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Before you can manage your constituent information, you must first configure options available to use with constituents. From Constituents, you can access tasks required to configure these options under Configuration.

Constituencies

A constituency defines the affiliation a constituent has with your organization. From the Constituencies page, you can view and manage the available constituencies. To access the Constituencies page from Constituents, click Constituencies under Configuration.

**Note:** Donor constituencies, such as Major Donor, are automatically added to constituent records based on the level of donor giving. Revenue reporting filters help determine what types of revenue are considered when calculating donor constituencies. For example, when you specify pledge donations as a revenue reporting filter, pledge donations are considered when calculating donor constituencies. For more information about revenue reporting filters, refer to Revenue Filters.

Under Constituencies, you can change the order constituencies appear on reports and record summaries. For example, to display the Board member constituency before the Volunteer constituency, you can move Board members above Volunteer in the list of constituencies. For information about how to change the constituency order, see Edit Constituency Order on page 19.

For information about the VSE Survey Report, see the Fundraising Purposes Guide.

Constituency Types

There are several default constituency types which the program may automatically add to a constituent. However, you can also manually add many constituencies to a constituent under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. Constituencies also appear under Active constituencies in the summary of a constituent record and are sometimes a link to additional information about the constituent.

**Note:** To add user defined constituency types, from Administration, click Code tables. Under the Biographical category, click Constituency under Code table name column. The Manage Code Table Entries page appears where you can manage your constituency types.
## Constituency Description

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<tr>
<th>Constituency</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Bank</td>
<td>The &quot;Bank&quot; constituency is automatically added to any organization constituent you have set up as a bank in Manage bank accounts or Bank search in Treasury. You cannot manually add this constituency, but you can manually delete this constituency if it no longer applies or was added by mistake.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Board member</td>
<td>Under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab, you can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When you add the constituency, it appears under Active constituencies on the constituent record. When the end date of the board membership occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committee</td>
<td>When you add a committee, you actually add a group with this constituency type. Committee groups have all of the group functionality, but can optionally also be event coordinators and solicitors. On the group page for a committee, you can manage the basics for the group, such as group membership. On the Committee page for the group, you can view and manage details about the committee.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committee member</td>
<td>When you add a constituent to a committee, the constituent is assigned this constituency. When the end date of the committee membership occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency.</td>
</tr>
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</table>
| Donor        | The criteria for the Donor constituency is established by the Constituencies task under Configuration in Constituents. The constituency appears on a constituent when the constituent meets the criteria established. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  

*Note:* If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| Event registrant | When a constituent is registered for an event, the constituent receives the event registrant constituency. |
| Fundraiser    | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
## Constituency Description

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| **Loyal donor** | A constituent receives the "Loyal donor" constituency when the constituent meets the **Loyal donor definition** criteria set up in the Constituencies configuration task in Constituents. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  

**Note:** If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| **Major donor** | A constituent receives the "Major donor" constituency when the constituent meets the **Major donor definition** criteria set up in the Constituencies configuration task in Constituents. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  

**Note:** If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| **Member** | When you add an active membership to a constituent, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent. You can also manually add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates.  

When the membership expires, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
| **Patron** | When you add a constituent to a sales order that contains tickets, the program automatically adds this constituency to the Constituencies tab of the constituent record.  

For information about patrons and ticket sales, see the **Sales Basics Guide**. |
| **Recognized donor** | When you include a constituent in a recognition program, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record when you run the recognition process. |
| **Relation only** | When you add the constituent as a relationship of another constituent and there is no other constituency assigned, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record.  

When another constituency is added to the constituent, either manually or by the program, the ‘Relation only’ constituency is removed. |
| **Staff** | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
| **Vendor** | When you add a constituent as a vendor and associate the vendor with event expenses, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record. |
Constituency Description

| Volunteer | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When you add a constituent as a volunteer in Volunteers, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituency is automatically removed from the constituent record. |

Edit the Donor Constituencies Criteria

When a constituent first makes a donation, the program automatically applies a constituency of Donor to the constituent. You can configure the constituency of Donor to apply only to constituents who donate within a specified period of time, such as of a certain date or within a certain number of years. This time frame determines who your organization considers to be a donor.

You can also define the criteria used to define a donor as a Loyal donor or a Major donor. You can configure the constituency of Loyal donor to apply only to constituents who donate within a specified period of time, such as a certain number of consecutive years. You can configure the constituency of Major donor based on a constituent’s total lifetime giving or largest donation. You can also select whether to consider recognition credits in the totals for the donor constituencies.

