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**PROJECT MANAGEMENT – BEFORE**

Old project management process:
- No central location to collect data requests (majority received through email).
- IKM office uses Oracle CMS to track all project activity.
- IKM’s Business Analyst runs a weekly query in the CMS and sends reminder emails to all staff members with overdue projects.
- IKM staff members update their projects in the CMS as needed.

**NEW SAS VA PROJECT DASHBOARD**

Overview of all projects sorted by due date. Includes color-coded indicators: Red – overdue Orange – < 5 days Yellow – 5 to 9 days Green – 10+ days

New project management process:
- Data requests are entered into a Qualtrics survey, results are routed to a shared email.
- IKM implemented a new project management team (composed of subunit leaders and the Business Analyst) that meets twice a week to review and assign new data requests. The team also reviews overdue/near due projects using the new SAS VA project dashboard.
- Oracle CMS is still used to track project notes and progress. The project dashboard is linked to the CMS and is updated periodically throughout the day.
- The dashboard provides a quick view of projects that require attention.
- All IKM staff have access to the dashboard.

**PROJECT MANAGEMENT – AFTER**

Detailed view of selected project including recent notes from the CMS

Projects by developer with status breakout includes red indicator for projects that have not been assigned yet (interacts with due date summary & overview)