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INTRODUCTION

HHS Learning Portal/LMS: These terms are used interchangeably and refer to the same system. The Learning Management System (LMS) is a Department-wide system for managing, accessing, and tracking training. As a Department-wide system, the overall LMS is managed at the HHS level – hence the name HHS Learning Portal. Following are some concepts and terms you should understand before beginning to perform administrative tasks in the LMS.

LEARNER PROFILE

The Learner Profile contains information about the learner such as employee status, start date, name, and organization. The profile does not contain personally identifiable information such as the employee’s social security number or date of birth.

The Learner Profile receives data from the following sources on a nightly basis:

- NIH Enterprise Directory (NED)
- Capital HR
- Commissioned Corp Personnel Database

Anyone given an NIH Enterprise Directory (NED) account will automatically be given an LMS account. Due to the nightly updates, all data changed in the learner profile will be overwritten, with the exception of the learner e-mail and manager fields.

The Learner Profile fields with which you should be most concerned are:

- **E-mail**: Accurate email addresses in the LMS will ensure learners receive notifications generated in the LMS.
- **Manager**: Having the correct manager listed will allow managers to view their direct reports and access training and development information about them. An alternate manager can be assigned if the manager field cannot be changed due to a data feed.
- **Organization**: People are grouped in the LMS according to Organization/SAC Code. (See Appendix A.) This code is used to build audience types (which restrict access to courses), narrow the scope of reports, etc. This code must be correct or learners will neither show up in reports correctly nor have access to the correct training opportunities.

DOMAINS

Domains (a.k.a. Security Domains) in the LMS are used to segment users into hierarchical groups of people who should all have the same basic security permissions. The HHS Learning Portal is comprised of many domains; some of which are strictly dedicated to NIH and its staff and learning resources. (See Appendix C for a graphic depiction.)

These domains allow for the partitioning of the following components that may be managed by various administrator security roles:
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<td>Locations, facilities, and rooms</td>
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<td>User accounts</td>
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NIH has its own domain to ensure that all NIH employees and contractors have access to NIH-specific training resources. Having an NIH domain also prevents users in other domains (other agencies within HHS) from viewing and accessing NIH-specific training resources.

LMS users are unable to see information in domains that are at a higher or equal level in the hierarchy. Their permissions trickle down, which means they can see items in their own domain and sub-domains only. NIH staff can access training in the NIH domain and sub-domains, as well as the HHS Common domain.

The following are all sub-domains of the NIH domain:

- NIH Training Center (NIHTC)
- Clinical Center (CC)
- Center for Information Technology (CIT)
- Office of Research Services (ORS)
- National Institutes of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)
- NIH Common

For a graphic representation of the HHS Learning Portal domain structure please refer to Appendix C of this document.

**SECURITY ROLES**

Security Roles further define the permissions of individual users in a domain. Most of the security roles in the LMS are ‘tied’ to the domain (e.g., a user assigned the People Administrator security role at the NIH domain has access to manage NIH components, as well as those in NIH sub-domains).

Every user in the LMS has the security role of Learner. If you are designated as the Manager in someone’s Learner Profile, you will automatically have the role of Manager/Supervisor as well.

Domain-Specific Security Roles include:

- Learning Administrator
- Content Administrator
- Domain System Administrator
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There is one Security Role that is defined by Organization/SAC code instead of the domain – Local Learning Registrar (LLR). This restricts the LLR to performing actions associated with Learners within a specific Institute or Center (IC) only.

PEOPLE ADMINISTRATOR ROLE

The LMS People Administrator role allows users to manage and administer people and certain components within the LMS. The People Administrator role is divided into two separate roles: ‘People’ and ‘HR.’

With the People role you will be able to:

- View and edit account profiles for learners
- View and edit transcripts for learners
- Add external learning to transcripts
- View enrollments, curricula, certifications, courses, and competencies assigned to learners
- Manage learning plans
- Create, edit, and administer surveys
- View and create multi-rater competency assessments, and approve/reject raters
- Assign training items via prescriptive rules
- Run, export, email, and subscribe to various reports

With the HR role you will be able to:

- View internal and external organization information
- Manage job roles, jobs, and job families
- View, edit, and create new competencies and competency groups
- Manage Locations and Facilities
- Manage Learning Plans
- Run, export, email, and subscribe to various reports

This user manual will guide you through the privileges assigned to a People Administrator, including both of the roles described above.
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LMS TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Audience Types - Audience Types are used to group learners in the system. Similarly, Audience Sub-Types allow for the further grouping of learners within an Audience Type. These groups can then be used to control access to learning offerings in the LMS:

- by associating audience types and subtypes at the course level;
- attaching audience types with seat percentages at the delivery type level; and,
- specifying seat numbers for audience subtypes at the offering level.

Certification – A predefined set of courses that have been grouped together, with a deadline for completion. Credentials earned by completing the certification may expire on a predetermined date.

Closing a Competency Gap – A competency gap can be closed by increasing the calculated gap number to zero or higher. Closing the gap can be accomplished by completing or updating a learner self-assessment, or a manager/supervisor assessment, usually after relevant training has been completed or additional experience has been gained.

Competency – A competency is a skill, knowledge, or behavior that can be measured, calculated, acquired, specified, or tested. Examples of competencies include “Java Programming”, “Written Communications”, “Product Knowledge”, and “People Skills”. Assigned competencies “required” and assessed competencies are “held.”

Competency Gap – This is a measure of the learner’s current competency proficiency minus his/her required competency proficiency level. This value indicates how much training, development, and learning is needed in order to make measurable increases to performance.

Course – A course is organized training with planned objectives for learners to complete. Courses may be offered using a variety of delivery types and may have multiple offerings.

Curriculum – A predefined set of courses that have been grouped together. A learner must complete all courses to complete the curriculum.

Delivery Type – A delivery type is the method through which the course content will be presented to learners. Some examples of delivery types are: Online Training, Traditional Classroom, Books, Video, and Webcast.

Descriptors – Behavioral descriptors are descriptions associated with competency proficiency levels. They are intended to help establish an anchor that raters and viewers can use when assessing the proficiency level of a learner.

Enrollment – An offering that a learner is registered for, but has not yet completed.

Facility – A facility is the actual building at a specific location. An example would be Building 31, which is part of the NIH Main Campus location.

Job Families – A job family is a collection of related jobs.

Job Roles – Roles identify specific skills required to perform a job. Roles can be shared across multiple jobs. Role definitions may include:
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- Competencies — competencies required to perform the role (including criticality of the competency and minimum required proficiency)
- Certifications — certifications required to perform the role.
- Curricula — curricula required to perform the role.
- Attachments — additional information about the job role.

Jobs – In the LMS, jobs are listed according to the OPM job series number. A job can be a collection of roles. It can inherit the competencies, certifications, curricula and attachments of the associated roles. Job definitions may include:
- Roles — define the functional responsibilities for the job.
- Next career steps — other jobs that represent likely promotion paths for people who hold the job.
- Attachments — additional information about the job function.

Learning Plan – Learning plans allow learners to keep track of learning offerings and other tasks needed for general development. Every LMS learner has a single learning plan. Learners can set or view the progress of each item in their learning plan. In addition, users with certain privileges (like managers) can also view progress on the learning plan items.

Location – A location is either a geographic location, such as Bethesda, or the name that serves as an identifier, such as NIH Main Campus.

Multi-Rater Assessment (MRA) – A multi-rater assessment (MRA) is a method by which a learner’s competencies are assessed by supervisors, peers, subordinates, and customers.

Offering – An offering is the specific date and time a course will be presented to learners. In most cases, offerings are limited to specific dates, times, locations, facilities, and rooms. The exception would be self-paced courses, such as online training, where the offering is available to the learner at any time. Offerings are often referred to as classes.

Order – An order is created when an administrator signs another person up for an offering.

Prescriptive Rule – Prescriptive rules are used to dynamically assign goals or learning (offerings, courses, certifications, curricula, etc.) to people as a group. Prescriptive rules are defined to assign the prescribed goals/learning.

Proficiency Level – Proficiency levels represent the scale on which a competency is measured. Examples of the proficiency levels used at NIH include “Fundamental Awareness”, “Novice”, “Intermediate”, “Advanced”, and “Expert”.

Ratee – The employee whose competencies are being rated.

Rater – An individual who is completing a competency assessment of someone else.

