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# **Consumer Perception Survey (CPS)**

## **Application User Guide**

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## Purpose

The California Department of Health Services utilizes Consumer Perception Surveys (CPS) to collect data for the federal National Outcome Measures required by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. As recipients of the federal Community Mental Health Services Block grant, the County of Los Angeles – Department of Mental Health (DMH) must administer CPS in our outpatient programs, at least annually. Historically, the assigned survey periods occur for one week in Spring (May or June) and another week during Fall (November). As the largest and linguistically diverse county mental health plan in the nation, the department has seen CPS return rates in the ten to fifteen thousand range. With these numbers, the disadvantages associated with paper-based survey administration outweighed the advantages.

As a resource tool for DMH outpatient providers from directly operated and contracted programs, the CPS User Portal would significantly cut the cost, labor, and human errors associated with managing paper-based surveys. In the outpatient programs, CPS Portal Users will use the application to email or text CPS forms to clients and their families in their preferred languages (English, Arabic, Spanish, Persian, Filipino, Korean, Russian, Vietnamese, Khmer, Chinese Simplified and Chinese Traditional). The electronic version of CPS that providers send uses logic branches/skip logic according to the clients and their families' responses. The survey type (Youth, Families, Adult, or Older Adult) will automatically match the clients' age. CPS Portal Users in Administrative roles, such as DMH Quality Improvement, will use the Dynamics version of the application to manage provider participation and track trends in survey return rates by survey type, language, and Service Area.

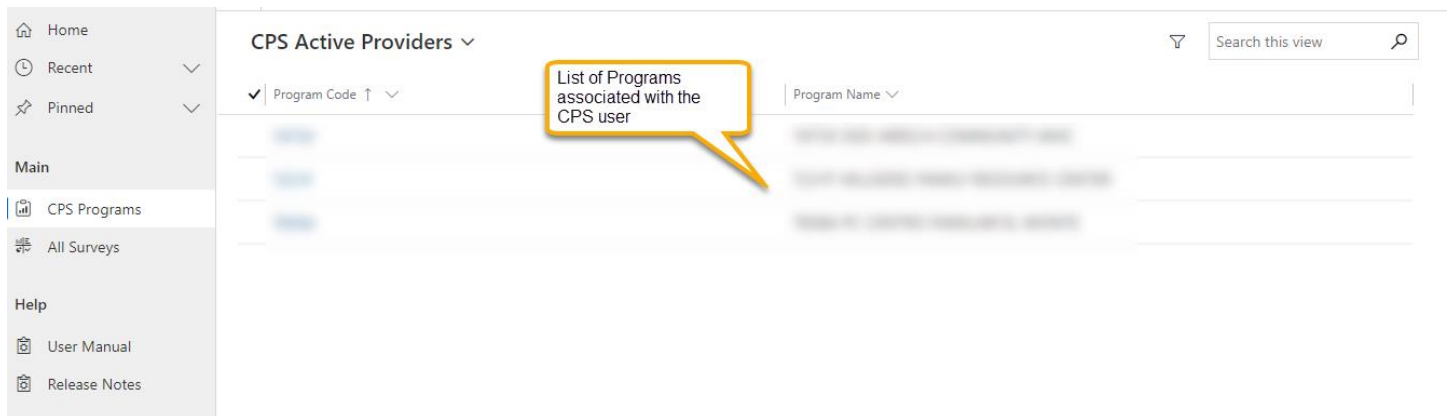
## Accessing the Application

To access CPS Dynamics Application, copy and paste the below URL into your internet browser. The recommended browsers are Google Chrome and Microsoft Edge.

<https://lacdmhprod20.crm9.dynamics.com/apps/cps>

## CPS Landing Page

After successful log in to CPS Application, you will see a list of Programs associated with your Log In.