Your settings here ensure the program uses the Donor, Loyal donor, and Major donor constituencies consistently, such as in constituent records and selections.

Edit the Donor constituency criteria

1. From Constituents, click Constituencies under Configuration. The Constituency page appears.
2. To determine what payments to include in constituency calculations, under Donor constituency criteria, click Edit. On the Edit donor constituency criteria screen, select whether to include the recognition credits of a constituent in the totals for the constituency definitions and click Save.
3. To determine the criteria for individual constituencies, expand the constituency you want to edit and click Edit constituency criteria. You can edit criteria for the Donor, Loyal donor, and Major donor constituencies.
4. For each type of constituency, make criteria selections.
   - For donors, you can either use a specific number of years, or a date since the constituent has given. To apply a constituency of Donor to a constituent who has donated within a number of recent years, select Constituent has given in recent years. In the Years field, enter the number of years to the current date within which the constituent must have donated. For example, to include all constituents who donated within the past three years, enter 3. To apply a constituency of Donor to a constituent who has donated since a specific date, select Constituent has given since a specific date. In the Date field, select the date after which a constituent must have last donated to have a constituency of Donor.
   - For loyal donors, enter how many consecutive months or years to the date the donors
must give before you consider them to be a loyal donor.

- For major donors, you can indicate a minimum lifetime giving amount and/or a minimum single donation. If you configure minimum amounts for both lifetime giving and largest donation criteria, the program assigns the Major donor constituency to a donor who meets either criteria. The program does not require a donor meet both minimum amounts to have a constituency of Major donor. To apply the constituency based on the lifetime giving of a constituent, select Has lifetime giving greater than or equal to. In the field, enter the minimum total lifetime giving a constituent must donate to have a constituency of Major donor. To apply the constituency based on the largest donation of a constituent, select Has a largest donation greater than or equal to. In the field, enter the minimum amount of a largest donation a constituent must donate to have a constituency of Major donor.

Edit Constituency Order

You can change the order constituencies display on reports and record summaries based on what is important to your organization.

> Edit constituency order

1. From Constituents, under Configuration, click Constituencies. The Constituencies page appears.
2. Under Constituencies, click Edit constituency order. The Edit constituency order screen appears.
3. Select the constituencies to move and click the up or down arrows to move them to the desired position. The constituency at the top of the list appears first on reports and record summaries, followed in order by the constituencies below it.
4. After you make the changes, click Save. You return to the Constituencies page.

Mark Constituencies as Inactive

When you no longer use a constituency, it is best to mark it as inactive. Inactive constituencies cannot be applied to constituents, and they do not appear as filters in queries or reports. If you inactivate a constituency that had previously been assigned to a constituent, the summary section of the constituent's record no longer shows that constituency. Inactivating constituencies you do not use reduces the likelihood of data-entry mistakes and improves system performance.

You mark constituencies as active or inactive from the Constituencies page. From Constituents, click Constituencies under Configuration. On this page, active constituencies show a checkmark on the Active column. To mark a constituency as inactive, select the row and click Mark inactive.

Once you inactivate a constituency, you can reactivate it at any time. When you reactivate a constituency, any constituents who had previously been identified with that constituency will show it as active. To reactivate a constituency, on the Constituencies page select the constituency and click Mark active.
Constituency Stored-Value Refresh Process

To help improve performance with querying on constituency information, we have added the ability to create and run a Constituency Stored-Value Refresh Process. The process recalculate constituencies across your database, you must run the constituency refresh process. We recommend that you queue this process to run regularly, such as once a day. When you run the process, all records are updated with any constituency changes, and any reactivated constituencies that were previously marked as inactive appear on the appropriate records.

You can still query on constituencies, but you can also query based on the stored values of constituencies.

Add Constituency Refresh Process

1. From Constituents, click Constituency refresh process under Maintenance. The Constituency Refresh Processes screen appears.
2. Click Add. The Add a constituency refresh process screen appears.
3. Enter a name and a description for the process.
4. Under Criteria, select the constituencies you want to include in the refresh process. All constituencies, both default and user-defined, are selected by default.
5. To apply the refresh process to a specific group of records, enter a selection in the Selected constituents field. When you leave this field empty, the process refreshes all records on your database.
6. Click Save. To run the process, select the process on the Constituency Refresh Processes screen and click Start process.
Constituent Group Types

Before you add a constituent group record to the database, you must define the types of constituent groups used at your organization, such as giving circles and family foundations. To view or manage your constituent group types from Constituents, click Constituent group types under Configuration. The Constituent Group Types page appears.

