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MBD Eligibility Inquiry

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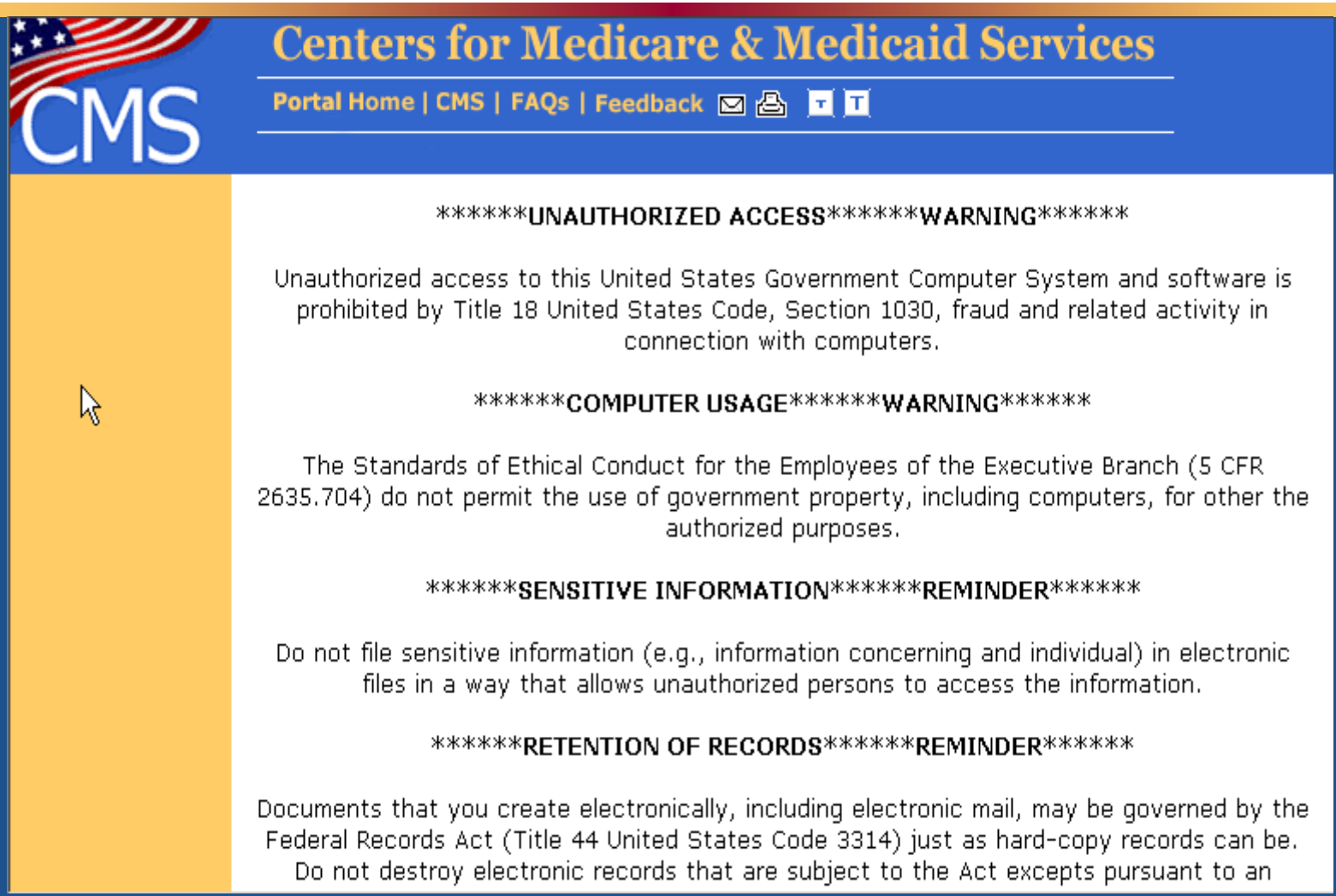
Eligibility Inquiry Initiative

- CMS Eligibility Portal
- Beneficiary Eligibility User Interface (MBD UI):
  - Redesign of the existing MBD GUI, includes additional elements of information
- High Level Differences of:
  - The existing MBD GUI; and
  - The new Eligibility Inquiry User Interface (MBD UI)