Registration – A registration is created when a learner signs up for an offering.

Room – A room is a designated space, such as a conference room, classroom, or auditorium, found within a specific facility. An example would be Conference Room A in Building 31.

Security Role – A security role is a set of privileges assigned to a user. A user can be a learner, a manager, an alternate manager, a registrar, an instructor, or an administrator. The permissions granted to a user through a security role apply to the specified domain.
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**Session Template** – A session template is a general format used to show the learner when a course is being offered. Session templates should contain the day and time the offering will be held. Examples of session templates are:

- Mon 9 – 11
- Mon - Wed 9 – 5
- Mon, Wed, Fri 1 – 4:30

**Surveys** – A survey is a questionnaire that a respondent uses to evaluate a service or provide general feedback.

**Transcript** – a record or history of training taken by a learner
WORKING WITH LEARNER PROFILES

PEOPLE - INTERNAL

The LMS learner Profile contains information about each learner in the system. You may also designate Alternate Managers, Alternate Team Members, and the Additional Approver for Orders in the learner profile. All other information is populated in the learner profile by the NIH Enterprise Directory (NED), Capital HR (EHRP), and Commission Corps data feeds.

IMPORTANT! Although you may view the security role privileges assigned to a learner, you are NOT authorized to add or delete security role privileges. If you feel it is necessary to change the security role privileges of a learner, you must submit a ticket to the HR Systems Support Help Desk at: http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm.

VIEW AND EDIT A LEARNER PROFILE

1. Click the Admin icon.

2. Enter the learner’s name in the Name(s) search field and click Search.

   NOTE: To view acceptable formats for searching, click the Help icon to the right of the Name(s) search field.

3. Click the Actions link in the View column.

4. Select the Edit Profile Information link in the Actions popup bubble.

   NOTE: If you do not find the account you are looking for, try using the Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.
**IMPORTANT!** The majority of HR Information in the Learner Profile is populated by automated data feeds from the Capital HR, NED, and/or Commission Corp databases. If any of the information is incorrect, it must be corrected in the source system and not the LMS.

5. The learner’s profile will be displayed.

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**VERIFY AND ADD A LEARNER’S EMAIL**

A learner’s email address must be correct in order for them to receive emails generated by the LMS (e.g., registration confirmation, cancelation notifications, etc.). The learner’s email address comes to the LMS via the NED data feed. If it is incorrect, update the email address in the learner’s NED profile and it will be updated in the LMS the following day. Additional email addresses can be added.

Follow the steps below to verify a learner’s email and add an additional email address.

1. On the main Edit Profile screen, click the **Contact Information** tab.
2. To add an email address, click **Add Email**.

3. Add the **New email** address.

4. Indicate it is the primary email address by clicking the **Primary** checkbox, if applicable.

5. Click **Save**.
CHANGING AN ADDITIONAL APPROVER FOR ORDERS (AAO)

There are situations where the Additional Approver for Orders (AAO) must be changed. The People Administration role is the only LMS role that has permissions to do this (Local Learning Registrars cannot). Follow the steps below to change an Additional Approver for Orders.

1. On the main Edit Profile screen, click the Additional Approver for Orders pick icon.

![Image](image.png)

2. Enter the search criteria for the manager then click Search.

3. Click the Select checkbox for the person that will be designated as the Additional Approver for Orders.

4. Scroll to the bottom of the Edit Profile screen and click Save.

   **Note:** Once saved, the Additional Approver for Order is displayed as the person’s LMS username. To determine who the person is in the Additional Approver for Order field, copy the username and then click the Additional Approver for Orders picker icon. Then paste it into the Username field and click Search.
ADD AN ALTERNATE MANAGER

There are situations where a learner requires someone other than, or in addition to, the person specified in the Manager Field to perform managerial tasks such as approvals. In these situations, a Local Learning Registrar or People Administrator can add one or more people to the Alternate Manager section of the learner’s profile.

Follow the steps below to add an Alternate Manager.

1. While viewing the Edit Profile screen, click the **Add Alternate Manager link**.

2. Enter the search criteria for the Alternate Manager then click **Search**.

3. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the first name of the Alternate Manager.
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4. Click the **Select button**.

![Search Person, Internal](image)

5. The name of the Alternate Manager will now be listed in the learner's profile.

![Alternate Managers](image)

**NOTE**: You can add as many Alternate Managers as needed. Alternate Managers will receive the same LMS notifications and privileges as managers.
VIEW A LEARNER’S PROFILE SNAPSHOT

The snapshot of a learner's profile provides a summary of information about the learner. You can view the learner profile snapshot by following the instructions provided below.

1. Select the Admin icon.

2. Enter the learner’s name in the search box and click Search.

   NOTE: If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The Advanced Search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

3. Click the Manage Profile Snapshot to the right of the correct learner.
4. You are now viewing the **Snapshot** tab of the learner's profile. Here you will find a quick view of basic learner information.
5. Click the **Full Profile** tab.

**NOTE:** To view details about an individual section of the profile, click the **Expansion (>)** button to the left of each section heading. To view details about all sections at once, click the **Expand All** link at the top of the page.
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**Current Job Information** – includes job type, organization, manager and alternate manager, direct reports and alternate team members, and required and optional job roles (which you may add). (You will learn more about roles later.)

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| **Developmental Needs (Top Three)** |
| **Competency Name** | **Source** | **Source Name** | **Required Proficiency** | ** Held Proficiency** |
| NIH Coaching | Self | NIH Learner | 3 |
| NIH Federal Budget Process | Jonathan LAPPIN | 3 |
| NIH External and Organizational Awareness | Jonathan LAPPIN | 3 |
**Licenses and Certifications** – any certification earned within the LMS will be listed, and you may also add external certifications the learner has earned.

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**Languages** – lists languages that the learner has some experience with, and you may add to this list for the learner as well.

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6. Click the **Resource** tab. This tab will allow you to designate the person as a resource as an instructor to assign to a class.
MANAGING JOBS AND ROLES

JOBS

In the HHS Learning Portal, jobs are based on OPM job series codes. They are created automatically by the Capital HR and Commissioned Corps data feeds that these systems have with the LMS. As a result, Jobs are never manually created.

**IMPORTANT!** Jobs can be viewed for informational purposes only. Never create or delete them.

**VIEW JOBS**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click on the **HR** tab.
3. Click on the **Jobs** link.
4. Enter criteria and select **Search**.

**IMPORTANT!** Do not delete any of the jobs that are listed.

3. Click the **Name** of a job to see details about it.

**IMPORTANT!** Do not edit any details of a job.
### ROLES

Roles may be used to group functional skills needed by groups of people. Competencies, Certifications, Curricula, Attachments, Learning Recommendations, and Continuing Education Requirements can all be added to roles.

Once created, a Role may be assigned to a Learner from the **Current Job Information** section of a Learner’s **Full Profile**. This makes everything associated with the Role available to the Learner. When modifications are made to a Role, the change is reflected in the profile of any Learner associated with the modified Role.

#### VIEW A ROLE

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.
2. Click on the **HR** tab.
3. Click on the **Roles** link.
4. Enter search criteria in the Name field then click **Search**.
5. Click on the role **Name** link to see its details.
6. On the Role Details Main tab, the information as needed then click **Save** when you are finished.
CREATE A ROLE

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the HR tab.

3. Select Roles from the menu on the left.

4. Next click on the New Role link.

5. On the New Role screen enter the Name of the new role; add a Description, then select NIH for the Domain.

6. Click Save.
NOTE: On the Role Details screen, you should add yourself as the Owner and designate any common competency, certification, curriculum, etc. that all people with this job role should possess. Click the appropriate Add link and follow the prompts to find the exact item you want to add. Be sure to click Save when you are finished.
USING COMPETENCIES, SURVEYS & ASSESSMENTS

COMPETENCIES

A competency is a skill, knowledge, or behavior that can be measured, calculated, acquired, specified, or tested. Examples of competencies include “Java Programming”, “Written Communications”, “Product Knowledge”, and “People Skills”. A competency consists of one or more proficiency levels, which represent the scale on which the competency is measured. Examples of proficiency levels used at NIH include “Fundamental Awareness”, “Novice”, “Intermediate”, “Advanced”, and “Expert”.

You may find more information about NIH competencies on the NIH OHR web site at http://hr.od.nih.gov/workingatinh/competencies/default.htm. NIH competencies have already been added to the LMS. You should use the NIH competencies that have previously been entered.