Under Constituent group types, your constituent group types appear. For each type, you can view its description, whether the group may be a donor, whether to include gifts from members as revenue from the group, and whether the group type is active. To display inactive group types, click Filter, select Include inactive and click Apply.

From the grid, you can add and manage your organization’s constituent group types.

Add Constituent Group Types

Before you add a constituent group record to the database, you must define its group type, such as giving circle or family foundation.

Add a constituent group type

1. From Constituents, click Constituent group types under Configuration. The Constituent Group Types page appears.
2. Under Constituent group types, click Add. The Add a constituent group type screen appears.
3. Enter a unique name and a description to help identify the group type.
4. Select whether groups of this type can be donors and whether to include charitable revenue received from the group’s members in the overall giving summary of the group. If you select Include member giving in group giving summaries, the program includes the revenue received from the members of the group in the giving views and total giving amount of the group.
5. Click Save. You return to the Constituent Group Types page.

Delete Constituent Group Types

After you add a constituent group type, you can delete it as necessary, such as when your organization no longer uses it. You cannot delete a group type when it is assigned to a constituent group.

Tip: To retain a history of the constituent group type in your database but still prevent its use, mark the group type as inactive rather than delete the record. For information about how to mark a
constituent group type as inactive, see Mark Constituent Group Types as Inactive or Active on page 23.

Mark Constituent Group Types as Inactive or Active

To retain information about a constituent group type that your organization no longer uses, you can make the group type inactive in the database.

After you mark a constituent as inactive, you can mark the constituent as active again if necessary.

Constituent Financial Institutions

In Constituents, you can store information about the financial institutions your constituents use. You manage this information on the Constituent Financial Institutions page. To access the Constituent Financial Institutions page from Constituents, click Constituent financial institutions under Configuration.

Under Constituent financial Institutions, you can view financial institutions in the database. For each institution, you can view its name, branch name, and routing number. You enter this information when you add the financial institution to the database. To update the information that appears in the grid, click Refresh on the action bar.

Depending on your security rights and system role, you can manage the financial institutions from the action bar.

Note: You set up your organization’s bank accounts from the Manage Bank Accounts page in Treasury. After you set up a bank account, you can select a specific bank account to process your organization’s financial transactions, such as transactions included in a direct debit transmission file. For information about how to manage bank accounts, see the Treasury Guide.
Add Constituent Financial Institutions

**Add a constituent financial institution**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Constituent financial institutions** under **Configuration**. The Constituent Financial Institutions page appears.

2. Under **Constituent financial institutions**, click **Add** on the action bar. The Add constituent financial institution screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add Constituent Financial Institution Screen on page 25**.

   **Note:** To add a financial institution from the Financial Institution Search screen, click **Add** on the action bar of the **Results** grid.

3. In the **Financial institution** field, enter the name of the financial institution.

4. To further identify the financial institution, enter its branch and routing number information.

5. Under **Rejection codes**, enter the rejection codes associated with the routing number.

   **Note:** When you process direct debit transactions, you receive a return file from your financial institution that includes result codes for any rejected transactions. When you commit the Direct Debit Return batch, the program attempts to match a result code to a rejection code to verify that the financial institution rejected the transaction. For more information about the Direct Debit Return batch, see the **Batch and Import Guide**.

6. Under **Contact information**, enter address and phone number information about the branch.

7. Click **Save**. You return to the Constituent Financial Institutions page. In the grid, the new financial institution appears.
Add Constituent Financial Institution Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add constituent financial institution screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Constituent Financial Institutions on page 24.

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<th>Screen Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Financial institution</td>
<td>Enter the name of the financial institution.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Branch</td>
<td>As financial institutions often have multiple branches, enter a name to identify this branch of the institution, such as Downtown or Baker Street.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Routing number</td>
<td>Enter the routing number used to identify the financial institution.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Rejection code</td>
<td>Enter the rejection codes associated with the routing number. The program uses this information to determine whether the financial institution rejects a direct debit transaction.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Contact information</td>
<td>Enter the address and telephone number information for the financial institution.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Edit a Constituent Financial Institution

On the Constituent Financial Institutions page, you can edit information about a financial institution used by a constituent. For example, you can change the name of the financial institution to reflect a bank merger.

> Edit a constituent financial institution

1. From Constituents, click Constituent financial institutions under Configuration. The Constituent Financial Institutions page appears.
2. Under Constituent Financial Institutions, click the institution you want to edit.
3. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit constituent financial institution screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add constituent financial institution screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Constituent Financial Institution Screen on page 25.
4. Edit the information as necessary.
5. Click Save. You return to the Constituent Financial Institutions page.