CMS Eligibility Portal

- *Characteristics*
  - Common Gateway to new applications:
    - New MBD User Interface
    - MARx User Interface
    - IACS
    - All future applications
  - Accessible via public web site https://applications.cms.hhs.gov/
  - Picture of Portal

CMS Eligibility Portal



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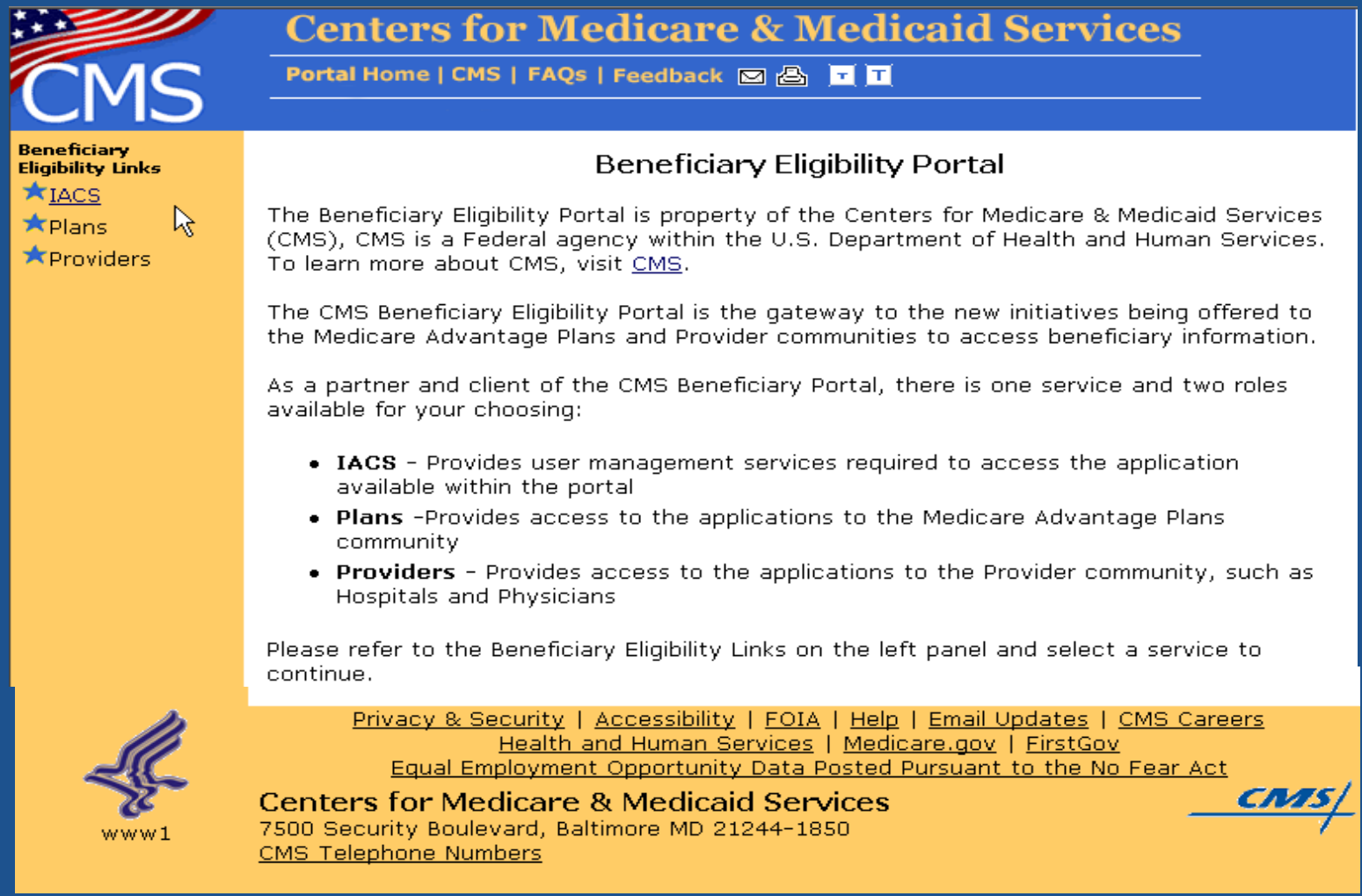

