore requested not to attempt any access to PIPIS on either 25th or 26th October.

The PIPCS Release 3.0 functionality that impacts upon PIPIS will allow for the introduction of advance claim information.

When a claimant makes an advance claim, the "Date of Claim" in PIPIS shows the effective date of the future decision rather than the date the PIP1 (telephony claim) was received.

If a user identifies the "Date of Claim" field in PIPIS displays a future date, they should check the communications record for the date the application was received. This is the date the claimant made their claim.

An update to the Known Error log is attached in both Non-Transformed site & Transformed site versions.







If you have any queries about this communication, please contact your Local Change Team as follows:

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