First Name and Gender Defaults

The program includes thousands of first names with default gender assignments in place. To view and manage the first name gender defaults, such as to add a name or change a gender assignment, from Constituents, click First names under Configuration.
Add a first name and default gender

1. From Constituents, click First names under Configuration. The First Names page appears.
2. Under First names, click Add. The Add a first name screen appears.
3. Enter the first name for which you want to assign a gender default.
4. In the Gender field, select the gender to assign by default when a user enters the name.
5. Click Save. You return to the First Names page.

Household Settings

You can configure settings for constituent households on the Household Settings page. To access the Household Settings page from Constituents, click Household settings under Configuration.

Under Default household name format options, you can view the default name format options set for constituent households. When your organization communicates with a household, the program uses these defaults to create addressees and salutations for the household.

Note: You cannot associate revenue transactions with a constituent household, so households cannot have a constituency of Donor. To associate a transaction with a household, associate it with a member of the household. You can use recognition credits to recognize the amount of revenue your organization receives from the household in terms of its members’ giving.

Default Household Name Format Options

To ease communication with your constituent households, you can set up the default name format option to use with households. The name format option determines the addressees and salutations used in your communications with constituent households.

Note: For a specific constituent household, you can override the default household name format options. For information about how to set the name format for a specific household, see Add Name Formats for a Constituent on page 92.

Edit the default name format options for constituent households

1. From Constituents, click Household settings under Configuration. The Household Settings page appears.
2. Under Default household name format options, click Edit on the action bar. The Edit default household recognition options screen appears.
3. Select the name format option to use as default when your organization communicates with constituent households.

4. Click Save. You return to the Manage Household Settings page.

Life Changes

It may be beneficial for your organization to set standard operating policies around how to reflect changes to a constituent’s record after they are marked as deceased or get married. For example, to save money on mailings, you may consider policies to automatically change a deceased constituent’s solicit code to “Do not mail” and automatically update contact information for constituents when they marry.

On the Manage Life Changes page, you can configure the program to automatically update specific constituent information after you mark a constituent as deceased or update a constituent’s spousal relationship. To access the Manage Life Changes page from Constituents, click Life changes under Configuration.

**Note:** If system configuration options are not set for deceasing or for marriage, the Deceasing Options page or Marriage Options page does not appear.

To help you manage these configuration options, the Manage Life Changes page contains multiple tabs.

Deceasing Options

From the Deceasing tab on the Manage Life Changes page, you can configure the program to update specific constituent information automatically after you mark a constituent as deceased. You can also configure the program to display a Deceasing Options page so users can update a constituent’s relationships, constituencies, and other information after they mark a constituent as deceased.

Manage Global Rules for Deceased Constituents

When you configure global rules for deceased constituents, the program automatically applies these settings when a user or the DeceasedRecordFinder service marks a constituent as deceased. For example, after you mark a constituent as deceased, the program can automatically mark the constituent as inactive so they do not appear in searches.

**Set global rules for deceased constituents**

1. From Constituents, click Life changes under Configuration. The Manage Life Changes page appears.

2. Select the Deceasing tab.

4. Select the options to automatically apply when a user marks a constituent as deceased.

5. Click Save. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

When a user or the DeceasedRecordFinder service marks a constituent as deceased, the program automatically makes the changes specified to the constituent record.

**Edit Global Rules for Deceased Constituents Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Edit global rules for deceased constituents screen.

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<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Add solicit code to deceased</td>
<td>To automatically add a new solicit code to record of a constituent marked as deceased, select this checkbox and select the solicit code to apply, such as Do not mail.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>If financial accounts exist, change EFT status</td>
<td>To automatically change the electronic funds transfer (EFT) status of the financial accounts for a deceased constituent, select this checkbox and select the status to apply, such as Inactive.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Disable wealth updates for prospects marked deceased</td>
<td>To disable the Update prospect WealthPoint data process for constituents marked as deceased, select this checkbox. When you select this checkbox, the Update prospect WealthPoint data process no longer updates the record of a deceased prospect, even when included in a selection of constituents on which a WealthPoint update is executed.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Set record status to inactive for the deceased</td>
<td>To mark a deceased as constituent as inactive, such as to not include the constituent in search results, select this checkbox. To search for an inactive constituent, you must select Include inactive on the Search screen.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No longer give recognition credit for gifts given by the spouse</td>
<td>To not apply recognition credits to a deceased constituent for gifts received from the deceased constituent’s spouse, such as to keep recognition credits accurate, select this checkbox. When you select this checkbox, you do not affect existing recognition credit.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>If spouse exists, change marital status</td>
<td>To automatically update the marital status of the spouse of a constituent marked as deceased, select this checkbox and select the marital status to apply, such as Widowed.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Manage Options for Deceased Constituents

When you configure deceasing options, you determine which information appears on the Deceasing Options page that appears when a user or the DeceasedRecordFinder service marks a constituent as deceased so users can adjust information as necessary. For example, from the Deceasing Options page, users can determine whether to delete pending interactions for a deceased constituent or assign them to another constituent.