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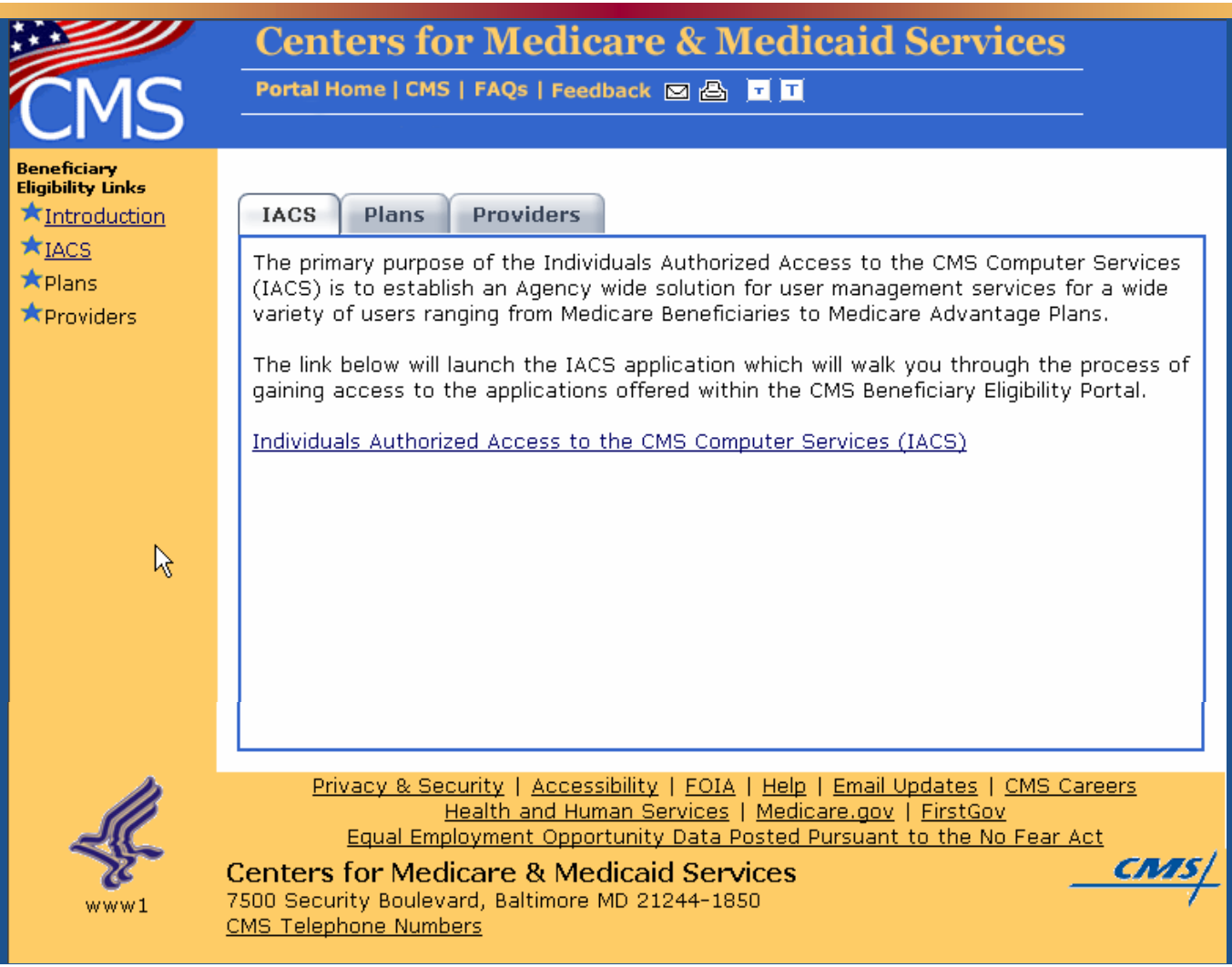

Current Application
MBD Graphical User Interface (GUI)

- *Characteristics*
  - Physical Installation (Client Server application)
  - Limited Access (Medicare Data Communications Network (MDCN))
  - Upgrade Management (new functionality needs to be pushed)
  - Access to beneficiary level information
  - Picture of GUI

