

DRGR Release 7.10 OVERVIEW

New Functionality

DRGR Release 7.10 is being deployed in May 2014 with numerous improvements. These improvements include the following (separate Fact Sheets are being developed):

1 User Administration

Currently the request for new accounts and change to accounts is managed via a process outside of the DRGR system. Starting from R7.10 DRGR users are able to submit requests for new DRGR users and also account changes within DRGR. Each request is validated by appropriate users in DRGR and once confirmed by HUD the users are notified that the requested accounts have been set-up. In R7.10 following users have the DRGR privilege to make new or update user requests:

- HUD Field Office Managers
- HUD CPD Reps
- Grantee Administrators

2 **Action Plans**

a. DRGR users can search and view Consolidated Plans maintained in IDIS. Grantees can maintain the Consolidated and Annual Action Plan in IDIS. All DRGR users are able to search these plans from DRGR system.

b. The View and PDF versions of the Action Plan are enhanced to display by project and associated activities.

c. The View and PDF versions of the Action Plan now will display attached images associated with activities. In Action Plan Add/Edit Activity users can attach documents. If the attached documents are image files (jpeg, bmp, png) then the system will show the images in the action plan view/pdf under supporting documents.

d. The grantee can now limit which addresses are displayed in the PDF version of the Action Plan and QPR. In the future when DRGR interfaces with CPD Maps then only the visible address will be displayed on the maps.

e. Manage activity drawdown block dates at the activity level based on project dates. Starting in R7.7 authorized HUD users had the ability to set block drawdown dates at the project or activity level. The project block date also applied to associated activities except if there is an exception at the activity level. The system still does the same as in R7.7 except that now the activity also stores/displays the default activity block dates (project block date).

3. **Performance Reports**

a. The View and PDF versions of the QPRs are now displayed as follows: Project Numbers -> Grantee Activity Numbers, which correlates to the Action Plan.

b. The system now allows for Grantees to classify which of the addresses entered in the system should be displayed on the PDF for Action Plan and QPR. In the future when DRGR interfaces with CPD Maps then only the visible address will be displayed on the maps.

4 **Public Reports (Dashboards)**

a. Rounds of funding

From R7.7 the system has been managing the grant award amount as well as authorization of funds in increments/rounds by the CFO office. The dashboards are being created to simplify display of various rounds of funding.

b. Trend accomplishment and performance reporting analyses

Dashboards summarizing the estimated and actual performance measures similar to the financial dashboards.