Please contact the NIH Competencies Team in the NIH Training Center (http://trainingcenter.nih.gov/contact.html) before deciding to add any additional competencies to the LMS. Because required competency assessment information often has to be reported to the Department and OPM, it is important to maintain standards within NIH to facilitate thorough reporting.

As a People Administrator, you are able to view a learner’s required and held competencies.

VIEW LEARNER COMPETENCIES

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Select Competencies link from the menu on the left.

3. Enter the learner’s name in the search box and click Search.
NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

4. Select the View required link to the right of the correct learner.
   
   NOTE: View required will list all competencies. View Held will only list competencies that have been assessed at least once.

5. You may filter the list of Required/Held Competencies using the options in the View By drop-down menu.

6. Click the Competency Name to view details about any competency in the list.

7. The Source column indicates how the competency was assigned, and Required Level, Held Level, and Gap are shown as well.

View training related to competencies: As a People Administrator, you can view all training in the LMS that directly relates to the competency. Follow these steps to view the LMS courses related to the learner’s competencies.

1. Follow the steps to view a learner’s competencies. (See page 29)

2. Click the Actions link in the Actions column.
3. Click Close Gap to view all training in the LMS that is related to the competency.

NOTE: As a People Administrator, you may select any of the listed courses and create an order to register the learner. (Orders are covered later in this manual.)

VIEWING ASSESSMENTS: As a People Administrator, you may view the results of any assessments done for learners’ competencies. Follow these steps to view the assessment results of an assessed competency.

1. Follow the steps to view a learner’s competencies. (See page 29)
2. While viewing required/held competencies, click the **Actions** link associated with the competency.

   **Select View Assessments** from the Actions bubble.

3. The **Competency Assessments** screen lists all assessments made for the competency. It gives the **Date** the assessment occurred, the **Method** (source) of the assessment, the **Level** assessed, whether the rating is **In Calculation**, and any **Comments** that were made.

4. Click the **Actions** link in the actions column.

5. Click the **View Assessment Details** link in the **Actions** bubble.
6. You will now see the details of the assessment shown in a new window.

SEARCH FOR AND VIEW COMPETENCY DETAILS

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the HR tab.

3. Click on the Competencies link on the left hand side of the page.

4. From the Competency screen, enter the appropriate criteria and click Search.
5. Click the Name of a competency to view details, such as Description, Proficiency Indicators, Descriptors, Weights, Groups, and Attachments.

**IMPORTANT!** You should not edit the details of any competency that you did not create.

**CREATE COMPETENCY GROUPS**

Competency Groups can be used to simplify searching for a set of related competencies. The NIH Competencies Team at the NIH Training Center has created competency groups in the LMS that correspond to the Competencies Dictionary and the Suggested Competency Models, as found on the NIH Training Center website (http://hr.od.nih.gov/workingatnih/competencies/default.htm).

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

   ![HHS Learning Portal](HHS_Learning_Portal.png)

2. Click on the **HR** tab.

3. Click on the **Competencies Group** link on the left hand side of the page.
4. Click the **New Competency Group** link.

![New Competency Group](image)

**NOTE:** Search existing competency groups to determine whether your desired grouping already exists before creating a new one.

![New Competency Group](image)

5. In the **Name** field, enter “NIH” followed by a descriptive identifier for the group.
6. In the **Description** field, enter a brief explanation of the relationship between the competencies included in the group.
7. In the **Parent Name** field, only enter a value if the new Competency Group will be a sub-set of an existing Competency Group.
8. The **Domain** field defaults to “NIH” and should not be changed.
9. Click **Save**.
10. Click the **Add Competency** link to add competencies to the group.
11. From the **Add Competency** pop-up, search for the competencies to be added to the group.

12. Select the check box to the left of the competency to be added to the group.

13. Click **Select**.

14. Repeat Steps 10 through 13 until all desired competencies are added to the group.
CREATE A NEW COMPETENCY

Remember to consult the NIH Competencies Team in the NIH Training Center (http://trainingcenter.nih.gov/contact.html) before deciding to add any additional competencies to the LMS.

1. Select the Admin Icon.
2. Click on the HR tab.
3. Click on the Competencies link on the left hand side of the page.
4. Click the New Competency link.
5. Enter a name for the competency in the Name field prefaced by “NIH”.

IMPORTANT! When adding a New Competency, the Name field must always start with NIH, and then the IC if the competency is specific to that IC.
6. In the **Description** field, enter a brief narrative of the competency.

7. The domain should be set to NIH which is the default setting.

8. Click **Save**.

   **NOTE:** You have saved successfully when you see the Competency Details screen.

9. Click the **Proficiency Indicators** tab.

   **NOTE:** Competencies can be rated either by Proficiency Levels or by Behavioral Indicators. Proficiency Levels should match those used by NIH, while Behavioral Indicators can be added by using **Add Behavioral Indicators** at the bottom of the screen.
10. Click the **Descriptors** tab to Add, edit, or delete competency descriptors as needed.

11. Click the **Weights** tab.
12. Adjust the numbers in the **Rating Weight** field as needed and click **Save**.
13. Weights are used to calculate the overall assessed proficiency level.

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<td>Custom-Direct Observation</td>
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14. Click the **Groups** tab. Click the **Add Group** link and select the appropriate group. Competencies may be organized into a group, but the group must be created first. (See instructions on how to [Create Competency Groups](#))

![Competency Details: NIH New Competency One](image1)

15. Scroll to the bottom and click on **Select**.

![Select Competency Group](image2)
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16. Click the **Attachments** tab.

17. Click the **Add Attachment** link to add attachments to a competency. URLs or files can be added to individual competencies which users will be able to view.
MULTI-RATER ASSESSMENTS

As a People Administrator, you are able to view a learner’s multi-rater competency assessments (current and completed), create new assessments, and approve raters for multi-rater assessments (MRAs).

VIEW LEARNER ASSESSMENTS

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the People Tab.

3. Click the Competencies Link towards the left of the page.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search box and click Search.

5. Click on the View Assessment link to the right of the learner.

NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

6. Click on the MRA Title to see assessment details.
### Assessments: NIH Learner

A multi-rater assessment (MRA) is a method by which you can be assessed by others. The system supports two types of (MRA) Competency-based and Questionnaire-based also known as a 360 degree assessment.

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<tr>
<td>User Manual Demo</td>
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### Assessment Details: Test MRA

**Main**

- **MRA Title**: Test MRA
- **Description**: 
- **Ratee**: NIH Learner
- **Closes On**: 
- **Type**: Competency-based

**Nominated Raters**

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NOTE: If it is an assessment you created as an administrator, you will be able to modify the Closes On date and/or Add Raters from the MRA Details screen.
CREATE A MULTI-RATER COMPETENCY ASSESSMENT

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Competencies Link towards the left of the page.

3. Click the Multi-Rater Assessments link.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search box and click Search.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Select New Assessment link to the right of the learner.

6. Click the Competency-based radio button on the New Multi-Rater Assessment screen.

   **NOTE:** Training Administrators can create a questionnaire to use as a multi-rater assessment. If one exists, choose the Questionnaire-based radio button and follow the prompts to set up the assessment.

7. Click Next.
8. Give the new multi-rater assessment a title in the **MRA Title** field.

9. Add a description in the **Description** field.

10. Set a due date in the **Closes On** field.

11. Indicate whether you want individual comments and rating levels to be visible by clicking the appropriate checkboxes.

12. Click **Add Competency**.

Select all or some of the competencies in the **Select Competencies** pop-up window by clicking the appropriate checkbox. You may filter the list of competencies by **Held** or **Required** using the **View By** drop-down menu.

18. When finished, click **Submit**.
20. Enter the rater’s name in the search box and click **Search**.

**NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

21. Select the checkbox in front of the desired rater(s) and click **Select**.
22. When you are finished adding competencies and raters, click **Save**.
23. You will be asked to confirm whether you want to submit the assessment for the rater approval.

**NOTE:** The LMS does not save drafts. You must complete this entire process in order for the assessment to be saved. If you stop (or timeout) in the middle, you will have to repeat these steps.

24. Click **Yes**.
As a People Administrator, you are able to create and manage surveys. The content for the survey must first be created and modified by an LMS Content Administrator. You must assign surveys to potential respondents at the time you distribute it. Designated respondents can then choose to accept or decline the survey.

