

SARATSO NEWSLETTER

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Communication

Treatment providers are required to provide the supervising probation officer, parole agent, or designee with the GEARS generated LS/CMI Profile Report and STABLE-2007 Score Report, along with interpretations of the scores.

Probation and Parole departments are required to provide Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) upon request from a SARATSO Certified Scorer.

If you have questions regarding required communication, please reach out to SARATSO at SARATSO@cdcr.ca.gov.

SARATSO Meeting Update!

The June 2023 SARATSO Meeting is postponed to **Thursday, July 13, 2023**. The updated notification and SARATSO Meeting schedule can be accessed on the [Meetings](#) page of the SARATSO website at www.saratso.org.

2023 SARATSO Quarterly Meeting Schedule

Call Time: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM*

Month	Date
March	3/2/2023**
July	7/13/2023***
September	9/14/2023
December	12/14/2023

Zoom Meeting

* In accordance with Budget Items, the meeting date and format details will be updated to reflect any changes to the meeting date.

** This date is for the meeting with change quarters.

*** This meeting was moved from the first Thursday of the quarter due to a scheduling conflict.

**** This meeting was cancelled due to the June 2023 meeting postponement to July 13, 2023.

GEARS Account Clean Up

SARATSO staff will be performing an audit of GEARS Users. Any outstanding GEARS Invitations that have not been accepted by certified individuals, will be deleted. If you have questions please reach out to SARATSO staff at SARATSO@cdcr.ca.gov.

GEARS Submissions



It has been one calendar year since the implementation of the GEARS platform. SARATSO will be in communication with agencies regarding score submissions for the June 2022 through June 2023 reporting period.

As a kind reminder, certified scorers may access the GEARS Written Guides, Video Tutorials, and Department of Justice (DOJ) Score Submission Procedure on the password protected [Certified Scorers Portal](#).

Static-99R Advisory Workgroup

A select group of Static-99R Trainers met to discuss and update the Static-99R curriculum. The training materials were updated, and will be posted to the password protected Certified Trainers Portal over the summer.

Upcoming Training Opportunities

The following SARATSO hosted training opportunities are currently open for registration on the [SARATSO Trainings](#) page:

- **Static-99R Recertification Training**—August 1, 2023 via Zoom
- **Static-99R Basic Training**– August 8-9, 2023 in-person in Los Angeles, CA
- **LS/CMI Recertification Training**– August 15, 2023 via Zoom
- **Static-99R Training for Trainers (T4T)** —August 22-23, 2023 in-person in Sacramento, CA
- **Stable-2007/Acute-2007 Basic Training**– August 29-30, 2023 in-person in Sacramento, CA
- **Stable-2007/Acute-2007 Recertification Training**– September 7, 2023 via Zoom.

State Authorized Risk Assessment Tools for Sex Offenders (SARATSO) Review Committee

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Sharing Documents and Information

Probation is authorized to share Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) with the certified clinician.



CASOMB Educational Videos: Youth Who Have Committed A Sexual Offense

The CASOMB is charged with identifying and developing recommendations to improve policies and practices for community management of sexual offenders. Recently, CASOMB published an educational video regarding best practices for treatment and supervision of youth who commit a sexual offense.

Please find below links to the English and Spanish version of the video:

English: https://youtu.be/HCSU2x6u_iM

Spanish: <https://youtu.be/8tkXVpS2Ww4>

The videos can also be accessed on the Homepage of the CASOMB website at www.casomb.org.

Communication

In accordance with the CASOMB Provider Agency Certification Requirements:

“The certified sex offender management professional shall *communicate* with the offender’s probation officer or parole agent on a regular basis, *but at least once a month*, about the offender’s progress in the program and dynamic risk assessment issues, and shall share pertinent information with the certified polygraph examiner as required.”
(Penal Code § 290.09)

Front line clinical staff should be included in containment team meetings and should be directly communicating progress updates to supervising officers/agents.



NEW! CASOMB Board Members

CASOMB welcomes the following Board members:

- Laura Lomeli, Representing Law Enforcement

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