



# **Apricot Software User Guide: Adult and Aging**

How to navigate and complete data entry tasks for Sonoma Adult and Aging

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# Getting Started with Apricot 360

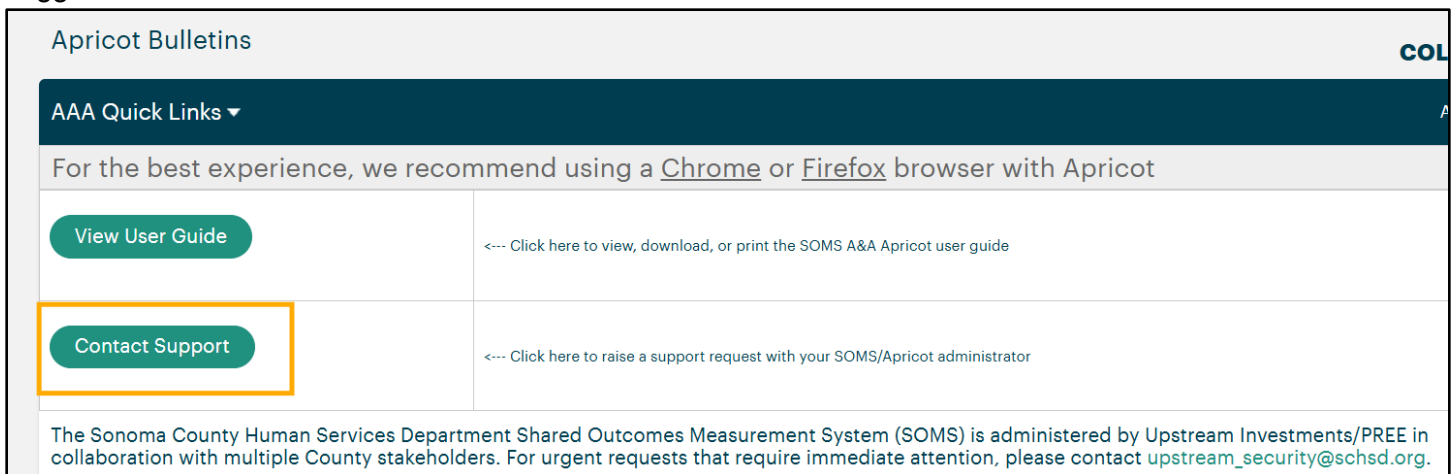
## How to Log into Apricot

- Apricot works best in a Chrome or Firefox internet browser. Internet Explorer is not recommended.
- After you complete your required user agreement with Sonoma County, you will receive an email notifying you that you have been added to Apricot as a new Apricot User. The email will contain a link to reset your password.
  - a. The email link is only active for 30 minutes; if the link has expired, go to [apricot.socialsolutions.com](http://apricot.socialsolutions.com) and click Forgot Password. Follow the instructions to create a password.
- For subsequent logins, go to [apricot.socialsolutions.com](http://apricot.socialsolutions.com) and enter your username (email address) and password
- If you are having trouble logging in, use the Forgot Password link, enter your email address, and follow the instructions for resetting your password

## Support Requests

All questions/feedback/requests for assistance with Apricot should be directed to the software team via Support Request form. The support request form is available to be filled out whether or not the user is logged into Apricot.

Logged in:



Apricot Bulletins COL

AAA Quick Links ▾

For the best experience, we recommend using a [Chrome](#) or [Firefox](#) browser with Apricot

<a href="#">View User Guide</a>	<--- Click here to view, download, or print the SOMS A&A Apricot user guide
<a href="#">Contact Support</a>	<--- Click here to raise a support request with your SOMS/Apricot administrator

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Not logged in: [use this link](#)

## Home Screen and Bulletins

In general, navigation menus are always on the left side of the screen and quick links, data entry points, or end user guides/resources are presented in the center of the screen. Once you get into data entry screens, record actions will appear on the far right of the screen.

If you ever get lost in the system, you can always come back to this home screen in Apricot by clicking the Apricot logo on the upper left.

## Users with Access to Multiple Programs for Permissions in Apricot:

When logged into Apricot, we recommend users confirm their assigned “program” at the top of the screen. Programs reflect services teams in AAA and/or External Partners. The purpose of this feature is to restrict access to who can view records in the system, based on the programs they have access to.

- Users assigned to multiple programs will see a pencil icon. Clicking the pencil icon will allow the user to flip their view from one program to another. If desired, selecting “all sites/all programs” will show records for all programs to which the user is assigned.

- Ensure you are on the Program/Partner that you work for/are entering in data for when creating a record to ensure that the dropdown options presented on forms are specific to the program/partner you work for.

- Creating records from the All Sites All Programs will require you to select which programs to assign permissions to for the record upon Save of the record.

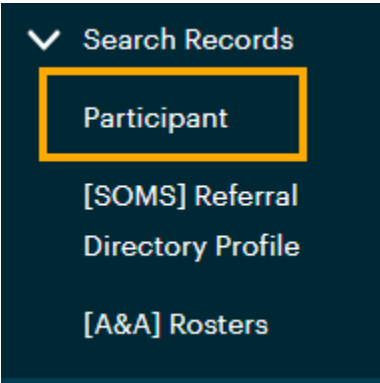
- If the record needs to be shared with another program for access, you can also select the Program Access button on the right side of a record to assign additional programs that you have permissions to.
  - Note options on the left side of the screen will be limited to those you have access to.

NOTE: If you believe the information in the program dropdown is incorrect, please contact support immediately.

## How to Search Records

Clicking on the highlighted button will direct you to the participant search screen in Apricot.

Additionally, you can search for any Tier 1 record by expanding the “Search Records” category in the Menu sidebar and clicking on the name of the form. The forms visible to you here will vary depending on your level of access in the system.



Once you click on the form (either from a quick link button in the bulletin or from the Search Records menu) Apricot will open a search screen specific to that form. The below is an example of the search screen for Participants:

Participant

Participant Search

-- Add Search Field --

Browse All

The following 1 Participant records are available

Name	Record ID	Date Of Birth	Email
Test ARPA	2981	10/23/1980	test@gmail.com

## Using Search Parameters on a Tier 1 record

Without specifying any search parameters, Apricot will automatically show you all records you have access to for the T1 form. Users with access to multiple programs will see all data that matches their program assignment at the top of the screen. Clicking on any of the data fields in this window will take you directly to the document folder for that participant.