**CREATE AND DISTRIBUTE A SURVEY**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Competencies** link towards the left of the page.

3. Click the **Surveys** link.

4. Click the **New Survey** link on the right side of the page.

5. Enter the **Name** of the survey and a **Description**.

6. Enter the end date of the survey in the **Closes On** field.

7. The **Domain** should always be NIH.

8. Click **Next**.
9. Click **Add Questionnaire**.

10. Browse the **Production Repository** and select a questionnaire that has been prepared in advance by a Content Administrator. Those that are available will have a radio button to allow you select them.

11. Click **Finish**.
12. You may also click the **Search** tab to locate the survey using a name search.
13. Enter search criteria and click **Search**.
14. Select the survey by clicking on the **Radio** button.
15. Click **Finish**.
16. Click **Add Respondents** once the questionnaire content is attached to designate the individuals who should respond.
17. Click the **Advanced Search** link.

**NOTE:** Since you will likely be searching for multiple people with common criteria, such as organization code or manager, the Advanced Search will be more effective than the default Simple search.

18. Select the check box(es) next to the desired respondent(s) in the **Search Results** table, and then click **Select**.
Once you have the questionnaire and the respondents selected, you are ready to publish the survey.

**IMPORTANT!** You cannot publish a survey until you have specified both the questionnaire and the respondents for the survey. You should double-check that all respondents are included because you cannot add more respondents to a survey once distributed.

19. Do one of the following:

- Click **Save for Later** – to save the survey in Draft status for future editing.
- Click **Save and Distribute** – to distribute the survey to the selected respondents.
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**Survey Details and Distribution: New Survey**

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- **Save For Later**
- **Save and Distribute**
- **Cancel**

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**VIEW A SURVEY**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Competencies** link towards the left of the page.

3. Click the **Surveys** link.

4. Enter the name of the survey you are looking for and click **Search**.

5. Under the **Actions** column, you will see various options, depending on the status of the survey.
a. View Distribution allows you to see who received the survey and whether respondents have completed it.
b. Close Survey allows you to end or “close” the survey.
The People Administrator – The Learning tab provides access to learners’ enrollments, transcript, certifications and curricula, continuing education credits, and learning plan information.

ENROLLMENTS

An Enrollment is an offering that a learner is registered for, but has not completed. The following instructions will detail how you can view and manage a learner’s enrollments.

VIEW AND MANAGE ENROLLMENTS

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the Learning link.

3. Select Current Learning from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Registrations to the right of the correct learner.

6. From the View Current Learning menu, select one of the following to change your view of current learning: All, Pending Approval, Approved, or Unscheduled.
NOTE: From this screen, you can verify whether a learner is enrolled in a particular class. Additionally, you may click the Title of an enrollment to view related details.

From the Actions column of the Enrollments table, you have the following options:

- **View Learning Assignments** - allows you to view any learning assignments for a course, attempts on learning content, the learner’s completion status and score.

- **Mark Complete** - allows you to indicate the completion status of a course. This functionality can be used if an online course does not automatically complete successfully. Instructor-led classes should be marked complete by the Training Administrator responsible for the class.

  **IMPORTANT!** Be very careful using this function. You should have a business process in place to ensure the learner really did complete the course. As an administrator, you are bound to maintain the integrity of the system.

- **Drop** - will allow you to cancel the registration of a learner.

  **IMPORTANT!** This action does not remove any financial obligation for the learner. Any financial obligations must be cancelled to keep the learner’s organization from being charged.

- **Approve/Reject as secondary approver** – Allows you to approve or reject the training the learner is registering for.
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Actions: Drop, Reject, Approve, View Learning Assignments, Mark Complete, Approve Selected, Approve All, Reject Selected, Reject All
TRANSCRIPTS

A transcript is a record of training completed by a learner. Transcripts may contain Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) training and external training, such as college coursework. Because the LMS is a department-wide system, transcripts will go with an employee if he/she moves to another agency within HHS.

**NOTE:** Because the LMS is still a relatively new system and not all historic training has been migrated, some records may not appear on the LMS transcript. If you have a question about whether something should be appearing on the LMS transcript, please submit a ticket to the HR Systems Support Help Desk at: [http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm](http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm).

The following instructions will show you how to view, edit, delete, and add learning to a learner’s Transcript.

**VIEW A LEARNER TRANSCRIPT**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

3. Click **Completed Learning** in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.
5. Click **View Completed Learning** to the right of the correct learner.

6. Set the date range for transcript items to be displayed and click **Search**.

**NOTE:** The default date range of the transcript view is one year. To view training events that were completed more than 90 days in the past, you must adjust the **To Date** field.

**Additional Tips:**
- You can view details of a training item by clicking on its title.
DELETE A TRANSCRIPT ITEM

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Click Completed Learning in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.
   
   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Completed Learning to the right of the correct learner.

6. Click Actions link on the right for the transcript item being deleted.

7. Click Delete in the Actions popup window.
8. If you are sure this is the item you want to delete, click OK from the dialog box. The screen will refresh and deleted transcript items will move to the Inactive tab.

**NOTE:** A copy of deleted transcript items is permanently kept on the Inactive tab.
EDIT A TRANSCRIPT ITEM

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Click Completed Learning in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Completed Learning to the right of the correct learner.

6. Click Actions link on the right for the transcript item being updated.

7. Click Edit in the Actions popup window.
8. Change any of the fields that need to be corrected and click **Save**.

**NOTE**: You should be able to provide documentation to verify any changes made to a transcript of a learner. Be sure you complete all the EHRI required fields in **red**.

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**ADD LEARNING TO A TRANSCRIPT: SINGLE LEARNER**

Use this method to add learning to a single learner’s transcript.

**IMPORTANT!** Guidelines for verifying completed training may vary by IC, office, division, etc. Please be sure to check with your organization to determine the process for verifying the completion of training prior to manually entering it into a learner’s LMS record.

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

3. Click **Completed Learning** in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.

**NOTE**: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click **View Completed Learning** to the right of the correct learner.
6. Click **Add Completed Learning**.

7. Click **Use Existing Item** to add courses to the learner's transcript that already exist on someone else's transcript or in the course catalog.

   **IMPORTANT!** All fields in red with an asterisk (*) require data in order to save changes.

8. Enter the course **Name** in the name field and click **Search**.

   **NOTE:** You may also search by the course **ID**.
NOTE: Remember that you can use the percent symbol (%) as a wildcard. You may also search for courses that are not in the LMS catalog but may have been added to a learner’s transcript by clicking the Search Existing Completed Course Items radio button.

9. Click on the checkbox to the left of the course you wish to add to the learner’s transcript. This will close the window and take you back to the previous screen.

   NOTE: The screen will now be pre-populated with course information such as the title, description, and course ID.

10. Enter additional data into all appropriate fields.
(See Appendix B for explanations of data fields required for EHRI reporting.)

**IMPORTANT!** All fields in red with an asterisk (*) require data in order to save changes. Marked Complete Date is a required field.

11. Enter the learner’s score and grade at the bottom of the screen, under the **Learners** section, if applicable.

**NOTE:** It’s a good idea to delete the “0” that defaults in the Score field so that learners do not becomes concerned about seeing a “0” score on their transcript.

12. After all available course data is entered, click **Save**.
ADD LEARNING TO A TRANSCRIPT: MULTIPLE LEARNERS

Use this method if you would like to add a transcript item to multiple learners.

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Click Completed Learning in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click Add Completed Learning.

6. Click Use Existing Item.
7. Enter the course **Name** in the name field and click **Search**.

**NOTE:** You may also search by the course **ID**.

**NOTE:** Remember that you can use the percent symbol (%) as a wildcard. You may also search for courses that are not in the LMS catalog but may have been added to a learner’s transcript by clicking the **Search Existing Completed Course**
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Items radio button. If the course cannot be found in the LMS catalog or another learner’s transcript; close the window and manually input the course information.

8. Click on the checkbox to the left of the course you wish to add to the transcript of the learners. This will close the window and take you back to the previous screen.

NOTE: The screen will now be pre-populated with course information such as the title, description, and course ID.

9. Enter additional data into all appropriate fields.

10. Complete all fields manually for the course being added.

IMPORTANT! All fields in red with an asterisk (*) require data in order to save changes.
(See Appendix B for examples of the proper values that should be entered in fields that are prefixed with the label EHRI.