The screenshot displays the CPS Landing Page interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with options: Home, Recent, Pinned, Main, CPS Programs, All Surveys, Help, User Manual, and Release Notes. The main content area is titled "CPS Active Providers" and features a search bar labeled "Search this view". Below the title, there is a table with columns for "Program Code" (sorted ascending) and "Program Name". A yellow callout box points to the table with the text "List of Programs associated with the CPS user". The table contains several rows of data, though the text is blurred.

Click on the Program you want to select for the next survey.

By default, the view has recently created surveys on top. The survey list can be sorted by ascending or descending order based on the values in any column. In addition, you can select one of the filtering options under "Filter by".

## CPS Subarea

✓ Name ▾	Survey Status ▾	Survey Recipient ▾	Comment? ▾
	↑ Sort A to Z	Client	No
	↓ Sort Z to A	Both	No
	Filter by	Client	No
	Sent	Both	No

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## How to create and send new Consumer Perception Survey

CPS Programs

- All Surveys
- Help
  - User Manual
  - Release Notes

Provider Name

CPS Subarea

+ New Survey Client Add Existi

✓ Name ▾	Survey Status ▾	Survey Recipient ▾	Comment? ▾	Age in Years ▾	Survey Date ▾	Created On ▾
	Sent	Client	No			
	Sent	Both	No			
	Not Sent	Client	No			
	Sent	Both	No			

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Click on "+ New Survey Client" 1

## New Survey Client

General Time Line

Client Information

Client \* john doe

sClients

Client Last Name

Client First Name

Survey Recipient

Date of Birth

Type Client name or IBHIS ID and select the Client from the list 2

Client Last Name JOHN

Client First Name DOE

Survey Recipient

Client

--Select--

Client

Caregiver

Both

Select Survey recipient or leave the default value

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Date of Birth

Age in Years

Fill in "Send survey to Client" section

4

### Send Survey To Client:

Name JOHN M DOE

Delivery Preference \* Email

Client Survey \* CPES - Older Adult Survey Spring 2021

Client Language \* English

Email Address \* Test@email.com

If applicable fill in "Survey to Caregiver" section **5**

Send Survey To Caregiver:

Caregiver Last Name \* **John**

Caregiver First Name \* **Caregiver**

Caregiver Survey Delivery Preference \* **Cell**

Caregiver Survey \*  **CPES - Youth Services Survey for Family Spring 2021**

Caregiver Language \*  **Chinese Traditional**

Caregiver Cell Phone Number \* **123-555-4567**

Confirm correct survey template is selected. [Update if needed to Youth Services Survey](#)