**Note:** When a user marks a constituent as deceased, the program automatically asks the user to evaluate and update the constituent information selected. If the options for deceased constituents are not configured, the Deceasing Options page does not appear.

> Set options for deceased constituents

1. From Constituents, click Life changes under Configuration. The Manage Life Changes page appears.
2. Select the Deceasing tab.
3. Under Options for deceased constituents, click Edit on the action bar. The Edit options for deceased constituents screen appears. For information about items on this screen, see Edit Options for Deceased Constituents Screen on page 31.
4. Select the information users can manage when a constituent is marked as deceased.
5. Click Save. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

Deceasing Options Page

Depending on the options your system administrator configures in Constituents, the Deceasing Options page appears when you mark a constituent as deceased. On this page, you can review the constituent record and update the constituent’s relationships, constituencies, and other information as necessary. To access the Deceasing Options page from a constituent record, click Go to deceasing options on the action bar under Deceased information on the Personal tab.

**Note:** In Constituents, your system administrator selects the information that appears on the Deceasing Options page. If no information is selected by your system administrator, the Deceasing Options page does not appear.

After you confirm the accuracy of the information on the Deceasing Options page, you can mark the information as reviewed.

You can manage constituent information that appears on the tabs on the Deceasing Options page.

**Constituencies Tab**

On the Constituencies tab, all affiliations the deceased constituent has with your organization appear. You can update this information as necessary. For example, if the deceased constituent was a board member for your organization, you can remove that constituency. If the constituent has a spouse or is part of a household, grids appear to display the constituencies of the spouse and household.

**Relationships Tab**

On the Relationships tab, all of the people with whom the deceased constituent is associated appear. You can update this information as necessary. For example, you can change the marital status of the
spouse of a deceased constituent or add an individual as the executor of the constituent. Constituents can have individual, organization, and household relationships.

**Interactions Tab**

On the Interactions tab, all specific communication activities and actions between your organization and the constituent appear. You can update this information as necessary. These can include meetings, telephone calls, email messages, and mailings. For example, if the deceased constituent has a pending telephone call interaction with your organization, you can remove it from their record.

**Personal Information tab**

On the Personal information tab, all name formats used for the constituent appear. You can update this information as necessary. For example, if the deceased constituent’s spouse has a name format of “Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jones,” you can remove the deceased constituent’s name from the salutation. If the constituent has a spouse or is part of a household, grids appear to display the name formats of the spouse and household.

**Documentation Tab**

On the Documentation tab, all notes, media links, and attachments for the constituent appear. You can update this information as necessary. For example, to include the deceased constituent’s obituary in their constituent record, you can attach a media link. Summary information for the selected documentation appears.

**Tributes Tab**

On the Tributes tab, all tributes associated with the constituent appear. With tributes, you recognize a donation to your organization in relation or tribute to someone else. For example, after a constituent is marked as deceased, you can create a tribute “In memory of...” to recognize the deceased constituent.

**Household/Groups Tab**

On the Household/Groups tab, all members of the constituent’s household appear under **Current household members.** You can update this information as necessary. For example, you can set the deceased constituent’s spouse as the primary household contact. If the constituent is a member of a constituent group, the groups appear under **Current group memberships.**

To access the record of the group, click its name in the grid.

**Edit Options for Deceased Constituents Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Edit options for deceased constituents screen.

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<td><strong>Individual</strong></td>
<td>Select the information about an individual constituent, such as constituencies or relationships, that users can manage after the constituent is marked as deceased.</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Individual's household</td>
<td>Select the information about an individual constituent's household, such as members and name formats, that users can manage when the individual is marked as deceased.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Individual's groups</td>
<td>Select whether to display the groups associated with an individual constituent on the Deceasing Options page when you mark the individual as deceased. When you select <strong>Show groups</strong>, users can manage information about the deceased constituent's group membership, such as to determine whether the membership in each group is still appropriate.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Marriage Options**

With marriage options, you can specify what happens when your constituents marry. For example, you can set a global rule to automatically change the marital status of the constituents. You can determine the options to display on the Marriage Options page that appears when a user adds a spouse for a constituent. You can also specify new familial relationships to automatically create for married constituents, such as "step-" and "-in-law" relationships.

