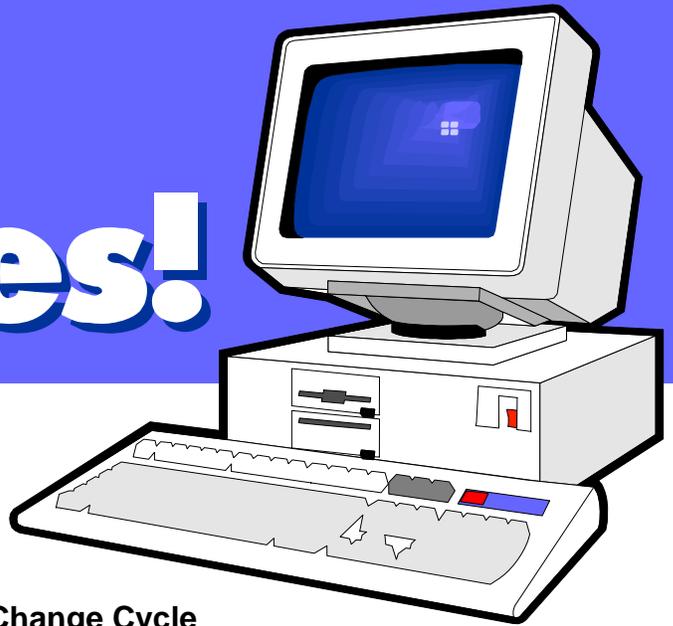


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****NOTE****

The week of October 27TH – October 31st the CMS Net training system will be available to all users to test and become familiar with the new Web Correspondence module. Reference material is available on the CMS Branch website: [Web Correspondence](#)

CMS Net Web

Web Correspondence: This module will replace a portion of the CMS Net legacy Correspondence module. The Correspondence option will be removed from the legacy menu.

- Letters initiated in the CMS Net legacy system will be viewed, printed, approved and saved through the web. Users will reissue or cancel letters through the CMS Net legacy system as they do today. Letter history and ticklers will not change.
- Miscellaneous and SAR letters will be initiated and completed in web. Users will reissue or cancel miscellaneous letters through the web.

An optional approval process for certain letters will be available for counties. The process of generating a Notice of Action (NOA) and denial letters will be consolidated and the format will be replaced with the Family Voices version.

Case Notes: The search screen has been modified to be more user friendly, streamlined, and consistent with Web Correspondence module.

Provider Registration: A new web based provider file will replace the existing CMS legacy Vendor Registration module. The web based provider file will include providers from the Medi-Cal and Denti-Cal Provider Master File (PMF),

Non PMF, and Special Care Centers. Users will be able to select providers from the PMF and Non PMF list to send correspondence, add a medical home, enter medical reports and generate denials. Existing provider data from Vendor Registration will be converted to the web based provider file as is and if an update is required a County System Administrator or State System Administrator will perform updates via the web.

Dental Service Grouping: S19 – Orthodontic was removed from the service code grouping.

Internet Pop Ups: Incorporated a change to prevent the security message (secure/non secure) pop ups in the Case Notes module.

User Security: Changed the welcome message in both the web and legacy to display the User's First name, Last Name, County and security group.

NPI: When an NPI has multiple statuses the system will check for an active status. If there is no active status, system will give error message that status of provider is inactive.

Case Notes Corrections: Will show the correction date.

Case Note Entry: Will allow entry of an apostrophe and quotation marks on the edit screen.

County System Administrators: Modified the security to allow County System Admins to authorize SARs.

Provider Electronic Data Interchange (PEDI)

Provider Type: The correct provider type will display on the SAR.

CASE NOTES

Pop-up Blocker settings

It is important to change the Pop-up Blocker settings on your workstation to allow pop-ups from the CMS Web application.

The following steps illustrate how to set your Pop-up Blocker settings to allow pop-ups from specific websites such as CMS Web.