You can customize the search results by adding search fields. Click the “--Add Search Field--” dropdown menu at the top and select a search term. This list will show searchable fields from the participant (Name, Record ID Date of Birth, phone numbers).

Below is an example of adding a search field for Name:

Participant

Participant Search

-- Add Search Field --
Browse All

Name (Participant) Clear Field

First

Middle

Last

The following 1 Participant records matched your search criteria

Name	Record ID	Date Of Birth	Email
Test ARPA	2981	10/23/1980	test@gmail.com

Click any of the mint text to go directly to that record. Clicking any gray text will take you to the Tier 1 document folder.

EXPAND ALL

Search Actions

New Participant
Clear Search History
Create Referral
Show Enrollment Actions

Favorite Lists

-- Select Favorite List --

Favorite Details

Your search field is “sticky” and only applies to you. Sticky means it will stay in place each time you log into Apricot. To remove the search term, click the small “x” on the right or click “Clear search history” in the Search Actions palette.

## Navigating a Document Folder

Apricot is a tiered system. Participant profiles are Tier 1 and contain information about the person that remains relatively static over time such as the person’s name, date of birth, demographics, and contact information.

Tier 2 records (for example, the Program Enrollment or Service Activities) are nested under the profile in a “Document Folder” and track history related to the person (e.g. enrollment in a specific program for services with a provider, and services provided over time.). Each Document Folder is specific to a person and will only show Tier 2 records specific to that person. Much of your day-to-day data entry will be via Tier 2 records housed in a participant/client’s document folder.

From the search screen, you can navigate to a person’s document folder by clicking on any of the gray text elements next to their name. In the screenshot below, click Record ID, Date of Birth, etc. to be taken to the document folder.

The following 1 Participant records matched your search criteria

Name	Record ID	Date Of Birth	Email
Test ARPA	2981	10/23/1980	test@gmail.com

Click any of the mint text to go directly to that record. Clicking any gray text will take you to the Tier 1 document folder.

However, if you have added a search field for the person’s name, the Name in the search results will turn green and clicking on it will take you directly into that person’s profile record, which will look like this:

## Participant

### Details ▾

**\*Name** 

**Record ID**

2981


**\*Date of birth** 





If you receive a notification that the Name and Date of birth are a duplicate of an existing Participant, please [complete a support request here](#) to grant access to the record. You will be required to provide proof that your organization is providing service to this Participant along with a signed Release of Information. DO NOT send the Name and Date of birth via email, use the link provided above to submit a support request.


If you have navigated to a person's profile by mistake, click "View Folder" under the Record Options palette on the right.


**Record Options ▾**


 Save Record

 Print Mode

 View History

 New Participant

 View Folder

 Go To Search

The person's document folder will look like this:

- Do not click Census, Links, Enrollments or Appointments.



Please focus your data entry on the use cases documented in this guide outside of these elements.

The three buttons in the top right corner function as follows:

1. Edit - will take you back into the profile record where you can review data and make changes as needed.
2. Create - will allow you to create a new Tier 2 type record for this participant in their folder.
3. Print - will allow you to select which records to print (from the Tier 1 profile and all associate Tier 2 forms).



Directly under the participant's name, click on the section labeled Quick View Information to open a box that will display key information from the profile record.

The document folder contains the Tier 2 forms you will need for your ongoing data entry about a single person. You can view existing Tier 2 records or create new Tier 2 records from this screen.

NOTE: please note that the tab labeled "enrollments" is not required for data entry in SOMS 2.0. Please ignore.

Clicking the name of a form with 1 or more records will expand the section to show you quick view information for records already entered. Below is an example of Test's quick view information on their ROI. Clicking on any of the data fields from this screen will open the record.

Clicking on the "+" icon on the far right of the form name will create a new blank record for you to fill out:

+ [A&A] Service Activity (0 records)		 
- [A&A] Roster Attendance (1 record) ←		 
Date		Number of Units
08/29/2025		1

## Pinning Document Types in the Document Folder

From within a document folder, you may “pin” frequently used document types:

- Once you click the pin icon and refresh the page, you will see that the pinned forms appear at the top of the forms list in the Document Folder. This setting is specific to the User who clicks the pin, and will apply across all document folder views for that user. It will not affect other users in the system.

Dashboard
Inventory
Search Records
Hidden Records
My Apricot Tools

Kris Aging Test

Edit Create Print

Quick View Information

DOCUMENT FOLDER CENSUS LINKS ENROLLMENTS APPOINTMENTS ATTENDANCE

All Documents
Expand Multiline
Search Forms











+ [SOMS] Referral Form (0 records)

+ [A&A] Program Enrollment (0 records)

+ [A&A] Demographics (0 records)

+ [A&A] ADL/IADL Assessment (1 record)

+ [A&A] Nutrition Assessment (1 record)

## Running Reports

From the homescreen, access the My Apricot Tools menu, and select the My Reports section.

- Note, different report options will show depending on your permissions.
  - Some of the frequently used reports are also accessible via buttons on your main landing page bulletins.
- Select the report category arrows to expand the available options.
  - From the Actions menu on the right hand side of each report row, hover over the Actions to select the option to Run the report.

- If the report uses Global Values filters, enter in the filter values accordingly for which records you are searching for.
  - Note: The filters will hold the last run values you selected for the report. You may use the Reset Filters button from the Report Actions menu to reset the options.

## Completing Data Entry Tasks

When you open a data entry form in Apricot (either to view or create new) it will always have the following components:

- 1 - Form sections and data entry fields - these appear in the center of the screen
- 2 - Required Fields/Record Save Checklist - these are marked with an asterisk and in the pallet on the far right
- 3 - Record Options Pallet - the Save Record button will always appear on the upper right corner

[A&A] Service Activity

Jane Aging Test

Quick View Information ▶

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options ▼

Save Record

New [A&A] Service

View Folder

Go To Search

Assigned Programs ▼

(New) Council on Aging

Program Access

Record Save Checklist ▼

Required Field Checks ✖

\*Number of Units

\*Select Associated Enrollment

\*Select Service

Field Validation Checks ✔

Main ▼

\*Select Associated Enrollment

-- Please Select -- ▼

This field is required.

\*Service Date

08/31/2025

\*Select Service

-- Please Select -- ▼

Unit Type for Service

--Please Select-- ▼

With each blank form in Apricot, it is best practice to start at the top of the form and work your way to the bottom. Pay close attention to required fields marked with an asterisk (these are also noted in the Record Save Checklist).