For courses entered manually, use the ID number that the training entity has assigned to it. If no ID has been assigned, you need to create one. Begin all IDs with NIH followed by a logical numbering system. Each ID must be unique in the LMS.

**ADDING A FIELD OF STUDY TO THE NEW TRANSCRIPT ITEM (OPTIONAL)**

**IMPORTANT!** When using the “Use Existing Item” the Add Field of Study link is not available.

This is required for courses that have credits associated with them such as supervisor training.

1. Click **Add Field of Study**.

2. Click the **Field of Study** picker icon to open the Select Field of Study screen.

3. Enter the name of the field of study you wish to add then click Search.

4. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the Field of Study name.
5. Enter the number of credits that will be given by default in the Default Credits field.
6. To add credits based on Job Roles, click Add Job Role. (OPTIONAL)

7. Click the Job Role pick button.
8. Enter the name of the job role you wish to add then click **Search**.

9. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the job role name then click OK in the popup window.

10. Enter the number of credits in the **Credits field**.

11. Click **Save**.
12. You may continue to add additional job roles and related credits by repeating steps 6 through 11.

13. Your Field of Study will now appear on the Add Completed Course to Learner's Transcript screen.

14. You may Edit or Delete the Field of Study by selecting the appropriate link in the Actions column.
1. Click **Add Competencies** found toward the bottom of the screen.

2. Enter the name of the competency in the **Competency Name** field.
3. Click **Search**.
4. Set the **Competency Level** from the drop-down menu.
5. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the Competency Name.
6. Click Done.
7. The competency has now been added to the transcript item.

ASSIGNING THE LEARNERS TO RECEIVE THE TRANSCRIPT ITEM

1. Click Add Learners towards the bottom of the screen.

2. Enter criteria to search for a learner then click Search.

3. Click the checkbox to the left of the learner’s name.

4. Click Select.
5. Verify that the Start Date, Date Marked Complete, Score, and Grade fields are showing the correct information.

   **NOTE:** Remove zeros from the Score field if no assessment was given.

6. After all available course data is entered, click **Save**.
CERTIFICATIONS

As a People Administrator, you may view and manage certifications for learners within your organization.

**Certification** – A predefined set of courses that have been grouped together, with a deadline for completion. Credentials earned by completing the certification may expire on a predetermined date.

VIEW CERTIFICATIONS

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

3. Select **Certifications** from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.
   
   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click **View Certifications** to the right of the correct learner.
6. Select the **Certifications** tab (for HHS certifications) or **External Certifications** (for non-HHS certifications)

The **External Certifications** tab will list any certifications the learner has completed that are not administered through the LMS. **Internal Certifications** refers to any certification that an LMS Training Administrator has created to administer through the LMS.

**ACTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH CERTIFICATIONS**

Clicking the Actions link in the Actions column will list a number of actions available depending on the status of the certification. The actions are outlined below:

- **View Certification History** – Shows all of the events, in chronological order, which took place during the acquisition of the certification.
• **View Progress for All Paths** – Shows a completion percentage bar indicating how far along the learner is in the certification.

• **Delete** – Allows the certification requirements to be deleted from learner.

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**GRANT INTERNAL CERTIFICATION**

People Administrators may grant a certification for a learner, which means you mark the certification as complete, even though the learner has not completed all elements of the certification through the LMS. You may wish to do this if the learner has documented completion of equivalent learning outside the LMS. Your IC should have a business process in place for verifying actual course completion. Before you can grant completion of a certification, it must exist in the system. LMS Training Administrators have the ability to create certifications.

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

3. Select **Certifications** from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

7. Click **View Certifications** to the right of the correct learner.
8. Click **Grant Certification**.

9. Enter the name of the certification in the **Name** field then click **Search**.

10. Select the **radio button** to the left of the certification you would like to grant and then click **Next**.
NOTE: If you are granting a certification that has already been assigned to the learner, you will be asked to confirm that you want to continue with the Grant Certification process.

11. Enter the date on which the learner acquired the certification (finished it) and the date the certification expires, then click **Finish**.
ASSIGN INTERNAL CERTIFICATION

A certification must first be created in the LMS by an LMS Training Administrator before it will be available for you to assign to a learner.

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Select Certifications from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Certifications to the right of the correct learner.

6. Click Add Certifications.
7. Enter the name of the certification in the **Name field** then click **Search**.

8. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the certification.

### NOTE:
If you are adding a certification that has already been assigned to the learner, you will receive an Add Certification Error (20882) Certification already exists in the same status.

### CURRICULA

As a People Administrator, you may view and manage curricula for learners within your organization.
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**Curriculum** – A predefined set of courses that have been grouped together. A learner must complete all courses to complete the curriculum.

**VIEW CURRICULA**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

10. Select **Curricula** in the left navigation menu.

11. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.

**NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

12. Click **View Curricula** to the right of the correct learner.

13. You will now see all of the curricula associated with the learner.
Action Associated With Curricula:

Clicking the Actions link in the Actions column will list a number of actions available depending on the status of the certification. The actions are outlined below:

- **View Curricula History** – Shows all of the events, in chronological order, which took place during the acquisition of the curriculum.
- **View Progress for All Paths** – Shows a completion percentage bar indicating how far along the learner is in the curriculum.
- **Begin Registration** – Allows the administrator to register the learner for courses associated with the curriculum.
- **Delete** – Allows the curriculum requirements to be deleted from learner.
- **Change Completion Status** – Allows the expiration date to be changed or the certification to be revoked.

**GRANT CURRICULUM**

People Administrators may grant a curriculum for a learner, which means you mark the curriculum as complete, even though the learner has not completed all elements of the curriculum through the LMS. You may wish to do this if the learner has documented completion of equivalent learning outside the LMS. Your IC should have a business
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process in place for verifying actual course completion. Before you can grant completion of a curriculum, it must exist in the LMS. LMS Training Administrators have the ability to create curricula.

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Select Curricula in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   **NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

14. Click View Curricula to the right of the correct learner.

15. You will now see all of the curricula associated with the learner.

16. Click Grant Curriculum
17. Enter the name of the curriculum into the **Name field** then click **Search**.

18. Select the radio button to the left of the curriculum you would like to grant and click **Next**.

**NOTE:** If you are granting a curriculum that has already been assigned to the learner, you will be asked to confirm that you want to continue with the Grant Curriculum process.
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19. Enter the date on which the learner acquired the curriculum (finished it), then click **Finish**.

![Grant Curriculum](image)

20. Click **Finish**.

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**ASSIGN CURRICULUM**

A curriculum must first be created in the LMS by an LMS Training Administrator before it will be available for you to assign to a learner.

1. Select the **Admin Icon**.

2. Click the **Learning** link.

3. Select **Curricula** in the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click **Search**.

**NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try **Advanced Search**. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click **View Curricula** to the right of the correct learner.
6. You will now see all of the curricula associated with the learner.

7. Click **Add Curriculum**.

8. Enter the name of a curriculum in the **Name** field then click **Search**.
9. Select the checkbox in front of the curriculum you would like to add, then click on select and close.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

If an LMS Training Administrator has created continuing education Fields of Study and/or Continuing Education Plans in the LMS, a People Administrator may add the requirements to learners and/or check their progress against requirements. NIH is not yet making frequent use of the Continuing Education credit functionality.

VIEW STATUS OF CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Select Continuing Education from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.
NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Status next to the appropriate learner name.

NOTE: If the learner has been assigned any continuing education credit requirements, they will be listed on the Continuing Education Requirement screen with a status indicator.

6. Click View Details to see more information about the requirement.
ADD A CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT FOR A LEARNER

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Select Continuing Education from the menu on the left.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

**NOTE:** See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Status next to the appropriate learner name.
NOTE: If the learner has been assigned any continuing education credit requirements, they will be listed on the Continuing Education Requirement screen with a status indicator.

6. Click the **Add Requirement** link.

7. Enter search parameters in the fields and click **Search**.

8. Click the **checkbox** to the left of the appropriate Continuing Education Requirement.
9. Click **Select** to add the Continuing Education Requirement.
LEARNING PLANS

People Administrators may view and manage the courses on individuals’ learning plans. Learning Plan functionality is very limited under the Learning tab. If you need to take actions on a learner’s learning plan, please access it through the Success Plans tab, which is covered in “View/Add to Learning Plans: Method Two)” below.

