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## Change History

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Change	See	Date
<b>Release of Document for 12.6(1) ES65</b> Enable or disable outbound Dialer from redialing or retrying failed personal callbacks.	Dialer registry settings table in Registry Settings chapter	July 2023
<b>Initial Release of Document for Release 12.6(1)</b>		May 2021
Graceful Shutdown feature is introduced	Graceful Shutdown	

## About This Guide

This manual provides conceptual, installation, and configuration information about the Cisco Unified Contact Center Enterprise (Unified CCE) Outbound Option application (formerly called “Blended Agent”). It also provides verification checklists and troubleshooting information to ensure that the Outbound Option installation and configuration setup is successful.

For detailed Outbound Option Components field descriptions, see the online help.



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**Note** Successfully completing the Outbound Option installation also requires use of the *Staging Guide for Cisco Unified ICM/Contact Center Enterprise*. See <https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/support/customer-collaboration/unified-contact-center-enterprise/tsd-products-support-series-home.html> for the complete set of Cisco Unified ICM/Contact Center Enterprise software manuals.

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## Audience

This document is intended for contact center supervisors and contact center technology experts who perform the following functions using Outbound Option:

- **System Administrators** – The installer/partner who sets up the Unified CCE system to support Outbound Option and installs and integrates the Outbound Option components.
- **Administrator** – The administrator responsible for configuration tasks, such as adding agents, skill groups, campaigns, and scripts necessary for ongoing activity.
- **Supervisors/Business users** – These users might perform such tasks as modifying a query rule, adjusting the lines per agent, or enabling or disabling a campaign. This group of users also read and interpret reports to help them run their business.
- **Sales** – A secondary audience, interested primarily in conceptual information.

## Related Documents

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Related documentation includes the documentation sets for:

- Cisco CTI Object Server (CTI OS)
- Cisco Unified Contact Center Management Portal
- Cisco Unified Customer Voice Portal (CVP)
- Cisco Unified IP IVR
- Cisco Unified Intelligence Center
- Cisco Finesse
- Documentation for Unified CM is also accessible through <https://www.cisco.com/cisco/web/psa/default.html>.
- Technical Support documentation and tools are accessible from: <https://www.cisco.com/en/US/support/index.html>.

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Convention	Description
<b>boldface font</b>	<p>Boldface font is used to indicate commands, such as user entries, keys, buttons, folder names, and submenu names.</p> <p>For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Choose <b>Edit</b> &gt; <b>Find</b>.</li><li>• Click <b>Finish</b>.</li></ul>
<i>italic font</i>	<p>Italic font is used to indicate the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To introduce a new term. Example: A <i>skill group</i> is a collection of agents who share similar skills.</li><li>• A syntax value that the user must replace. Example: IF (<i>condition, true-value, false-value</i>)</li><li>• A book title. Example: See the <i>Cisco Unified Contact Center Enterprise Installation and Upgrade Guide</i>.</li></ul>
window font	<p>Window font, such as Courier, is used for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Text as it appears in code or that the window displays. Example: <code>&lt;html&gt;&lt;title&gt;Cisco Systems, Inc. &lt;/title&gt;&lt;/html&gt;</code></li></ul>
< >	<p>Angle brackets are used to indicate the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For arguments where the context does not allow italic, such as ASCII output.</li><li>• A character string that the user enters but that does not appear on the window such as a password.</li></ul>