**NOTE:** Prior to saving any record, users who are assigned to multiple programs should select the appropriate program at the top of their screen by clicking the Change icon. If the Change icon is not present then your user is assigned one program and may proceed to saving your record.

MENU

apricot 360

MY APRICOT

All Sites

Program All Programs

CHANGE

NOTIFICATIONS

MENU

apricot 360

MY APRICOT

ADMINISTRATOR

Site Adult and Aging

Program Council on Aging

CHANGE

NOTIFICATIONS

Once data entry is complete, and you have entered all required data (including links), always remember to click “Save Record” in the Record Options in the top right of the screen or you will lose your work. Once you have successfully saved a record in Apricot, the Record Saved message will pop up at the top of the screen, which will look like this:

Record Saved

Record saved! Click anywhere to reload the page.

Continue

View Folder

Go To Search

Selecting “Continue” will keep you on the same screen

Selecting “View folder” will take you back to the document folder

Selecting “Go To Search” will take you all the way back to the Tier 1 search screen

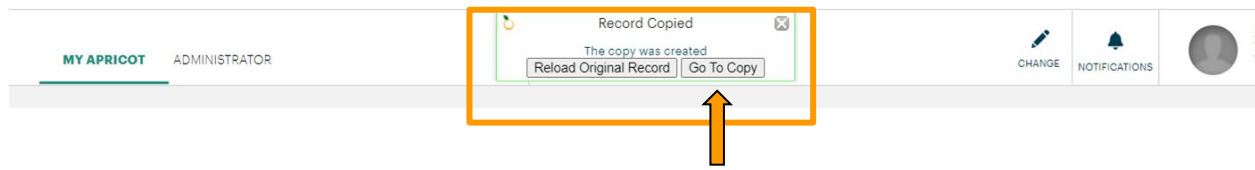
## Creating a Copy of an Existing Record

Copy Record is enabled for some of the record types in the system- for example:

- Rosters
- A&A Demographics
- Nutrition Assessment
- ADL/IADL Assessment

Steps:

- First, you will want to search existing records to find the record you want to make a copy of.
  - For Tier 1 records, you can search from the pertinent search records screen.
  - For Tier 2 records within a Participants Document folder, you can review the existing records in their Document Folder.
- Once you find the record you would like to copy, open the record and verify this is the record you need to copy.
- Once you have opened the existing record you want to copy, you will need to select the Copy Record option from the Record Options menu.
  - **\*\*Note:** Once you click Copy Record, the new record will automatically be created- if you do this on accident, the copy will need to be archived to ensure it does not affect reports. Either go to the copy of the record and select Archive, or contact your apricot administrator for assistance in archiving the record.
    - This can be searched for by created date and user if needed.
- Once you click Copy Record, a copy is created and a pop-up asking you if you would like to go to the Copy or stay on the original record you were on will appear. **Ensure you select Go To Copy.**



- You will know you are on the copy of the record because the certain fields will be blank and show as required.
- Review all fields and ensure you update any others as necessary.

## Client Intake

These steps are used by all providers for creating and managing Participants and their associated records in the system.

## Creating and Managing Participant records

Considerations:

- Name and Date of Birth are currently being used as the system duplicate checks

- i.e. if someone attempts to create a Participant profile with the same name and date of birth as a participant profile already in the system, the system will not allow them to save.
  - NOTE: First, Middle, Last, and Date of Birth all need to match exactly for duplicate check to fire (ie if middle name is different, they will not be considered duplicates).
  - NOTE: If you do not know the DOB, you can enter in 9/9/9999
  - \*\*Please enter the middle name as “Aging” and the last name as “Test” for all Test Participant records- we will use this to identify records to archive if/as needed.\*\*
- You can search by phone number, name, and DOB
- If you do not have the answer to one of the required demographics, you may select Unknown.
- Note that [additional demographic information](#) is captured on a separate form within the participants folder

#### Steps:

- From the left “Search Records” menu or from your Quick Links bulletin, search for Participants records.
  - First, you will want to search existing records to ensure you do not already have a Participant file for the individual.
    - Click the Add Search Field and select which field (typically name) that you want to search.
      - Fill out the appropriate fields for the search.
        - If the Participant appears to already have a record, click the name which is a link directly to the Participant record and verify the participant is the same individual.
          - If yes, you will proceed to their Creating an Enrollment step.
          - If there are no records returned, you may proceed to create a new record by clicking New Participants from the right “Search Actions” menu.
    - Complete all required and optional items:
      - Complete all required fields on the participant profile from top to bottom. Notice the record save checklist on the far right.
        - All required fields must have a value; there are “Unknown” values that can be selected in the event the data is unknown.
    - When complete, click Save Record.

Participant

Details ▾

\*Name

First

Middle

Last

Record ID

--

\*Date of birth

MM/DD/YYYY

If you receive a notification that the Name and Date of birth are a duplicate of an existing Participant, please complete a support request here to grant access to the record. You will be required to provide proof that your organization is providing service to this Participant along with a signed Release of Information. DO NOT send the Name and Date of birth via email, use the link provided above to submit a support request.

Contact Information ▾

Is the primary contact for this Participant a parent/guardian, caretaker, or other?

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options ▾

Save Record

New Participant

Go To Search

Assigned Programs ▾

(New) ARPA - Example Orga...

Program Access

Record Save Checklist ▾

Required Field Checks

\*Name

\*Date of birth

\*Are you Hispanic, Latino/e...

\*What is your race? Select ...

\*Do you speak a language or...

\*Which best describes your ...

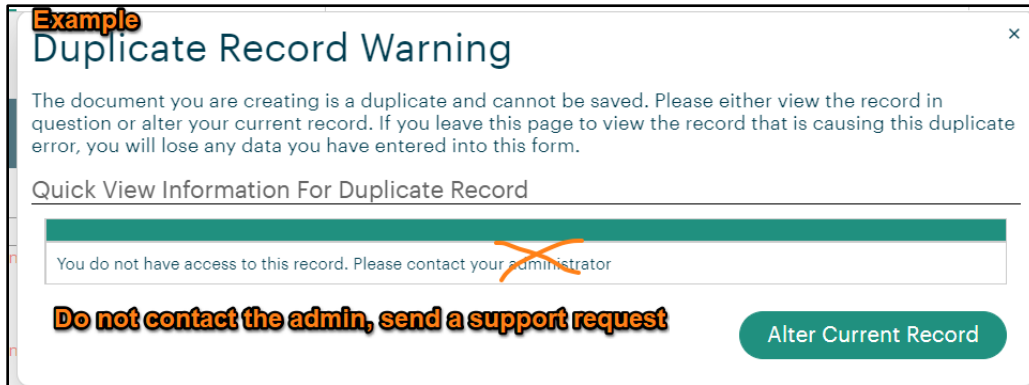
\*How well do you speak ...