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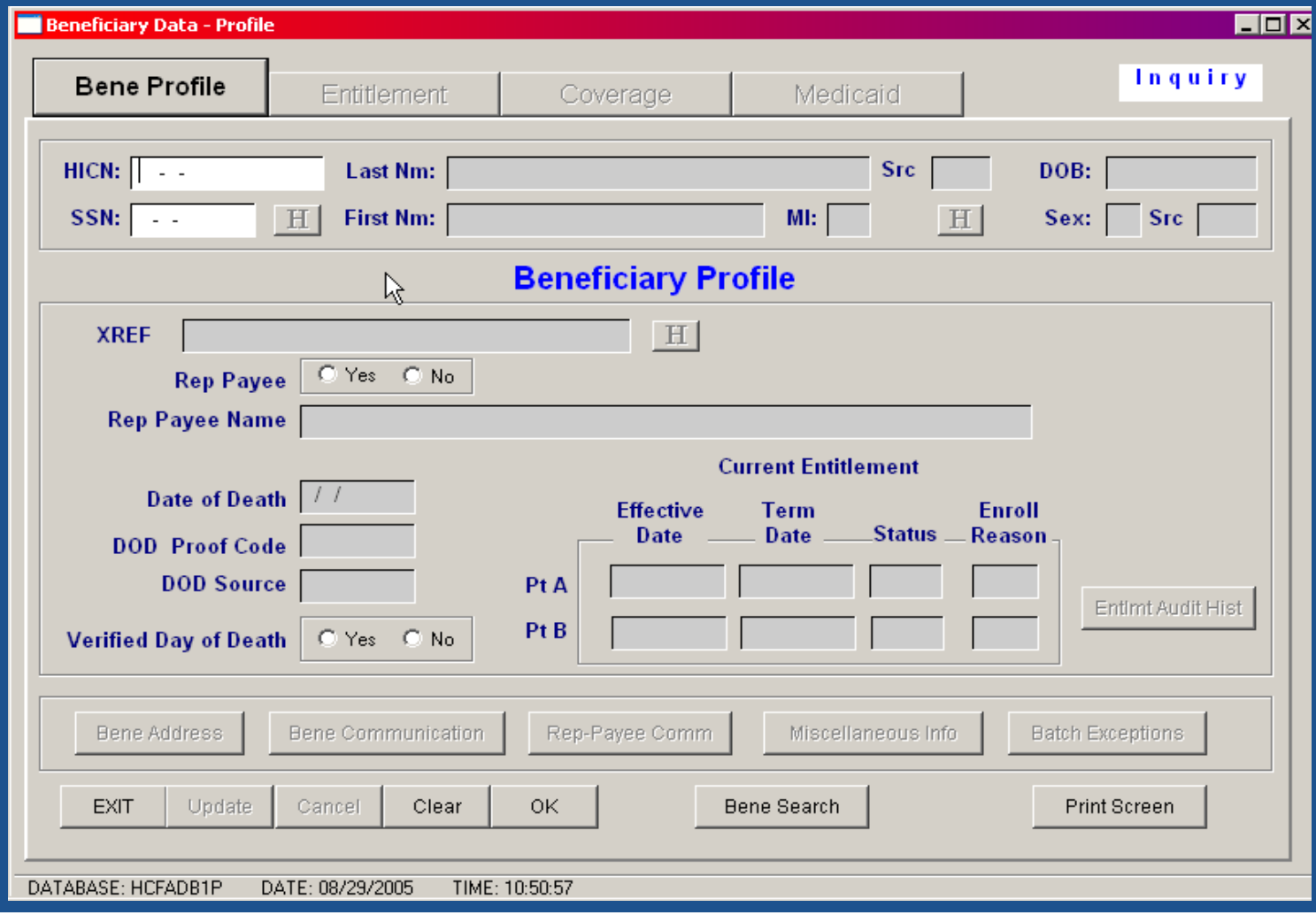
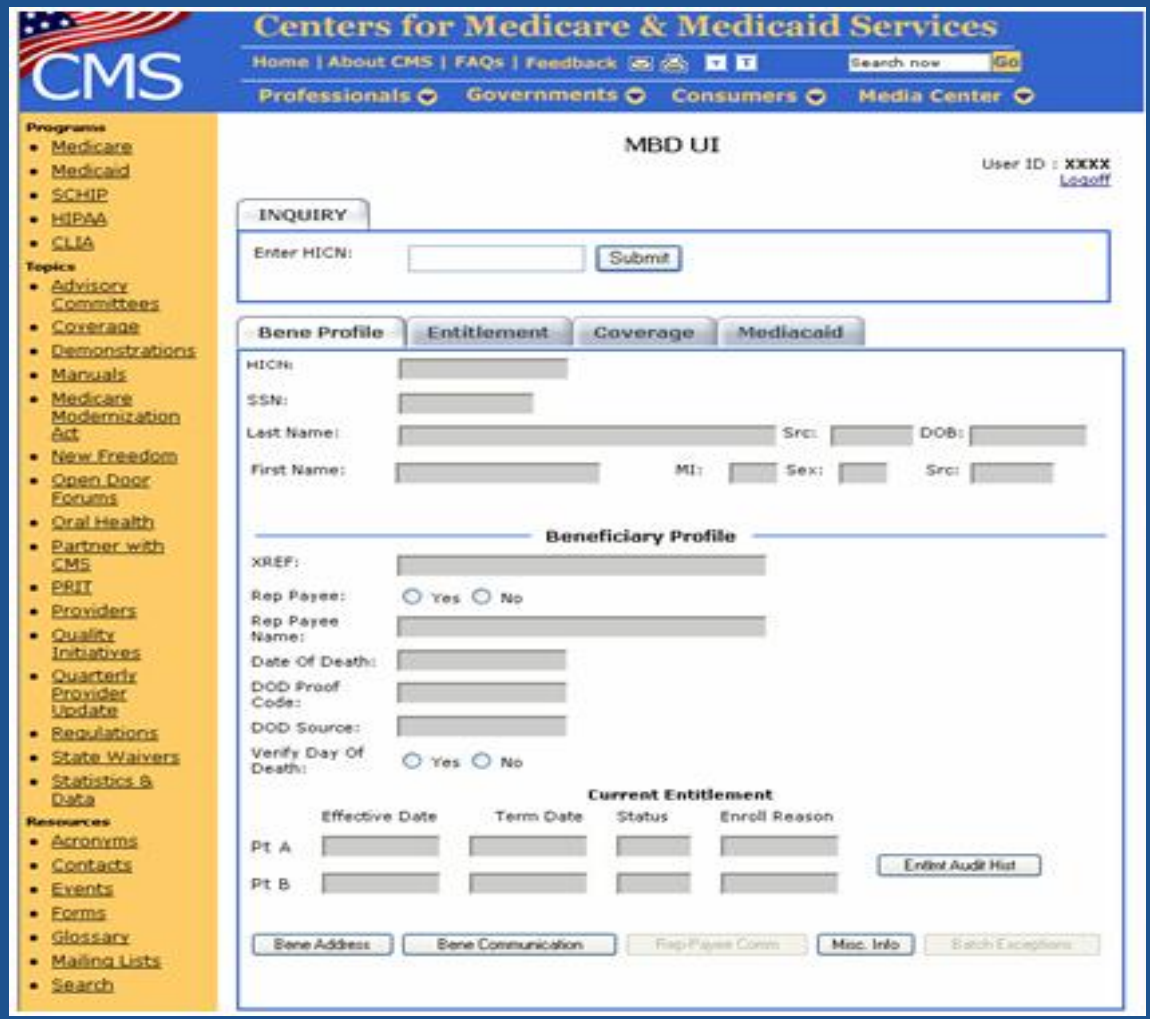


New Eligibility Inquiry Application (MBD UI)

- *Characteristics*
  - Accessible via a public web-site
  - Requires a User-id and password
  - No physical installation required; Browser based App
  - Access to target Beneficiary level information

New Eligibility Inquiry Application (MBD UI)



Summary

- Phased approach to convert all existing MBD GUI functionality over the Web.
- The MBD GUI will continue to be operational.
- The Eligibility Inquiry UI will continue to grow.
- The Unified Portal will be the gateway to access CMS's applications.