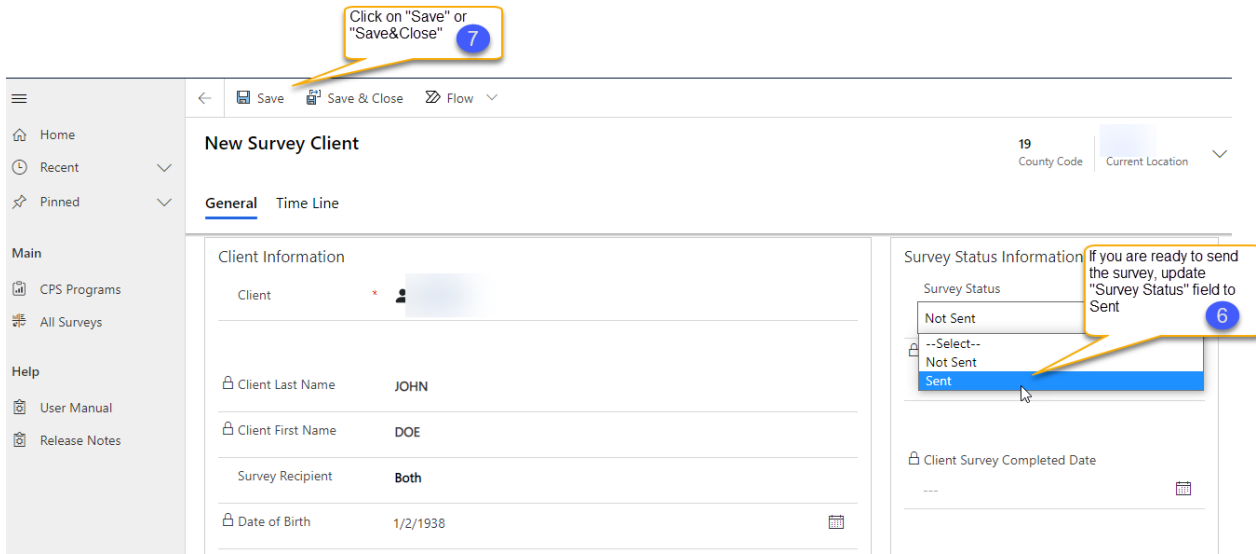
**TIPS:**



The screenshot shows a dropdown menu for 'Client Language'. The selected option is 'English'. The dropdown list includes 'Arabic', 'Chinese Simplified', and 'Chinese Traditional'. A magnifying glass icon is visible in the top right corner of the dropdown menu.

Click on the magnifying glass to see the full list of survey languages

Click here for more details on [Delivery Preference options](#)



Survey will be sent to the Client and/or Caregiver via the preferred delivery method.

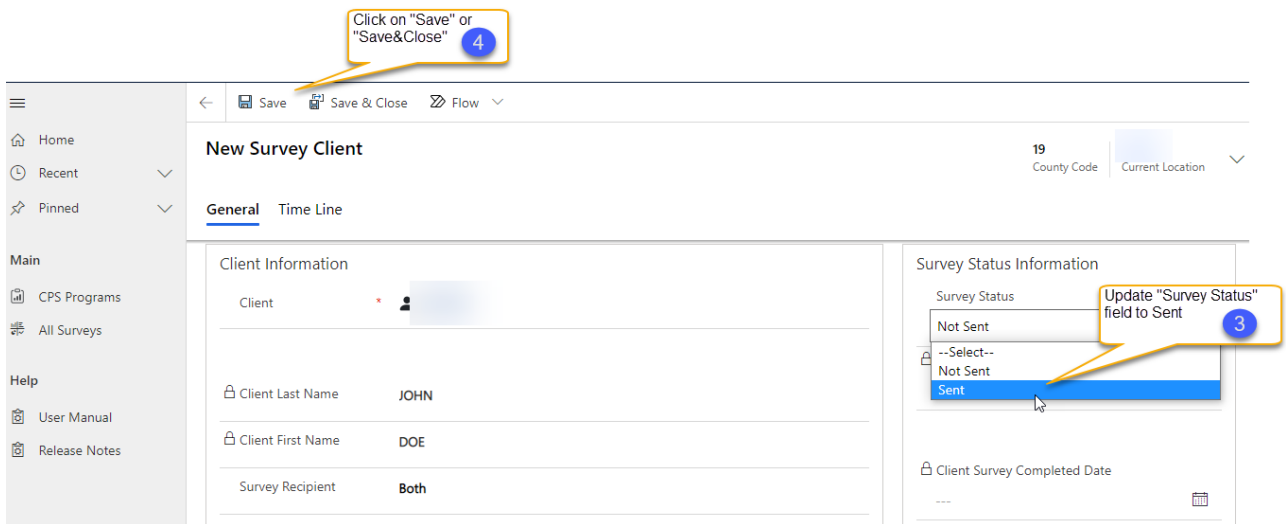
If you would like to save the survey as a DRAFT and send it later, in step 6 leave the survey status "Not Sent" and click "Save" or "Save & Close".