VIEW/ADD TO LEARNING PLANS: METHOD ONE

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click the Learning link.

3. Select Courses from the left navigation menu.

4. Enter the learner’s name in the search field and click Search.

   NOTE: See instructions for searching listed to the right of the search box. If you do not find the account you are looking for, try Advanced Search. The advanced search will allow you to enter partial names, search for everyone under a specific manager or organization code, etc.

5. Click View Courses next to the appropriate learner name.

   NOTE: You will see a list of the courses on the person’s learning plan. (You will not see items on the learning plan that are not courses.) You may click the Title of a course to see more details about it.

6. Click Add Course.
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NOTE: Under Related Links, you may View Progress, Launch to view the learner's progress in the course, Mark Complete if necessary, or Register the learner for a course.

7. Click the Course Pick Button.

8. Enter the search criteria for the course and click Search.

9. Click the Checkbox for the course to be added.
10. Enter any applicable **notes**.

11. Enter a **due date** for the course to be completed by the learner.
12. Click **Save**.

13. The course will now be displayed with the status **New**.

### VIEW/ADD TO LEARNING PLANS: METHOD TWO

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

![HHS Learning Portal](image)

2. Select **Plans** from the left navigation menu.

3. Click the **Assignee** pick button.
4. Enter search criteria for the learner then click **Search**.
5. Select the **checkbox** to the left of the learner’s first name.

6. Click **Search**.
7. Click **Learning Plan** next to learner’s name.
8. From the learning plan Activities/Critical Elements tab, click the title of any item to access details about it. You can also see what Type of item it is, when it is due, and progress made (if applicable). Depending on the type of item, you will be able to take various actions using the pop-up links that appear when you hold your mouse over the Actions link to the right of each item.

9. Click Add Element or Activity.

10. Select a link from the Add Element or Activity popup bubble.
11. Follow the prompts for the type of activity you chose to add the specific learning item you want to add to the learning plan. You will see a confirmation message that the item has been added to the plan.

12. Click Close to exit the message pop-up and return to the Plan Details screen. You should now see your item added to the activities list.
Prescriptive rules are used to automatically assign learning items (offerings, certifications, curricula, competencies, goals, etc.) to people who fulfill specified criteria, such as location, organization code, audience type, job series, job role, competencies, and/or certifications. People qualify for a rule only if they fulfill the member criteria specified in the rule.

People Administrators can create prescriptive rules. The following diagram depicts the prescriptive rule creation process:

The following points are VERY IMPORTANT!

- Do **not** alter other organizations prescriptive rules – only process your own.
- Do **not** use the **Start Stop Processing** menu option.
- Do **not** process a prescriptive rule without conducting thorough testing. Think through the logic of the prescriptive rules very carefully. Before entering into the production portal, test the prescriptive rule in Staging. **ONCE A PRESCRIPTIVE RULE RUNS, YOU CANNOT REVERSE OR UNDO IT.**

You can view the **Error Log** and **Monitor** list to verify that learning items were properly assigned to the specified members.
CREATE A PRESCRIPTIVE RULE

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the Prescriptive Rules link.

3. Click on the New Prescriptive Rule link.

4. Add a name to the prescriptive rule in the Name field.

5. Add a description in the Description field.

6. Choose how members will be selected:
   a. Select Members Manually – Select this option to identify all of the members that will be affected by the prescriptive rule. Use this option only if the members will not change.
   b. Define selection criteria based on which members will be selected dynamically – Use this option for the prescriptive rule to update the affected members that may change based on certain criteria.

   **NOTE:** If you have only a few people to add to the prescriptive rule, you may want to choose **Select members manually.** That option will allow you to specifically name each person.) This selection cannot be changed once the prescriptive rule is saved.

7. Select NIH for the Domain field (location of all the people accounts).

   Set up a processing schedule. Read the options carefully and make sure you know the implications of every selection. If you have any questions, please submit a help desk ticket at [http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm](http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm)

8. Click **Step 2: Member Selection.**
NOTE: The following screens show what is seen if members are selected dynamically.

9. Select the member search criteria you plan to use for your prescriptive rule by clicking the appropriate radio buttons.

IMPORTANT! Be careful. This screen is for selecting the criteria you will use to choose people to which the prescriptive rule will be applied. This is NOT for indicating what you will actually assign to people – that step comes later.
10. Click **Select Attributes** button.

11. Enter the details for the criteria that you selected on the previous screen.

**NOTE:** If you chose the wrong criteria, select **Show All Available Criteria** to change your selection. Also, your screen may vary depending on the criteria selected on previous screens.
12. Regardless of the criteria you choose, click **Save and Preview Members**. This will display a list of members that fit the member criteria you entered.

**IMPORTANT!** DO NOT SKIP THIS STEP. Always preview the members to whom the assignment will be made before you finish and run the prescriptive rule. It is easy to make a mistake that will impact a large number of people in an enterprise system.

13. Click on the **Step 3: Set Requirements** button in the lower right corner when you are SURE your member criteria are set correctly.
On the **Requirements** screen, enter the learning items that will be assigned to each of the members that were selected in the previous step. Select the **Add** link for the type of item you want to assign and follow the prompts.

14. Click **Step 4: Preview** at the bottom of the page.
15. Review all of the details, and when you are certain everything is correct, click **Step 5: Activate** at the bottom of the page. Choosing this activate button will make the prescriptive rule run according to the settings you entered.
16. Once the screen indicates that the prescriptive rule “is activated successfully,” then you may either start again by clicking **New Prescriptive Rule**, or click **Finish**.
1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the Prescriptive Rules link.

3. Enter the search criteria and click Search.

4. Select the prescriptive rule Name that you want to view and edit.

**NOTE:** Clicking on the Actions link will allow you to delete the rule.

5. Edit the information as on the Prescriptive Rule Details screen, Main tab as appropriate. The Main tab provides the Name, Description, and Domain fields, as well as the information required for the Processing Schedule.
6. Click **Save & Finish Later** or **Save & Add More Information** at the bottom of the page when you are done.

7. Click on the **Member Selection** tab and then click on the **Show Filter Logic** link you will be able to see the member criteria. Edit the member criteria as necessary.
### Prescriptive Rule Details: New LMS Admin 2

#### Main
- **Member Selection**
- **Requirements**
- **Error Log**
- **Processing History**

#### Personal Criteria
- **Filter Logic**
- **Member Information**
  - **Population**
    - Options: No, Internal, External
  - **Status**
    - Options: Select One
  - **Start Date Before**
  - **Start Date After**
  - **Country**
  - **Person Type**
    - Options: Add Person Type
  - **Manager**
    - Options: Add Manager
  - **Exception List**
    - Options: Add Person
  - **Domain**
    - Options: Add Domain
    - Include Sub-Domains
  - **Audience Type / AudienceSub Type**
    - Options: Add Audience Type
  - **Location**
    - Options: Add Location
  - **Organization**
    - Options: Add Organizations
    - Include Sub-O rganizations
  - **Internal / Custom Fields**
    - Preferred name
    - HSPD-12 ID
    - DHS ID
    - Sub-OPEV
    - OPCOV ID
    - Supervisor Code
    - Pay Plan

#### Actions
- **Save and Preview Members**
- **Save**
- **Cancel**

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8. Click **Save And Preview Members** at the bottom of the page when you are finished.

**IMPORTANT!** ALWAYS preview members when you make any change to the member criteria. Make sure only the people you want included in the prescriptive rule are included.

9. Select the **Requirements** tab next and make any changes needed.

10. Click **Save** at the bottom of the page.
11. The **Error Log** tab shows any errors that were encountered during the processing of the prescriptive rule.

12. The **Processing History** tab shows how many records were updated each time the prescriptive rule was processed. (If the rule has not been processed yet, nothing will be listed.) It will also show the processing status.
**PROCESS A PRESCRIPTIVE RULE**

When you are sure the member criteria and requirements are correct, you may want to manually process a prescriptive rule, especially if you did not set it up to run automatically for you.

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click on the **Prescriptive Rules** link.

3. Enter the search criteria and click **Search**.

4. Select the prescriptive rule **Name** that you want to view and edit.

5. Select **Process** next to the prescriptive rule.

6. You will receive an alert. Click on **Ok**
6. After processing the prescriptive rule, the **Last Processed On** column will update.

