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# Introduction

Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) has a need to improve the efficiencies of the outpatient medical scheduling processes through improved visibility of information. VA has created a comprehensive scheduling solution to modernize the Veterans Health Information Systems and Technology Architecture (VistA) Scheduling (VS) product.

## Purpose

The purpose of this document is to provide a summary of the enhancements and defect corrections that make up VS Graphical User Interface (GUI) Release 1.7.9. The release software package is comprised of the following:

* VS GUI application 1.7.9
* VistA M patch SD\*5.3\*790

## Audience

This document targets the administrators and users of the VistA Scheduling package.

# This Release

Please see [Features and Functionality](#_Features_and_Functionality) for a summary of the enhancements and defect corrections implemented with VS GUI Release 1.7.9 and VistA patch SD\*5.3\*790.

# Features and Functionality

The following subsections describe the features included in the VS GUI 1.7.9 package and VistA patch SD\*5.3\*790.

## Enhancements Implemented and Defects Fixes

Table 1 lists the enhancements implemented and defects corrected in VS GUI Release 1.7.9. The work item ID is the Jira issue number.

Table 1: Enhancements and Defects Fixes

| Work Item ID | Summary of Change |
| --- | --- |
| VSE-232 | Parent Multiple Return to Clinic (MRTC) returns to Request Management (RM) Grid when user selects for child request to be closed |
| VSE-940 | GUI crashes when action is taken on an appointment with no resource |
| VSE-978 | Cancel Patient/change Patient Identification (PID) - Updated PID is not displaying on the request after changing the PID date on the cancellation window. |
| VSE-979 | RECALL - Drag and drop writes the request to the RM Grid |
| VSE-1076 | Clinic Search: Clinic name truncation when abbreviation matches |
| VSE-1157 | Ensure Contact Attempts (CA) for Recall Requests are included when converted to APPT |
| VSE-946 | Update error messages for JSON RPC calls |
| VSE-985 | Pre-Check In Indicator |
| VSE-1024 | Redesign User Preferences |
| VSE-1037 | Disable SDRR CLEANUP job |
| VSE-1084 | Update overbook dialog to use new VS window |
| VSE-1093 | Correct defect causing GUI to crash if action is taken on appt missing resource |
| VSE-1094 | Correct code to prevent appts with no resource |
| VSE-1112 | Update so that appointment requests are only reopened for certain cancellation reasons |
| VSE-1127 | Create RPC to return Recall request info from Recall Reminders Removed file |
| VSE-1146 | Modify SDEC FAPPTGET to include eligibility and inactive clinics |
| VSE-1166 | Expand Entry for a cancellation does not show the right clinic and cancellation date/time for an appointment that was entered at the same date and time as the one that was canceled |
| VSE-1171 | Add a check for Cancelled Appointments to the SDEC APPADD RPC |
| VSE-1172 | Address Locking and Performance Issues Identified in VSE-235 Research |
| VSE-1204 | Patient Search keyboard shortcuts do not work on new patient search |

# User Documentation

The documentation distributed with VS GUI Release 1.7.9 is available for download from the VA Software Document Library (VDL).

# Known Issues

All known issues resolved by this release were documented in ServiceNow tickets and/or Jira issues as part of the ongoing, post-warranty, sustainment effort. Appropriate issues, workarounds, and step by step resolutions are documented in Knowledge Base articles and included in the searchable ServiceNow Knowledge Base hosted by the VA Enterprise Service Desk (ESD).