Workflow and the Banner 8 Release

FAQ For Existing and Prospective Workflow Clients

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What is the expected release date of Workflow 8.0?

Workflow 8.0 is currently scheduled for the second half of 2008.

What release of Workflow will be available with the Banner 8.0 release?

Workflow 4.4.1 has been tested in our UDC test center and will be available to use with Banner 8.0. This testing will not include support for a Banner 8.0 installation that utilized Identity Management. The Identity Management compatible release of workflow will be in the Workflow 8.0 release.

What support of Banner 8 will Workflow 4.4.1 supply?

As with any major Banner release, a new bootstrap will be available to import any changes to Banner Forms entries in the Workflow Business Component Catalog. As always this bootstrap can be utilized with the “where used” workflow tool to see if any Banner 8.0 Key Block changes affect your Workflow models.

Will Workflow 8.0 support Identity Management?

Workflow 8.0 will support the same incoming provisioning and authentication capabilities that are being released with Banner INB, Self-Service, and Luminis in the Banner 8.0 release.

What does Identity Management mean for Workflow?

Besides those products releasing in April, Workflow is one of the initial UDC Applications that will support the UDC Identity Management Service. By being able to be part of an external authentication solution, Workflow will also eventually gain additional benefits in its ability to transparently SSO and use other applications that use the same external authentication.