![Prescriptive Rules](image)

**UNDERSTANDING INTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS**

As a People Administrator, you have access to the **Organizations** tab under your People Administrator – Orgs & Jobs role. From this tab, you may search for **Internal Organizations**, which are identified by Org/SAC Code in the LMS.

**VIEW INTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS**

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.
2. Click on the **HR** tab.
2. Enter the organization code into the **Internal Organization** field then click **Search**.

You may click the Internal Organization name to see more details and perform the following tasks:

- **Profile** tab:
  - Create Community through which people in your organization may share documents and other information through the LMS
  - Add Contact information for your organization ONLY
    
    **IMPORTANT!** Do not alter data in any of the required fields marked in red with an asterisk (*). These are populated automatically and referenced by several functions throughout the LMS.
  
  - View the names of any **Local Learning Registrars** in your organization
    
    **IMPORTANT!** You are not authorized to add Local Learning Registrar permission to anyone. Doing so would be grounds for removing your administrative access to the LMS.
• **Members** tab: view all learners in the LMS assigned to your Org/SAC code. This list can be exported to an Excel file in order to verify names and designated supervisors. This can be a good way to ensure the appropriate people are designated to your organization and identify any learner accounts that should not be designated to your organization. (Remember: Incorrect org/SAC codes must be corrected in the source HR system.) You will need to access individual user profiles to edit incorrect or missing supervisor names.

• Do not use the **Prescriptive Rules** tab for Internal Organizations.
EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS TO ADD VENDORS

External Organizations are used to set up vendors that can be attached to the courses. New external organizations can be added, but search thoroughly first to avoid adding duplicates.

External organization vendors will eventually be added through an automated data feed that transfers vendors in the NIH Business System (NBS).

VIEW EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the HR tab.
3. Click on the External Organizations tab.
4. Search for the vendor you want to view.

4. Click the name of any External Organization name to see the same detail tabs as are available for Internal Organizations.
### External Organizations Details: AHRQ

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ADD AN EXTERNAL ORGANIZATION

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the HR tab.

2. Click on the External Organizations tab.

3. Click the New Organization link.

4. You will see a New External Organization screen. Enter all data you have about the external organization, especially the required fields marked with a red asterisk (*).
5. Click **Save** at the bottom of the screen when you are finished to save the external organization in the LMS.
RECOMMENDATIONS

A People Administrator has access to a variety of reports in the LMS. Reports can be generated, exported, printed, emailed and subscribed to if desired. The reports available for you to run vary slightly between the roles of People Administrator – People and People Administrator – Orgs & Jobs. Below you will find instructions on how to work with reports in the LMS.

**GENERATE A REPORT**

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the Reports link.

3. You can see all reports available by clicking Search.

4. To run a report click on Actions and then select Execute.
5. Enter criteria into appropriate fields.  
**IMPORTANT!** All fields labeled in Red with an asterisk are required.

6. Click **Generate Report**.
EXPORT A REPORT

Once a report is generated, it can be exported from the LMS into other file formats. Of these, “Adobe Acrobat – PDF” and “Microsoft Excel 97-2000 – Data Only (XLS)” are the most commonly used.

1. Complete the steps in section Generate a Report.
2. Click the export icon in the upper left corner of the report.
3. Select the File Format you want, indicate the Page Range, and click OK. The following two formats are the most commonly used:
   - The Adobe Acrobat (PDF) format will export a report ready for printing.
   - The Microsoft Excel 97-2000 – Data Only (XLS) format will export a report ready to open in MS Excel so you can work with the data.

NOTE: The Page Range option during export is not available for all export formats.
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4. You may see the following browser warning. Click the **yellow warning bar** and select **Download File**. Repeat Step 2.

![Image of browser warning]

5. You will be prompted to open or save the file. Click **Save**.

![Image of file download prompt]

6. Select a location in which to save the file and give it a meaningful name; click **Save**.

![Image of save as prompt]

7. You will receive a prompt when the download is complete. Click **Open** to view the report file you just downloaded.

![Image of download complete prompt]
PRINT A REPORT

1. Complete the steps in section **Generate a Report**.

2. Click the **Print icon** in the upper left corner of the report.

3. Indicate the **Page Range** you want, and click **OK**.

4. You may see the following browser warning. Click the **yellow warning bar** and select **Download File**. Repeat Step 2.

5. You will be prompted to open or save the file. Click **Save**.
6. Select a location in which to save the file and give it a meaningful name; click **Save**.

7. You will receive a prompt when the download is complete. Click **Open** to view the report file you just downloaded.

8. Click the **Adobe Reader print icon** to send the report to your printer.
EMAIL A REPORT

The LMS allows reports to be emailed, on-demand, to any valid email address. Those who receive the email do not need to log on or have access to the LMS in order to view the emailed report.

1. Select the Admin Icon.

2. Click on the Reports link.

3. Click Search.

4. Click Actions and then the Email link to the right of the report description of the report you want to send via email.

5. Enter one or more recipient email addresses in the To field. (Separate multiple emails with either a comma or semi-colon)
6. Modify the **Subject** and **Mail Text** (the email body) fields to appear as you want them in the email.

7. Choose a **Report Format** (if applicable) from the drop-down choices.

8. Click **Send** to email the report to recipients.

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**SUBSCRIBE TO A REPORT**

Report subscriptions in the LMS allow reports to be emailed at scheduled intervals, to any valid email address. Those who receive the email do not need to log on or have access to the LMS in order to view the emailed report.

1. Select the **Admin** Icon.

2. Click on the **Reports** link.

3. Click **Search**.

4. Click **Actions** and then click the **Subscribe** link to the right of the report description of the report for which you want to create a subscription.
5. Click the **New Report Subscription** link.

6. Enter a **Name** for the report subscription and a meaningful **Description**.

7. Enter the **Course ID**.
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8. Enter one or more recipient email addresses in the To Email field.

9. Modify the Subject and Mail Text fields to appear as you want them in the email.

10. Choose a Report Format (if applicable) from the drop-down choices.

11. Select whether you want the report to email Daily, Weekly, or Monthly, and indicate the number for each.

12. Set corresponding options for Frequency.

13. Click Preview Report to see the report as it will appear.

14. Click Save to activate the report subscription. The report will send at the times you designated, to email recipients you entered.
LINKS AND RESOURCES

- HHS Learning Portal log on page
  https://lms.learning.hhs.gov

- HRSS Help Desk
  Submit a help ticket: http://intrahr.od.nih.gov/helpdeskform.htm
  HRSS Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

- NIH Training Center website
  http://trainingcenter.nih.gov

- HRSS LMS Support website (Tip sheets, Online Manuals, LMS Resources, etc.)
  http://hr.od.nih.gov/hrsystems/benefits/lms/lmssupport.htm
APPENDIX A – ORGANIZATION CODES

Organization (org) Codes are also referred to as SAC Codes

HN  All of NIH
HNA  (OD) Immediate Office of the Director
HNB  (NIAMS) National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases
HNC  (NCI) National Cancer Institute
HND  (NCCIH) National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health
HNE  (NCMHD) National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities
HNF  (FIC) John E. Fogarty International Center for Advanced Study in the Health Sciences
HNG  (CSR) Center for Scientific Review
HNH  (NHLBI) National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute
HNJ  (CC) Clinical Center
HNK  (NIDDK) National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases
HNL  (NLM) National Library of Medicine
HNM  (NIAID) National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
HNN  (NIA) National Institute on Aging
HNP  (NIDCR) National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
HNQ  (NINDS) National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
HNR  (NCRR) National Center for Research Resources
HNS  (NIGMS) National Institute of General Medical Sciences
HNT  (NICHD) National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
HNU  (CIT) Center for Information Technology
HNV  (NCI) National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences
HNW  (NEI) National Eye Institute
HN2  (NINR) National Institute of Nursing Research
HN3  (NIDCD) National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders
HN4  (NHGRI) National Human Genome Research Institute
HN5  (NIAAA) National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism
HN6  (NIDA) National Institute on Drug Abuse
HN7  (NIMH) National Institute of Mental Health
HN8  (NIBIB) National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering
# APPENDIX B - ENTERPRISE HUMAN RESOURCES INTEGRATION (EHRI) FIELDS