**Edit Global Rules for Married Constituents**

When you configure global rules for married constituents, the program automatically applies these settings when a user adds a spouse to a constituent. For example, you can configure the program to automatically change the marital status of a constituent to Married when a user adds a spousal relationship.

> **Edit global rules for married constituents**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Life changes** under **Configuration**. The Manage Life Changes page appears.
2. Select the Marriage tab.
4. Select whether to automatically change the marital status of two constituents when a user marks them as spouses. If you select **Change marital status**, select the status to assign, such as Married.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

**Edit Options for Married Constituents**

When you configure marriage options, you determine which information appears on the Marriage Options page that appears when a user adds a spouse for a constituent so users can adjust information as necessary. For example, from the Marriage Options page, users can update contact information and select which address or phone number to use as the primary.
Note: When a user adds a spouse for a constituent, the program automatically asks the user to evaluate and update the constituent information selected. If the options for married constituents are not configured, the Marriage Options page does not appear.

Set options for married constituents

1. From Constituents, click Manage life changes under Configuration. The Manage Life Changes page appears.
2. Select the Marriage tab.
4. Select the information users can manage when they add a spouse to a constituent.
   When you select Update contact information, Update name formats, or Update household information, a corresponding tab appears on the Marriage Options page that appears after users add a spouse so they can determine which information is correct for the constituent.
5. Click Save. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

New Individual Relationships to Create for Marriages

Marriages can create new individual relationships, such as "step-" and "-in-law" familial relationships. You can configure the program to automatically create these relationships for a spouse when a user adds a spousal relationship, based on the spouse’s gender and the constituent’s existing relationships. For example, the program can create a stepparent relationship for a constituent when the spouse has a child.

The program may also create reciprocal relationships based the individual relationships it creates for a spouse. For example, if the program creates a Stepfather relationship for a constituent because the spouse has a daughter, the program may also create the reciprocal relationship of Stepdaughter.

Warning: If an existing reciprocal pattern does not exist for a relationship, the program does not automatically create the new relationships. For example, you can configure the program to create a relationship of Stepfather for male constituents when the spouse has a daughter. But if you do not configure a reciprocal relationship for Stepfather, such as Stepdaughter, the program cannot determine the relationship for the daughter and does not create a new relationship between the constituent and the spouse’s daughter. As you configure relationships for married constituents, we recommend you ensure the pattern for a reciprocal relationship exists between two individuals. Otherwise, you can manually enter the first occurrence of the relationship to establish the pattern for future relationships.

Add new relationships to create for marriages

1. From Constituents, click Life changes under Configuration. The Life Changes page appears.
2. Select the Marriage tab.
4. In the **For existing relationships on one spouse** grid, select the individual relationships on a constituent for which to create a new relationship for the spouse. For example, to create a relationship of Stepfather, select child relationships such as Son and Daughter.

5. In the **A new spouse with gender** field, select the gender on which to base the new relationship. For example, to create a new relationship applicable to a male spouse, select Male. To create a relationship applicable to either gender, select Any.

6. In the **Becomes the** field, select the relationship type to apply to the spouse based on the selected types of constituent relationships. For example, create Stepfather relationships between the spouse and the constituent's children, select Stepfather.

7. To view a diagram that explains the effect of your selections, click **What do my choices mean?**

8. Click **Save**. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

**Add a New Spouse Relationship Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Add a new spouse relationship screen.

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<td><strong>For existing relationships on one spouse</strong></td>
<td>Select the individual relationship types on a constituent for which to create a new relationship on the spouse. For example, to create a relationship of Stepfather, select child relationships such as Son and Daughter.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Screen Item | Description
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A new spouse with gender | Select a gender to which the new relationship applies. For example, to create relationship applicable only to a male spouse, select Male. To create a relationship applicable to either gender, select Any.

Becomes the | Select the relationship type to apply to the spouse based on the selected constituent relationships and gender. For example, to create stepfather relationships between the spouse and the constituent's children, select Stepfather.

What do my choices mean? | To view a diagram that explains the relationships and reciprocal relationships the program creates because of your selections, click this link.

Additional Relationships to Create Among Spouses’ Relationships

Marriages can create new individual relationships, such as "step-" and "-in-law" familial relationships. You can configure the program to automatically create these relationships for a constituent when a user adds a spousal relationship, based on the spouse’s relationships. For example, the program can create a step-sibling relationship for a constituent's child when the spouse also has a child.