Required fields

## Participant Duplicate Check Warning

- If you receive a duplicate warning message (example below) while entering the Name and Date of Birth fields, follow the instructions provided on the form (**NOTE: do not contact the administrator, fill out the support request form**):

“If you receive a notification that the Name and Date of birth are a duplicate of an existing Participant, please complete a support request here to grant access to the record. You will be required to provide proof that your organization is providing service to this Participant along with a signed Release of Information. DO NOT send the Name and Date of birth via email, use the link provided above to submit a support request.”



## Creating and Updating A&A Demographics records

This form lives within the Participants document folder and should be used to capture all additional demographics information required by various funders/reporting for A&A services. This is required for all participants enrolled for ongoing services, and should be captured when possible for all other participants that may receive any service with A&A programs.

If updates need to be made to the form, [create a copy of the existing one](#), and make changes on the copy. This allows for capturing changes over time for the demographics on this form, many of which may change over time (ex: income).

### Considerations:

- These fields will clear on copy:
  - Date Collected
  - Client Consent and Date fields for the veteran consent information

### Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text

- Find the “A&A Demographics” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information

DOCUMENT FOLDER CENSUS LINKS ENROLLMENTS APPOINTMENTS ATTENDANCE

All Documents ☐ Expand Multiline Search Forms

[A&A] Demographics (1 record)		
[A&A] ADL/IADL Assessment (0 records)		
[A&A] Nutrition Assessment (0 records)		
[A&A] Program Enrollment (4 records)		
[A&A] Service Activity (0 records)		

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

[A&A] Demographics

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information

Main

\*Date Collected  
09/15/2025

\*Sex at Birth  
--Please Select--

\*Veteran Status  
--Please Select--

\*Spouse Veteran Status  
--Please Select--

**COLLAPSE ALL**

**Record Options**

- Save Record
- New [A&A]
- View Folder
- Go To Search

**Assigned Programs**

(New) [A&A] Linkages

- Program Access

**Record Save Checklist**

Required Field Checks

- \*Sex at Birth
- \*Veteran Status
- \*Spouse Veteran Status
- \*Rural Designation

## Creating and Updating ADL/IADL Assessment records

This form lives within the Participants document folder and should be completed annually for Participants receiving any services requiring ADL/IADL data. This is required for all participants enrolled for ongoing services that have an ADL/IADL requirement, and should be captured when possible for all other participants that may receive any service with A&A programs.



If updates need to be made to the form, [create a copy of the existing one](#), and make changes on the copy. This allows for capturing changes over time for the items on this form, many of which may change over time.

The “[Participants missing ADL/IADL or Nutrition Assessments](#)” report can be used to monitor for participants that receive services that may require this assessment.

Considerations:

- These fields will clear on copy:
  - Date Collected

Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the “ADL/IADL Assessment” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

The screenshot displays the 'Bob Aging Test' document folder. At the top, there are buttons for 'Edit', 'Create', and 'Print'. Below these is a 'Quick View Information' section. The main area is titled 'DOCUMENT FOLDER' and contains a list of document types. The 'ADL/IADL Assessment' row is highlighted with an orange box, and an orange arrow points to the black paper plus icon on the right side of this row. Other document types include 'Demographics (1 record)', 'Nutrition Assessment (0 records)', 'Program Enrollment (4 records)', and 'Service Activity (0 records)'. Each row has a plus icon and a pin icon on the right.

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

[A&A] ADL/IADL Assessment

**Bob Aging Test**  
Quick View Information ▶

**Main ▼**

**\*Date of Assessment**  
09/15/2025 📅

**ADL's ▼**

**\*ADL: Eating**  
--Please Select-- ▼

**\*ADL: Bathing**  
--Please Select-- ▼

**COLLAPSE ALL**

**Record Options ▼**

- Save Record
- + New [A&A] ADL/IADL
- View Folder
- Go To Search

**Assigned Programs ▼**

- (New) [A&A] Linkages
- Program Access

**Record Save Checklist ▼**

Required Field Checks ❌

- \*ADL: Eating
- \*ADL: Bathing
- \*ADL: Toileting
- \*ADL: Transferring in/out o...
- \*ADL: Walking
- \*ADL: Dressing
- \*ADL: Grooming

## Creating and Updating Nutritional Risk Assessment records

This form lives within the Participants document folder and should be completed annually for Participants receiving any services requiring Nutritional Risk data. This is required for all participants enrolled for ongoing services that have an Nutritional Risk requirement, and should be captured when possible for all other participants that may receive any service with A&A programs.

If updates need to be made to the form, [create a copy of the existing one](#), and make changes on the copy. This allows for capturing changes over time for the items on this form, many of which may change over time.

The “[Participants missing ADL/IADL or Nutrition Assessments](#)” report can be used to monitor for participants that receive services that may require this assessment.

### Considerations:

- These fields will clear on copy:
  - Date Collected

### Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the “Nutritional Risk” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

## Creating and Managing Program Enrollment records

This record should be created each time a Participant is being considered for enrollment in a program, and updated based on their intake status or completion/exit from the program. This should be completed for Participants receiving individual services, core services, as well as roster type services.

Any contact/activity made with the client while completing intake, can be tracked through the Service Activity records.

For enrolling participants:

Considerations:

- The “Active authorized program the enrollment is tied to” links to the Provider Authorized Program and Services records. If one is not available for the program the participant is being considered for, contact the A&A Site Administrator.
- The Assigned Case Manager field pulls from the Provider Staff records - if one is missing, contact the A&A Site Administrator.
- Case Management only: The Termination Request section should be completed by the Case Manager, which will then be reviewed by the supervisor.
- FCSP only: will require the Family Caregiver Support Program section

Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the “A&A Program Enrollment” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

The screenshot shows a user interface for a participant named "Bob Aging Test". At the top, there are buttons for "Edit", "Create", and "Print". Below this is a "Quick View Information" section with a question mark icon. A horizontal menu contains tabs: "DOCUMENT FOLDER", "CENSUS", "LINKS", "ENROLLMENTS", "APPOINTMENTS", and "ATTENDANCE". The "DOCUMENT FOLDER" tab is active. Below the tabs, there's a section titled "All Documents" with an "Expand Multiline" checkbox and a "Search Forms" input field. A list of documents follows:

- [A&A] Demographics (1 record)
- [A&A] ADL/IADL Assessment (0 records)
- [A&A] Nutrition Assessment (0 records)
- [A&A] Program Enrollment (4 records) - This row is highlighted with an orange border, and an orange arrow points to the black paper plus icon on its right.
- [A&A] Service Activity (0 records)

Each document entry has a plus icon on the left and a black paper plus icon and a red pin icon on the right.