### How to send Survey that was saved as a Draft

+ New Survey Client

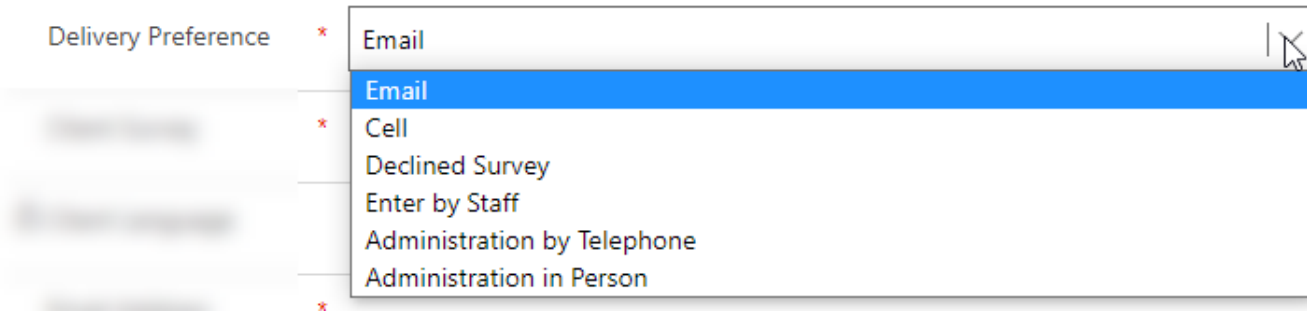
✓ Name	Survey Status	Survey Recipient	Comment?	Age in Years	Survey Date	Created On	Email Address
Client			No	57	5/13/2021	5/13/2021 5:...	
Both			No	33	5/13/2021	5/13/2021 9:...	
Not Sent	Client		No	17	---	5/13/2021 8:...	
Sent			No	17	5/12/2021	5/12/2021 1:...	

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## Survey Delivery Preference options

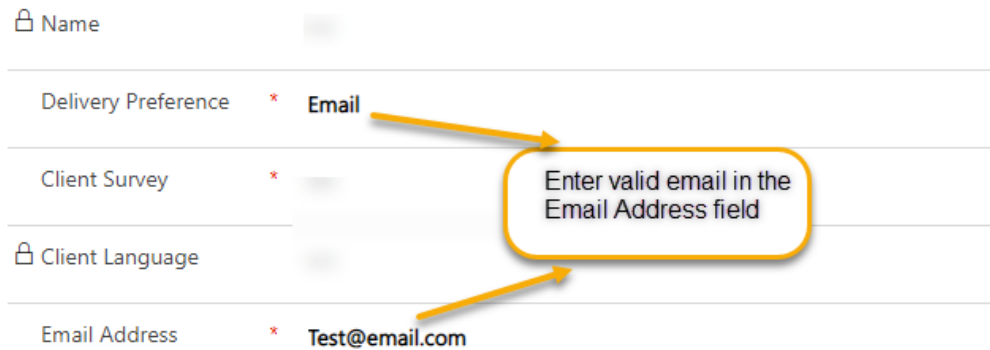
In the Client or Caregiver Delivery Preference field, you can select one of the below options:



A screenshot of a web form showing a dropdown menu for the 'Delivery Preference' field. The dropdown is open, displaying several options: 'Email' (highlighted in blue), 'Cell', 'Declined Survey', 'Enter by Staff', 'Administration by Telephone', and 'Administration in Person'. The 'Delivery Preference' label and a red asterisk are visible to the left of the dropdown.

1. **Email** – To send the survey to the Client or Caregiver via Email, select “Email” from the Delivery Preference drop-down and enter valid email in the Email Address field

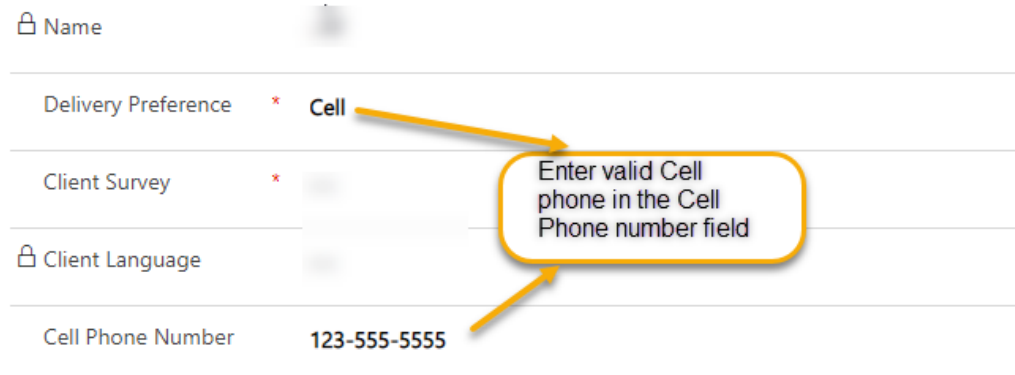
Send Survey To Client:



A screenshot of the 'Send Survey To Client' form. The 'Delivery Preference' dropdown is set to 'Email'. The 'Email Address' field contains 'Test@email.com'. A yellow callout box with the text 'Enter valid email in the Email Address field' has arrows pointing to the 'Email' dropdown and the 'Email Address' field.

2. **Text message** - To send the survey link to the Client or Caregiver in a text message, select “Cell” from the Delivery Preference drop-down and enter valid cell phone number in the Cell Phone Number field

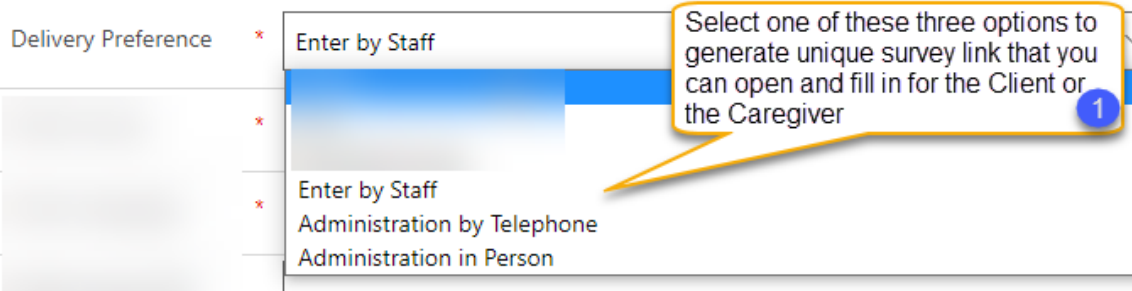
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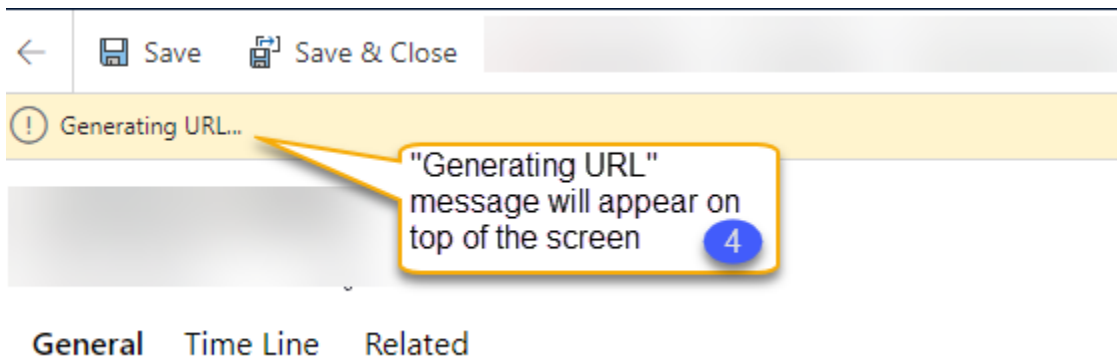
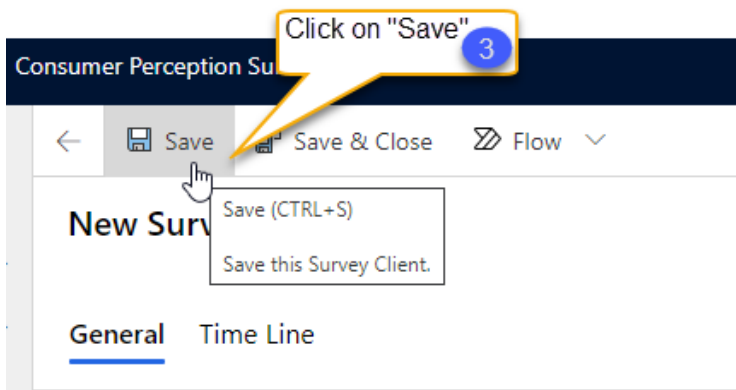
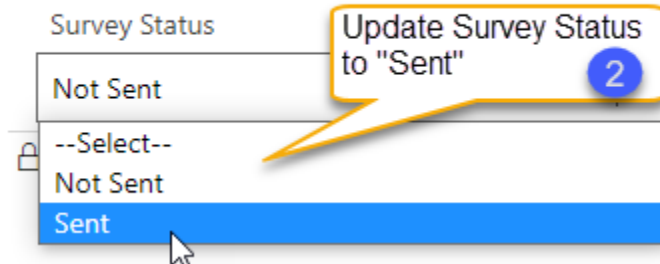
A screenshot of the 'Send Survey To Client' form. The 'Delivery Preference' dropdown is set to 'Cell'. The 'Cell Phone Number' field contains '123-555-5555'. A yellow callout box with the text 'Enter valid Cell phone in the Cell Phone number field' has arrows pointing to the 'Cell' dropdown and the 'Cell Phone Number' field.