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<td>Item/Event Name*</td>
<td>Item or Event Title</td>
<td>Microsoft Excel 2007 for PC Users</td>
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<tr>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Description of the Item or Event entering Character limit: 1000</td>
<td>This class will expand the learner’s knowledge of Microsoft Excel 2007.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Offering Start Date</td>
<td>Date the class started</td>
<td>MM/DD/YYYY</td>
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<td>Ended/Completed On Date</td>
<td>Date the class ended</td>
<td>MM/DD/YYYY</td>
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<td>Registration Date</td>
<td>Date the learner registered for the Item/Event</td>
<td>MM/DD/YYYY</td>
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<td>Date Marked Complete*</td>
<td>Date the Item/Event was marked complete by an administrator</td>
<td>MM/DD/YYYY</td>
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<td>Start Time (HH:MM)</td>
<td>Start time of the Item/Event</td>
<td>08:30</td>
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<td>End Time (HH:MM)</td>
<td>End time of the Item/Event</td>
<td>04:30</td>
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<tr>
<td>Duration (HH:MM)</td>
<td>How many hours and minutes the class lasted</td>
<td>07:30</td>
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<tr>
<td>Delivery Type</td>
<td>Method the Item/Event was delivered in</td>
<td>Auditorium, Book, Coaching, Computer Laboratory, Conference, Correspondence Course, DVD/CD, Instructor led, Mentoring, Online Training, On the Job Training, Recorded Online Offering, Satellite, Scientific Laboratory, TeleConferencing, Traditional classroom, Video conferencing, Video Tape, Virtual Class, Web Cast, Workshop</td>
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<td>ID*</td>
<td>Unique ID that identifies this entry</td>
<td>User Initials + Completion Date = JM09132008 where user = Jaime Martinez and Completion Date = 09/13/2008</td>
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<tr>
<td>Location</td>
<td>Location where course was taken. It could be a building or a city.</td>
<td>Examples: Executive Plaza North or Rockville</td>
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<td>Marked Complete by</td>
<td>Search for the username of the person entering this record (yourself).</td>
<td>At first your username will display but once the record is saved the field will display your name.</td>
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| Continued Service Agreement Required Indicator (1231) | Indication that an employee is obligated to remain in service as a stipulation for taking the training course.                                                                                               | N => No  
NA => Non Applicable  
Y => Yes                                                                                                                                                    |
| EHRI: Training Accreditation Indicator (1102)   | Indicates that the course has been accredited by an accreditation body.                                                                                                                                          | N => No  
NA => Non Applicable  
Y => Yes                                                                                                                                                    |
| Training Accreditation Organization Type (1103) | The name and description of the accreditation organization                                                                                                                                                      | Leave empty if unknown.                                                                                                                                     |
| Course ID From Vendor (1105)                   | The course ID as assigned by the vendor                                                                                                                                                                        | Leave empty if unknown.                                                                                                                                     |
| EHRI: Training Source Type (1120)              | Source of the training which has been completed by the employee.                                                                                                                                                | Foreign Governments and Organizations; Government External; Government Internal; Government State/Local; Non-government                                      |
| EHRI: Default Training Purpose (1122)          | Code representing the purpose of the training completed by the employee                                                                                                                                            | Develop Unavailable skills; Future Staffing Needs; Improve Present Performance; Mandatory Training; New Work Assignment; Program/Mission Change; Retention |
| EHRI: Default Training Type (1124)             | Code for the type of training which has been completed by the employee.                                                                                                                                            | Acquisition; Adult Basic Education; Agency Required Training; Basic Computer Training; etc.  
*There are more options available in this drop-down*                                                                                                               |
<p>| EHRI: Training Credit (1126)                   | Amount of academic credit hours or continued education units earned by the employee for the training course.                                                                                                   | If amount of credit is known, input the number. If not available or not applicable input 0.                                                               |</p>
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<td>completed training. This should match either credit hours or CPE hours. This value is used for reporting to EHRI.</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Credit Designation Type (1127)</td>
<td>Code for the type of academic credit hours or continued education units earned by the employee for the completed training course.</td>
<td>Continuing Education Units, Graduate Credit; NA; Post Graduate Credit; Undergraduate Credit</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Delivery Type (1129)</td>
<td>Code for the type of training delivery for the training course completed by the employee.</td>
<td>Blended; Conference or Retreat; Correspondence; Instructor Lead; On the Job; Technology based</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Credit Type Code (1131)</td>
<td>Code representing the type of credit hours the employee received for the completed training.</td>
<td>CPEs; Continuing Education Unit; NA; Quarter Hours; Semester Hours</td>
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<td>Instructor Competencies (1200)</td>
<td>Description of areas the instructor should be competent in to teach the class.</td>
<td>If don't have any particular information on competencies for the instruction, leave empty.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Multilingual Course (1201)</td>
<td>List of alternate languages for the course</td>
<td>Input the name of the other language the course was provided in. If not known or if it wasn't delivered in another language, leave empty.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Internal or External Course (1202)</td>
<td>Determine if the course is external or internal to the organization</td>
<td>External, Internal</td>
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<tr>
<td>Training Certification Type (1211)</td>
<td>Enter the type of certification earned after completing the course.</td>
<td>If any available enter the name of the certification, if don't know or if no certification was earned, leave empty.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Course Development Cost (1220)</td>
<td>The cost for developing the course. This only applies for internally developed courses the Federal Organization sponsored.</td>
<td>If no cost were incurred, leave empty.</td>
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<tr>
<td>EHRI: Estimated Training Tuition and Fees Cost (1221)</td>
<td>The cost of the training tuition and fee for training completed by the employee that was paid for by the Federal Government.</td>
<td>Enter the total cost paid for taking the course, if none available or no cost were incurred, input 0.</td>
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<tr>
<td>EHRI: Training Materials Cost (1222)</td>
<td>Cost to the Government for the training materials used during the training unit completed by the employee. This includes all direct costs associated with purchasing the</td>
<td>Enter the total cost of training materials, if none available or no cost were incurred, input 0.</td>
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<td>training materials used by the employee that is in addition to the tuition cost. It can include but is not limited to costs of supplies, cost of equipment, and cost of software used by the student during the training event.</td>
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<td>EHRI: Continued Service Agreement Required Indicator (1231)</td>
<td>Indication that an employee is obligated to remain in service as a stipulation for taking the training course.</td>
<td>N =&gt; No, NA =&gt; Non Applicable, Y =&gt; Yes</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Duty Hours (1101)</td>
<td>Number of employee duty hours the employee used to complete the training unit.</td>
<td>Enter the amount of duty hours, if none available or none duty hours were used, input 0.</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Non Duty Hours (1102)</td>
<td>Number of employee non-duty hours for the completed training course.</td>
<td>Enter the amount of non duty hours, if none available or none duty hours were used, input 0.</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Per Diem Cost (1103)</td>
<td>Cost of the per diem (meal, lodging, misc. expenses) for training completed by the employee that was paid for by the Federal Government.</td>
<td>Should be entered as a dollar amount for the individual, with two decimal places. If unknown or if no per diem was allotted, input 0.00</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Travel Cost (1104)</td>
<td>Cost for the travel, excluding per diem, for training completed by the employee that was paid for by the Federal Government</td>
<td>Should be entered as a dollar amount for the individual, with two decimal places. If unknown or if no travel cost was allotted, input 0.00</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Nongovernment Contribution Cost (1105)</td>
<td>Cost contributed by the employee or other non-government organizations for the training completed by the employee.</td>
<td>Should be entered as a dollar amount for the individual, with two decimal places. If unknown or if no nongovernment contribution was allotted, input 0.00</td>
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<td>EHRI: Training Travel Indicator (1106)</td>
<td>Indicates if the employee traveled to attend the training course.</td>
<td>Y=Yes, N=No, NA=Non Applicable</td>
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<td>EHRI: Continued Service Agreement Expiration Date (1230)</td>
<td>The date to which an employee is obligated to remain in service as a stipulation for taking the training course.</td>
<td>If date applicable, enter it in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. If not applicable or if unknown, enter NA.</td>
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<td>Continuing Education Credits</td>
<td>If a field of study has been set up in the LMS for continuing education credits, you will be able to select it here.</td>
<td>Choose from availabilities in the LMS</td>
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<td>Learners</td>
<td>Specify the learner(s) to whose transcript(s) this item should be recorded</td>
<td>Name, Score, Grade, Completion Status</td>
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<tr>
<td>Competencies</td>
<td>Specify whether any competencies were gained by the completion of the class</td>
<td>Choose from availabilities in the LMS and indicate proficiency level attained</td>
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