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
  - The status allows for tracking participants through the referral process- regardless of outcome.
  - If the Participant is referred/screened, but not accepted, you may track this as well through the discharge information and reasons.
- Save the record once complete.

[A&A] Program Enrollment

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information

Main

\*Select Provider

Area Agency on Aging (AAA)

\*Select the active authorized Program this enrollment is associated with

Case Management:07/01/2025

\*Enrollment Status

Enrolled

\*Assigned Case Manager

-- Please Select --

This field is required.

\*Date Enrolled

MM/DD/YYYY

This field is required.

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options

Save Record

New [A&A] Program

View Folder

Go To Search

Assigned Programs

(New) [A&A] Linkages

Program Access

Record Save Checklist

Required Field Checks

Assigned Case Manager

Date Enrolled

Field Validation Checks

For closing/exiting participants:

Information should be entered/updated on the Program Enrollment form to close the enrollment- this can be due to ineligibility for enrollment or at the close of services.

For Case Management, the termination request can be completed on the form, and then the supervisor can review for discharge and finish the discharge information as needed.

Considerations:

- The discharge date will be required if a Participant is determined ineligible for enrollment
- Do not update the status once a participant has been enrolled in a program. You only need to add a discharge date and reason to exit them.

Steps:

- Find the existing/pertinent "A&A Program Enrollment" document type and open the record.
- Complete pertinent fields in the Discharge Information section.
- Save the record once complete.

**Discharge Information ▼**

**Reason for enrollment end/deactivation**  
 -- Please Select -- ▼

**Enrollment End Date/Deactivation**  
 MM/DD/YYYY 📅

**System Fields ▶**

**Record Options ▼**

Save Record

+ New [A&A] Program

View Folder

Go To Search

**Assigned Programs ▼**

(New) [A&A] Linkages

Program Access

**Record Save Checklist ▼**

Required Field Checks ❌

Narrative on Termination

Field Validation Checks ✅

(FCSP only) Create a Caregiver Provider Record for Family Caregiver Support Program caregivers  
 This can only be created or viewed from within the pertinent Program Enrollment record.

\*Note, each Care Recipient must be entered as a Participant and enrolled for the program through their own program enrollment as well.

#### Considerations:

- This will be created via a Wizard Link from the Program Enrollment record
  - The link for the will appear and be required when the Type of Participant for FCSP Program = Caregiver
- This is only tracked from the Caregiver Provider enrollment. This links to the Participant record they are providing the care for (aka Care Recipient).
- A separate caregiver record should be created for each Care Recipient the provider is providing care for. These can be under the same enrollment if applicable.
- If/once care ends, the end date should be updated on this record for the Care Recipient's care.

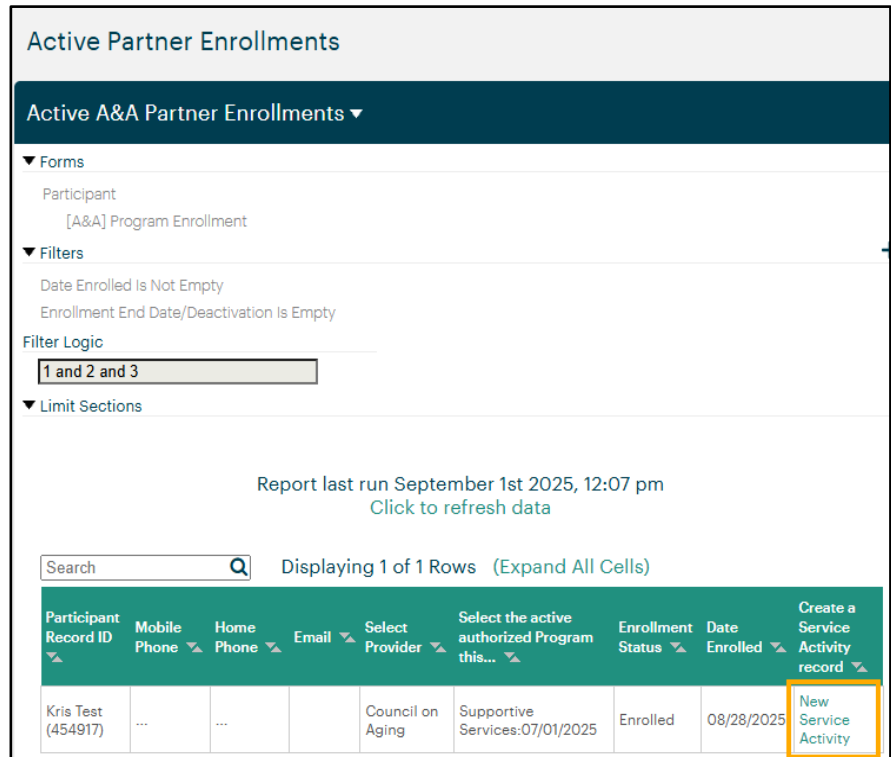
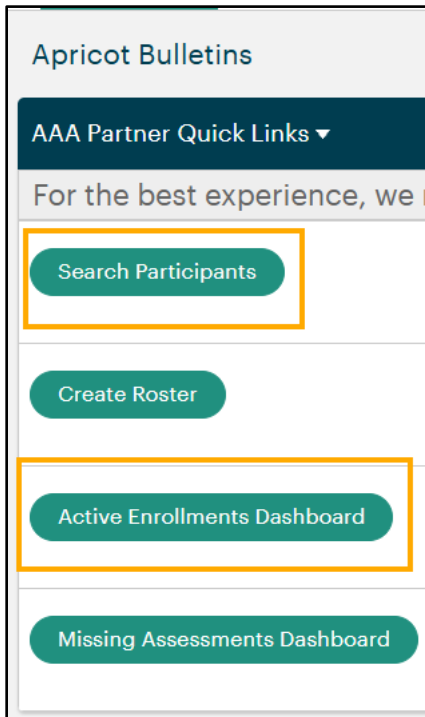
#### Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder:
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select "View Folder" from the "Record Options" menu on the right side.
    - From the left "Search Records" menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the pertinent "Program Enrollment" document type and open the record.
  - The link to the Caregiver Provider is in the Family Caregiver Support Program section- click the +new button to create a record, or click on one of the listed records to open and enter in an End Date if needed.
- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save Linked Record from the "Record Options" menu on the right.
  - This will return you to the Program Enrollment record to complete remaining fields as needed.
- Save the Program Enrollment record once complete.