3. **Generate unique link for the survey –** When you select “Enter by Staff”, “Administration by Telephone”, or “Administration in Person” the system will generate unique link to the survey. Copy and paste the link from the survey URL field into a new browser window to fill in the survey on behalf of the Client or Caregiver.



### Survey Status Information



lacdmhdev2.crm9.dynamics.com says  
Click the link below to access the survey.

When this pop-up comes up, click OK

OK

### Send Survey To Client:

Name

Delivery Preference \* Enter by Staff

Client Survey \* CPES - Adult Survey Spring 2021

Client Language \* English

Client Survey URL <https://bit.ly/3tUYDVe>

The unique link will be in the Client/Caregiver Survey URL field. Click the icon to open or copy/paste the link to a new browser tab

## How to enter Survey declined by the Client and/or the Caregiver

If Client or Caregiver declined to participate in the Survey, select "Declined Survey" in Delivery Preference field.

### Send Survey To Client:

Name

Delivery Preference \* Declined Survey

Decline Survey \*  
--Select--  
--Select--  
Refuse  
Impaired  
Language  
Other

Select "Declined Survey" in Delivery Preference field. Enter the reason client or caregiver declined the survey.

# How to review Client and/or Caregiver Comments

+ New Survey Client

✓ Name	Survey Recipient	Client Deliv...	Caregiver D...	Comment?	Age in Years	Survey Date	Create...
[blurred]	Sent	Both		No	86	5/13/2021	5/13/2021 ...
[blurred]	Sent	Both		No	15	---	5/13/2021 ...
[blurred]	Sent	Both	Cell	Email	Yes	29	5/13/2021
[blurred]	Sent	Both	Cell	Cell	Yes	59	5/13/2021

Click the Client Name to open the Survey Details **2**

Look for records that have "Yes" in the "Comment" field **1**

Send Survey To Client:

🔒 Name

🔒 Delivery Preference

🔒 Client Survey

🔒 Client Language

🔒 Cell Phone Number

On the Survey Details page look for Client Comment and Caregiver Comment fields.  
 \*\*The field will be hidden if no Comments were left **3**

Survey Comment

🔒 Client Comment

Please provide comments here. We are interested in both positive and negative feedback. Also, if there are areas which were not covered by this questionnaire which you feel should have been, please write them here. Thank you for your time and cooperation in completing this questionnaire. : Comment 2

Who helped you with completing any part of this survey? : Comment 1

🔒 Caregiver Comment

What has been the most helpful thing about the services you and your child received over the last 6 months? : Comment 1

What would improve the services here? : Comment 2

Please provide comments here. We are interested in both positive and negative