

## Creating a New Contract: Using an Existing Contract (Importing)

1.	After logging in to iCS, click the click the <b>Documents View</b> icon (if necessary).
2.	Click on the <b>Personal</b> tab (if necessary)
3.	Navigate to the <b>Folder</b> , within the Personal tab, where the document will be stored while
	in development.
	Note: If the document is not in an electronic format, it will need to be scanned and
	uploaded as a PDF file.
4.	Use the <b>Import</b> icon or <b>Drag and Drop</b> functionality
	a. Import Icon
	1. Click the <b>Import</b> icon
	2. Click the <b>Browse</b> button
	3. Find the file you want to import and double click OR click on it once to
	highlight it and then click the <b>Open</b> button
	4. Click the <b>Add Files</b> command button
	5. Click the <b>Next</b> command button
	b. Drag and Drop
	<ol> <li>Click the document icon of the contract to import; hold down the mouse</li> </ol>
	button
	<ol><li>"Drag" the icon onto the system screen</li></ol>
	3. When the cursor icon displays copy release the mouse button to "Drop" the
	contract into the system
	Note: Contracts can be dragged and dropped directly from an email attachment
	from Microsoft Outlook, but not from Webmail. If drag and drop fails, ensure 1)
	the screen resolution is set to 100% and 2) that you are using Internet Explorer.
5.	Within the Import: Object Definition window, select the:
	Type: Contract
6.	Enter information in ALL fields on the Import: Object Definition window
	IMPORTANT: The fields on this tab populate the contract metadata. Metadata is used in
	searching and reporting. These fields have all been determined to be critical in those
	functions.
7.	Click the <b>Finish</b> command button
	Note: Contracts can also be dragged and dropped directly from an email attachment from
	Microsoft Outlook but not from webmail.

## Additional Information:

## **Entry Standards**

- Use standard naming conventions
- Health Care Services section is primarily used by UIC
- Do *NOT* complete the sections for University Contract Records Office (UCRO) or Capital Programs