# How to Enter a New Service for an Existing Participant

Once a Participant is enrolled for services, you can go directly to their document folder to enter a new service activity record. You can do this through either:

- Searching for the Participant. Once you find the participant you are looking for, [navigate to their document folder](#). If needed, review this section on [how to search](#).
- Or from the Active Enrollments Dashboard report, which has a link to automatically create a Service Activity record within the Participants document folder.



## Considerations:

- The available dropdown options for the Select Service field will pull from the Services Directory values linked to the Provider Authorized Program and Services record that the participant's Program Enrollment is associated with.
- If the specific service requires ADL/IADL assessment to be completed, and the Participant does not have one on record that was completed within the past year, the record will lock and prevent saving.
  - User must complete the ADL/IADL assessment prior to proceeding.

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## Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select "View Folder" from the "Record Options" menu on the right side.
    - From the left "Search Records" menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the "A&A Service Activity" document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

- Considerations:
- The Activity Type dropdown options change based on if it's associated with a program enrollment or not.
  - If linked to an enrollment - The available dropdown options for the Activity Type field will pull from the Services Directory values linked to the Provider Authorized Program and Services record that the participant's Program Enrollment is associated with.
- If follow-up is required, the Follow-up date will be required, and a date completed field will be available to enter later.
  - These records will then be available for review in the [Follow-ups required report](#) dashboard
- If you need to log outbound referrals, a link will appear to create a record for each referral made



- If the Activity Type is a follow-up or outgoing call, the Select Topics field will appear

## Creating Referral Log records

This form lives within the Participants document folder and can be completed from either the Document Folder, or from within a Case Notes and Contacts record.

This does not replace the UCM system used to manage referrals. This is just to track high-level information about the types of referrals being made out for participants.

Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the “Referral Log” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

The screenshot shows the 'Bob Aging Test' document folder. At the top, there are buttons for 'Edit', 'Create', and 'Print'. Below these is a 'Quick View Information' section. The main area is titled 'DOCUMENT FOLDER' and contains a list of documents. The documents are: '[A&A] Program Enrollment (4 records)', '[A&A] Case notes and Contacts (5 records)', '[A&A] Referral Log (1 record)', '[A&A] Roster Attendance (0 records)', and '[A&A] Document Upload (0 records)'. The '[A&A] Referral Log (1 record)' entry is highlighted with an orange box, and a yellow arrow points to the black paper plus icon on its right side.

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

[A&A] Referral Log

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information ▶

Main ▼

**\*Program Making the Referral**

-- Please Select -- ▼

**\*Date of Referral**

MM/DD/YYYY

**\*Who referral was made to**

**What was the referral for?**

**Outcome**

--Please Select-- ▼

**Comments (date and time stamp will be automatically applied for each entry)**

Enter New Text

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options ▼

Save Record

New [A&A] Referral Log

View Folder

Go To Search

Assigned Programs ▼

(New) [A&A] Linkages

Program Access

Record Save Checklist ▼

Required Field Checks

\*Date of Referral

\*Who referral was made to

\*Program Making the Referral

Field Validation Checks

## Creating Document Upload records

This form lives within the Participants document folder and can be completed from the Document Folder. This is used to upload attachments for the Participant as needed. Information in the attachments cannot be pulled into reports (only the fields on the form itself can.).

Steps:

- Navigate to the Participant's Document Folder
  - Either:
    - If already on a record related to the Participant, select “View Folder” from the “Record Options” menu on the right side.
    - From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Participants record and click into any cell that does not have green/mint text
- Find the “Document Upload” document type and select the black paper plus sign to the right to create a new record.

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information

DOCUMENT FOLDER CENSUS LINKS ENROLLMENTS APPOINTMENTS ATTENDANCE

All Documents ☐ Expand Multiline Search Forms

- [A&A] Program Enrollment (4 records)
- [A&A] Case notes and Contacts (5 records)
- [A&A] Referral Log (1 record)
- [A&A] Roster Attendance (0 records)
- [A&A] Document Upload (0 records)

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
- Save the record once complete.

[A&A] Document Upload

Bob Aging Test

Quick View Information

Main

\*Date of Document MM/DD/YYYY

Associated Enrollment (if applicable) -- Please Select --

\*Document Type --Please Select--

This field is required.

\*Attach Doc Choose File No files open

Up to 25 MB

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options

- Save Record
- New [A&A] Document
- View Folder
- Go To Search

Assigned Programs

(New) [A&A] Linkages

Program Access

Record Save Checklist

Required Field Checks

- \*Date of Document
- \*Attach Doc
- \*Document Type

Field Validation Checks

## Creating and Managing Rosters and Attendance

This is used by External Partners to track service delivery to multiple participants in a specified timeframe or instance en masse. This may include things such as congregate meals, home delivered meals, group classes and activities, etc. (Do not use this for activities such as Case Management, or any activity that needs notes/follow-ups/etc.)

External partners must ensure that Participants receiving registered services also have a [Program Enrollment](#), [A&A Demographics](#) collected, and any necessary [assessments](#) completed.

#### Considerations:

- The service start/end dates should not exceed one month, and can be used for as little as one day
- Select the Provider first- this will determine the values available in the “Select Authorized Program”
  - Select if the roster is tracking Registered or Unregistered services
  - This will determine what Service values are available to select
- If the service is for Registered Participants, the Register Participants section will be required to select who is receiving services
- If the roster is for Unregistered participants, fields will be required to count the number of:
  - Total Participants Served
  - The Number of Units
  - And the Number of New Participants (as part of the total served)
- If using the copy record feature, the dates, total counts, and attendances will not copy over.
- This can be used to track an “attendance” per day for the roster per individual, or one attendance record for the roster timeframe- user must be careful not to create duplicate attendance records if the intent is the latter.