The program may also create reciprocal relationships based the individual relationships it creates for a spouse's relationships. For example, if the program creates a Stepbrother relationship for a constituent's son because the spouse has a daughter, the program may also create the reciprocal relationship of Stepsister.

**Warning:** If an existing reciprocal pattern does not exist for a relationship, the program does not automatically create the new relationships. For example, you can configure the program to create a relationship of Stepbrother for a constituent's sons when the spouse has a daughter. But if you do not configure a reciprocal relationship for Stepbrother, such as Stepsister, the program cannot determine the relationship for the daughter and does not create a new relationship between the constituent's sons and the spouse's daughter. As you configure relationships for married constituents, we recommend you ensure the pattern for a reciprocal relationship exists between two individuals. Otherwise, you can manually enter the first occurrence of the relationship to establish the pattern for future relationships.

1. From Constituents, click Life changes under Configuration. The Manage Life Changes page appears.
2. Select the Marriage tab.
3. Under Additional relationships to create among spouse’s relationships, click Add on the action bar. The Add a new additional relationship to create screen appears.
4. In the **If one spouse has a** field, select the type of constituent relationship for which to create the new relationship. For example, to create a new relationship for a constituent’s daughters upon a marriage, select Daughter.

5. In the **They become the** field, select the relationship to assign the selected relationship type with respect to the spouse’s relationships. For example, to create stepsister relationships between the constituent’s daughters and the spouse’s children, select Stepsister.

6. In the **For existing relationships on the other spouse** grid, select the types of the spouse’s relationships for which to create the new relationship. For example, for step-siblings, select Daughter or Son.

7. Click **Save**. You return to the Manage Life Changes page.

### Origination Settings

You can use constituent origin information to track the source for the constituent record.

To view or edit constituent origin information from a constituent record, click **History** under **More information**. On the Origin tab, click **Edit**. You can edit or select a constituent source. You cannot edit the date the record was added. Origination information also appears in **Query** so you can analyze your data and measure and compare the effectiveness of your constituent sources.

**Assign a default constituent source for revenue**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Origination settings** under **Configuration**. The Origination Settings page appears.

2. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit constituent source code for revenue screen appears.

3. Select the default source code to assign to a constituent added at the same time as a revenue transaction or when the constituent has no source code defined at the time revenue is added.

4. Click **Save**. When users add revenue for a constituent with no source defined, the program automatically assigns the default constituent source code for revenue.
Social Media Services

To build relationships and learn more about your constituents, you can track their accounts for social media services, such as Flickr or Twitter, and social networking services, such as Facebook, Google+ or LinkedIn.

For example, if a volunteer blogs or Tweets, you can link to his social media account, so you can follow his media posts and encourage him to write about his support for your organization. For information about how to manage social media accounts on a constituent's record, see Manage Social Media for a Constituent on page 84.

By default, Blackbaud configures Facebook, Flickr, Google+, LinkedIn, Myspace and Twitter services. As new social media and networking activities become popular, you can add and manage them as necessary to track constituent activity online. To access the Social Media Services page from Constituents, click Social media services under Configuration.

**Add a social media service**

When constituents join new social media and social networking services, you can add services to track constituents' accounts and add an account to a constituent's record.

1. From Constituents, click Social media services under Configuration. The Social Media Services page appears.
2. Click Add. The Add a social media service screen appears.
3. Enter the name of the social media or social networking service.
4. To include an icon for the service, click Choose file and browse to and select an image from your computer.

**Note:** Icons should be 16 pixels by 16 pixels.
5. Click Save. You return to the Social Media Services page. By default, the new service is active.
Reason Codes

With reason codes, your organization can standardize the reasons users change information and restrict the use of records, such as when they mark a constituent as inactive or write off unpaid pledges. When users make the change, they can select this code to consistently explain the reason for the change. On the Reason Codes page, you can view and manage the reason codes your organization uses. To access the Reason Codes page from Constituents, click Reason codes under Configuration.

For more information about reason codes, see the Administration Guide.

Relationship Settings

On the Relationship Settings page, you can manage your constituent relationship types and configure settings for corporate relationships used for organization constituents.

To access the Relationship Settings page, from Constituents, click Relationship settings under Configuration.

To help you manage your relationship types and settings, the Relationship Settings page contains multiple tabs.

Relationship Types

On the Relationship Types tab of the Relationship Settings page, you can manage the relationship types used with your constituents. For example, your organization may specify that a relationship type of Brother applies to only the male gender, or that Sister applies only to the female gender. You can also specify the types of constituents the relationship type applies, along with the types of constituents who can have relationships of this type. For example, a relationship type of Employee might apply to only individuals—that is, only individual constituents can be considered as employees.