1. Click Tools > Pop-up Blocker > Pop-up Blocker Settings

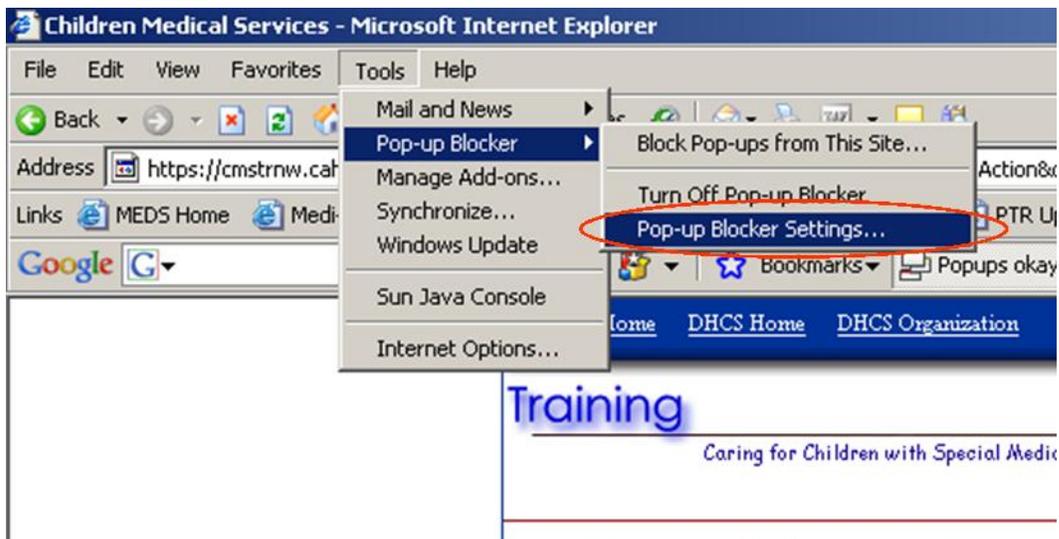


Figure 1

2. Type the web address: cms.cahwnet.gov
3. Click Add > Close

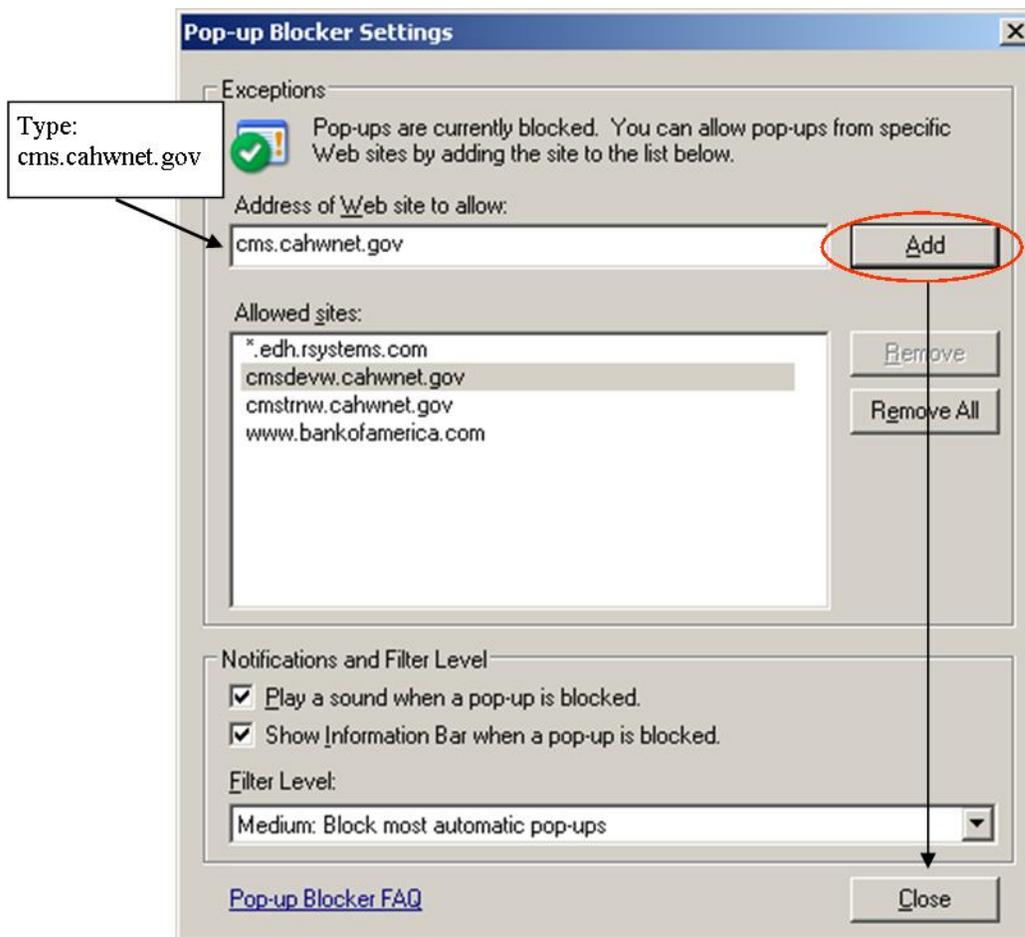


Figure 2