#### Creating a new Roster

##### Steps:

- From the left “Search Records” menu, search for A&A Roster records.
  - First, you will want to search existing records to ensure you do not already have an existing roster for that timeframe.
    - Click the Add Search Field and select which field (typically date or service) that you want to search.
      - Fill out the appropriate fields for the search.
        - If the Roster already exists, open the record and verify this is the record you need to track attendance records for.
          - Either click on the hyperlink mint green text to go directly to the Roster details, or if you open the document folder, Click Edit to see the main screen for the Roster.
            - You may also review attendance records already created from the main screen for the Roster as well.
        - If the roster does not exist, click the New Roster from the Search Actions menu on the right.

Administrator

Dashboard

Inventory

Search Records

Participant

[SOMS] Referral Directory Profile

[A&A] Call Log

**[A&A] Rosters**

Hidden Records

My Applicant Tools

[A&A] Rosters ?

[A&A] Rosters Search

-- Add Search Field --
-- Status --
Browse All

The following 10 [A&A] Rosters records are available

Service Date Start	Service Date End	Provider	Is This For Registered Or U...	Serv
		Council on Aging	Registered	Hon Deli Mea
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Non-registered	Hon Deli Mea reg.
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Non-registered	Nut Edu (C-1
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Registered	Con Mea
09/01/2025	09/30/2025	Council on Aging	Registered	Con Mea

EXPAND ALL

Search Actions

New [A&A] Rosters

Clear Search History

Program Access

Merge Folders

Create Referral

Show Enrollment Actions

Favorite Lists

-- Select Favorite List --

Favorite Details

- Complete all required fields and applicable optional fields.
  - Rosters can be used to track both Registered and Unregistered services
    - If the roster is to track Registered services for participants, select all Participants that are receiving services.
      - To Register Participants, click the +Add button from the Register Participants section. A separate search screen will appear to select the Participants.
        - Click on each Participants you wish to register and they will be added to the Roster registration grid. Once done, close the search screen.
      - If the roster is to track Unregistered services, complete the count fields as required.
  - Save Record from the "Record Options" menu on the right.
    - You may proceed to the next step to track attendance records for registered individuals.

[A&A] Rosters

Main

\*Service Date Start

MM/DD/YYYY

\*Service Date End

MM/DD/YYYY

\*Provider

-- Please Select --

\*Select Authorized Program

-- Please Select --

\*Is this for registered or unregistered participants?

☐ Registered
 ☐ Non-registered

\*Service

-- Please Select --

Unit type for this service

--Please Select--

Service Unit Type	Definition
Hour	Service Unit of "1" is equal to 1 hour of service

COLLAPSE ALL

Record Options

Save Record

New [A&A] Rosters

Go To Search

Assigned Programs

(New) [A&A] Linkages

Program Access

Record Save Checklist

Required Field Checks

\*Service Date Start

\*Service Date End

\*Is this for registered or ...

\*Provider

\*Select Authorized Program

\*Service

Field Validation Checks

## Steps for utilizing the Registration Grid to track attendance for Registered Participants:

For registered services tracked via Rosters, the Registration Grid feature is utilized to track attendance/units received per individual served in the timeframe.

- If not already within the Roster, search for and open the pertinent record.
- Find the “Registration Grid” button on the right side of the screen and click it, this will open the Registration Grid screen.

Session

multiple times in multiple locations. A session for C-2 is one set of handouts covering the same topic(s).  
*Elder Abuse Prevention Public Education*: One presentation or participation in one event, including extended events (lasting one or more days), is counted as one session.  
*Elder Abuse Prevention Training for Professionals/Caregivers*: One presentation is counted as one session.

Register Participants ▾

\* Select the Participants you need to register for these services

☒ Hide Deactivated Links + Add

Participant					Link Info		
Name ▾	Date of birth ▾	Intake date ▾	Record ID ▾	Email ▾	Active ▾	Delete	Date ▾
Jane Aging Test	01/01/1950	08/29/2025	455017	No Data Available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Added on 08/29/2025
Kris Aging Test	08/28/2025	08/28/2025	454917	No Data Available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Added on 08/28/2025

Total Active Links:2, Total Deactivated Links:0, Current Active Links:2, Current Deactivated Links:0

Record Options ▾

Save Record

Print Mode

Copy Record

View History

New [A&A] Rosters

New Registration

View Folder

Go To Search

Assigned Programs ▾

Council on Aging

Program Access

Record Save Checklist ▾

Required Field Checks

Field Validation Checks

Last Saved ▾

08/29/2025 12:01 PM PDT

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- From within the Registration screen, you have a few options to utilize for tracking attendance.
  - The “Update All” row at the top will allow you to set defaults values for all Participants for the roster as a starting point.
    - You may then further update each individual Participants attendance record as needed.

New Registration Section for 08/01/2025

08/01/2025

Quick View Information ▶

New Registration Section ▾

Track Attendance

08/20/2025 1 Update

Participant	09/01/2025	
2 Records		
	<b>*Number of Units</b>	Update All
	<input type="text" value="0.0"/>	
<a href="#">Jane Aging Test</a>	<input type="text" value="5"/>	<b>*Number of Units</b>
		<input type="text" value="0.0"/>
<a href="#">Kris Aging Test</a>	<input type="text" value="12"/>	<b>*Number of Units</b>
		<input type="text" value="0.0"/>

COLLAPSE ALL

Registration Options ▾

Save Records

Return to Record

View Folder

Program Access

Go To Search

- Once all participants' information has been entered, click the Save Records button in the Registration Options menu.
  - Note that you may enter a record per day per person with units. If you are intending to only track one record per individual for the month, ensure you do not create a second attendance record for them on a separate date for that same roster.
    - Further- clicking the “Delete” button from the grid below will only delete the link to the record, it will not delete the actual attendance record. If you accidentally created an attendance record that needs to be removed- you must open the attendance record itself and archive it.
- You may then click the Return to Record button to return to the main Roster screen.
  - You will now see a section called Tracked Attendances reflecting the Roster Attendance records you just created from the Registration Grid.
    - These will also show in the Participants Document Folder under the Roster Attendances.

