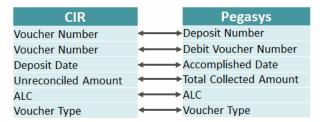
Introduction

- Collections Information Repository (CIR) is a collections reporting tool that receives collection/deposit information from Financial Management Services (FMS) collections systems and settlement mechanisms
 - Prior to 01/2013, Collections Information Repository (CIR) was referred to as Transaction Reporting System (TRS)
- After CIR receives the collection data, GSA retrieves the 3 types of files containing the transaction/settlement information: Detail, Summary, and Detail & Summary (combined)
- The Summary files will be used to perform the reconciliation
- Automatic Reconciliation is run on a daily basis to ensure that CIR records match Pegasys collections
 - The Reconcile Recommended Matches parameter is set to True, therefore records will be reconciled automatically based on system recommended matches
- In the cases when no match is found, manual intervention is necessary to:
 - Research to find the discrepancy
 - Search the CIR Collection Reconciliation Query to locate the Unreconciled records
 - If the Reconciliation Status = Unreconciled w/Recommendations, the user can select the record and click the Retrieve Recommendations button to view Pegasys recommended documents as potential matches
 - Correct the issue (ie. Update or create CR/SV/IP)
- Manually reconcile (using steps outlined here)
- For detailed information, please refer to BAAR User Guide
- CIR vs. Pegasys terminology:

Note: Since a CR will have either a Deposit number OR a Debit Voucher Number, the Voucher Number will be mapped to one or the other based on line type.



Reconciling CIR and Pegasys Collections

- 1. Log into Pegasys
- 2. Navigate to Queries > Accounts Receivable > Centralized Collection Services > CIR Collection Reconciliation Query
- 3. In the CIR Collection section (left portion of the screen) enter any known/applicable CIR values

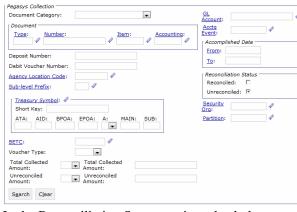
 CIR Collection Reconciliation Query

Voucher Number Voucher Dat Agency Location Code: From: To: Sub-level Prefix: Deposit Date Short Key: From: To: EPOA: A: MAIN: SUB: BPOA: • Partially Reconciled: BETC: Reconciled: Innut System Unreconciled: CIR Detail: • Unreconciled With • Voucher Type Recommendations Voucher Voucher \$0.00 Unreconciled Unreconciled \$0.00 Run Number Security Ora Partition: Search Clear

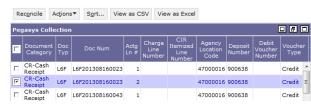
- In the Reconciliation Status section, check the box next to Partially Reconciled, Unreconciled, and Unreconciled with Recommendations
- 5. Select the **Search** Button
 - The records are retuned in the CIR item collections



- 6. Select the CIR record
 - The CIR Collection record is highlighted
 - Note: If the Reconciliation Status =
 Unreconciled w/Recommendations, the user
 can select the record and click the Retrieve
 Recommendations button to view Pegasys
 recommended documents as potential
 matches
- 7. In the Pegasys Collection section (right portion of the screen) enter any known/applicable Pegasys values



- 8. In the Reconciliation Status section, check the box next to **Unreconciled**
- 9. Select the **Search** Button
 - The records are retuned in the Pegasys item collections



- 10. Select the Pegasys CR record
 - The Pegasys Collection record is highlighted and the Reconcile button above the Pegasys record is now enabled

11. Select the **Reconcile** button

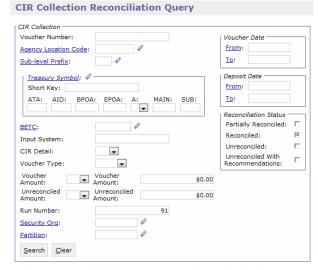
 The CIR Collection record and the Pegasys CR Collection record are successfully reconciled with a Reconciliation Status of Reconciled (or Partially Reconciled)



 Also, the Reconciled record now appears in the Reconciled Activity section



- 1. Log into Pegasys
- 2. Navigate to Queries > Accounts Receivable > Centralized Collection Services > CIR Collection Reconciliation Query
- 3. In the CIR Collection section (left portion of the screen) enter any known/applicable CIR values



- 4. In the Reconciliation Status section, check the box next to **Reconciled**
- 5. Select the **Search** Button
 - The records are retuned in the CIR item collections



- 6. Select the CIR record
 - The CIR Collection record is highlighted and the Unreconcile button becomes enabled
- 7. Select the **Unreconcile** button
 - The previously Reconciled record will now have a Reconciliation Status of Unreconciled on both the CIR and the Pegasys side of the Query



8. The Unreconciled record will be removed from the Reconciled Activity section of the Query





- Pegasys User Guide
- BAAR User Guide
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