Register Participants ▼

**\* Select the Participants you need to register for these services**

☒ Hide Deactivated Links
 + Add

Participant					Link Info		
Name ▼	Date of birth ▼	Intake date ▼	Record ID ▼	Email ▼	Active ▼	Delete	Date ▼
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Total Active Links:2, Total Deactivated Links:0, Current Active Links:2, Current Deactivated Links:0

Tracked Attendances ▼

**Roster attendances**

☒ Hide Deactivated Links
 + Add

Participant					[A&A] Roster Attendance		Link Info		
Name ▼	Date of birth ▼	Intake date ▼	Record ID ▼	Email ▼	Date ▼	Number of Units ▼	Active ▼	Delete	Date ▼
Jane Aging Test	01/01/1950	08/29/2025	455017	No Data Available	09/01/2025	5.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Added on 09/01/2025
Kris Aging Test	08/28/2025	08/28/2025	454917	No Data Available	09/01/2025	12.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Added on 09/01/2025

## Copying an existing Roster

Copying a roster is useful for services that happen regularly- as the majority of details are copied over, and only certain fields will need to be updated:

**\*\*Note:** Only the Roster is copied- NOT the attendance records or registration of participants.

Steps:

- From the left “Search Records” menu, search for Roster records.
  - First, you will want to search existing records to find the roster you want to make a copy of.
    - Click the Add Search Field and select which field(s) that you want to search.
      - Tip: Selecting “Other” will allow you to enter in text if you cannot see a specific value in the list.
    - Once you find the roster you would like to copy, open the record and verify this is the record you need to copy.
      - Either click on the hyperlink mint green text to go directly to the roster details, or if you open the document folder, Click Edit to see the main screen for the roster.
    - If a roster that matches what you need for copying does not exist, you will need to create one from scratch instead.

**[A&A] Rosters** ?

**[A&A] Rosters Search**

-- Add Search Field -- -- Status -- [Browse All](#)

The following 10 [A&A] Rosters records are available

Service Date Start	Service Date End	Provider	Is This For Registered Or U...	Serv
		Council on Aging	Registered	Hon Del Mea
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Non-registered	Hon Del Me reg
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Non-registered	Nut Edu (C-1
08/01/2025	08/31/2025	Council on Aging	Registered	Con Mea
09/01/2025	09/30/2025	Council on Aging	Registered	Con Mea

**EXPAND ALL**

**Search Actions** ▼

- + New [A&A] Rosters
- X Clear Search History
- Program Access
- Merge Folders
- Create Referral
- Show Enrollment Actions

**Favorite Lists** ▼

-- Select Favorite List -- ▼

**Favorite Details** ▼

- Once you have opened the existing record you want to copy, you will need to select the Copy Record option from the Record Options menu.
  - **\*\*Note:** Once you click Copy Record, **the new roster will automatically be created**- if you do this on accident, the copy will need to be archived to ensure it does not affect reports. Either go to the copy of the record and select Archive, or contact your apricot administrator for assistance in archiving the record.
    - This can be searched for by created date and user if needed.



[A&A] Rosters

**COLLAPSE ALL**

**Main ▾**

**\*Service Date Start**  
08/01/2025

**\*Service Date End**  
08/31/2025

**\*Provider**  
Council on Aging

**\*Select Authorized Program**  
Nutrition Services:07/01/2025

**\*Is this for registered or unregistered participants?**  
☐ Registered  
☒ Non-registered

**\*Service**  
Home-Delivered Meals/Non reg.

**Unit type for this service**  
Meal

**\*Total Participants Served**  
10

**\*Number of Units**  
30

**Record Options ▾**

- Save Record
- Print Mode
- Copy Record**
- View History
- New [A&A] Rosters
- New Registration
- View Folder
- Go To Search

**Assigned Programs ▾**

- Program Access

**Record Save Checklist**

- Once you click Copy Record, a copy is created and a pop-up asking you if you would like to go to the Copy or stay on the original record you were on will appear. **Ensure you select Go To Copy.**

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**Record Copied**

The copy was created

Reload Original Record Go To Copy

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[A&A] Rosters

**COLLAPSE ALL**

**Main ▾**

**\*Service Date Start**  
08/01/2025

**\*Service Date End**  
08/31/2025

**\*Provider**  
Council on Aging

**\*Select Authorized Program**  
Nutrition Services:07/01/2025

**\*Is this for registered or unregistered participants?**  
☐ Registered  
☒ Non-registered

**\*Service**  
Home-Delivered Meals/Non reg.

**Record Options ▾**

- Save Record
- Print Mode
- Copy Record
- View History
- New [A&A] Rosters
- New Registration
- View Folder
- Go To Search

- You will know you are on the copy of the record because the Service Start and End date fields will be blank and show as required, as well as other items in the Record Save Checklist.

[A&A] Rosters

COLLAPSE ALL

Main ▾

\*Service Date Start

MM/DD/YYYY

\*Service Date End

MM/DD/YYYY

\*Provider

Council on Aging

\*Select Authorized Program

Nutrition Services:07/01/2025

\*Is this for registered or unregistered participants?

Registered

Non-registered

\*Service

Home-Delivered Meals/Non reg.

\*Total Participants Served

0

\*Number of Units

0

\*Number of New Participants (should be part of the total served, not in addition to)

0

Service Unit Type	Definition
Hour	Service Unit of "1" is equal to 1 hour of service

Record Options ▾

Save Record

Print Mode

Copy Record

View History

New [A&A] Rosters

New Registration

View Folder

Go To Search

Assigned Programs ▾

Program Access

Record Save Checklist ▾

Required Field Checks

\*Service Date Start

\*Service Date End

\*Select Authorized Program

\*Service

- Review all fields and ensure you update any others as necessary.
  - The Start/End Date of the roster will need to be entered.
    - If unregistered: The Total Participants, New Participants, and Number of Units fields will need to be entered.
  - If you are copying a roster that requires registering participants, you will need to review the Registered Participants and remove any that were not served for that roster, and add any new participants needed.
    - Tracked attendance records will not be copied over. You will need create attendance records via the Registration grid once you have updated the registered participants.

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

- 1) How will I know if I have an Apricot user account?  
You will receive an email from the Apricot system OR you will be notified by an SOMS system administrator of your new account.
- 2) My password token is invalid, what do I do?  
Please use Forgot Password button on login screen  
<https://apricot.socialsolutions.com/>
- 3) What do we do if we are not collecting the required information on the participant profile?  
There are options for “unknown” if needed. Further, review the [A&A] Demographics form for additional data points being captured for all A&A participants.  
If additional information is required, please submit a support request for review.
- 4) If I see a duplicate warning and submit a ticket, how long will it take to resolve?

The team will receive an email immediately; we aspire to resolve service requests within 1 business day. Providers will be able to enter services for the participant after access is granted.