When you add relationships to constituents, you specify the reciprocal relationship. If you add a relationship type of Father to a constituent, the reciprocal relationship might be Son or Daughter. The most common relationship pairs become the default reciprocal relationships. If your organization has more father/daughter pairs than father/son pairs, the default reciprocal relationship when you add a relationship type of Father is Daughter. However, you can still select Son or any other value for the reciprocal relationship.

Add Relationship Types

From the Relationship Settings page, you can add relationship types. When you add a relationship type, you also select the gender and types of constituents to which it applies.

Add a relationship type

1. From Constituents, click Relationship settings under Configuration. The Relationship Settings page appears.
2. On the Relationship Types tab, click Add. The Add a relationship type screen appears.

3. In the Relationship field, enter a unique name for the relationship type such as Brother or Employee.

4. Select the gender to which the relationship type applies. If the relationship type applies to either gender, select "Any."

5. Under This relationship can be, select the types of constituents who can have a relationship of this type. For example, a relationship type of Employee might apply only to individual constituents, as only individuals are considered employees.

6. Under This relationship can have relationships with, select the types of constituents who can have a relationship with constituents of this relationship type. For example, a relationship type of Employee relates to both individuals and organizations, as both may be employers and have employees.

7. Click Save. You return to the Relationship Settings page.

Mark Relationship Types Active or Inactive

Rather than delete an relationship type, you can mark it as inactive. The relationship type remains in your database, but users can no longer apply it to constituent relationships. To mark a relationship type as inactive, select it on the Relationship Types tab on the Relationship Settings page and click Mark inactive. To reactivate an inactive relationship type, select it under Relationship types and click Mark active.

To display inactive relationship types on the Relationship Types page, click Filter, select Include inactive, and click Apply.

Delete Relationship Types

From the Relationship Settings page, you can delete a relationship type, such as if your organization no longer uses it.

Tip: Rather than delete a relationship type, you can mark it as inactive. Inactive relationship types remain in your database, but users cannot apply them to constituent relationships. For information
about how to mark a relationship type as inactive, see Mark Relationship Types Active or Inactive on page 39

Corporate Relationships

From the Corporate Relationships tab on the Relationship Settings page, you can configure relationships for parent, intermediate, and subsidiary organizations. You can also specify corporate peer and employee relationships.

An organization constituent’s employee information appears in corporate summaries for that organization. Corporate summaries include general data, giving history, and employee information for an organization. On the Corporate Information page for an organization constituent, you can view corporate summaries on the Revenue, Employee Giving, and Prospect Plans tabs. You can also view corporate peer organizations on the Corporate Information page.

To ensure that an organization constituent’s corporate data accurately includes all employee totals, you must specify the employee relationship types to include in the totals. For example, you can specify that records with relationship types of Employee and Owner count as employees for an organization. When you view corporate summaries, all employees and owners then count as employees and appear in all employee data for the organization.

Configure corporate relationships

1. From Constituents, click Relationship settings under Configuration. The Relationship Settings page appears.

3. In the **Parent organization is the** field, select the default relationship type that the parent organization represents in the relationship, such as Parent Corporation.

4. In the **Subsidiary organization is the** field, select the default relationship type that the subsidiary organization represents in the relationship, such as Subsidiary.

5. Select whether to automatically create relationships between subsidiary organizations and their intermediate parent organizations.

6. If you select **Create relationships between subsidiary and intermediate organizations**, select the relationship types to assign to the intermediate parent and subsidiary organizations. The program then creates relationships between the subsidiary organization and all organizations above it.

7. Select whether to automatically create relationships between subsidiary organizations and their top parent organizations.

8. If you select **Create relationship between subsidiary and top organization**, select the relationship types to apply to the top parent and subsidiary organizations. A relationship is then created between the bottom organization and the top organization.

9. Select whether to automatically set end dates when relationships between subsidiary and parent relationships are no longer valid, such as due to dissolution.

10. Under **Corporate peers**, select the relationship types for peer organizations.

11. Corporate peers are other organizations with information to include on the Corporate Information page, such as corporate foundations. Corporate peers also appear on the Extended Network page of the organization.


13. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationship Settings page.

### Configure Corporate Relationships Screen

The table below explains the items on the Configure corporate relationships screen. For information about how to access this screen, see [Corporate Relationships on page 40](#).

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<tr>
<td><strong>Parent organization is the</strong></td>
<td>Select the default relationship type that the parent organization represents in the relationship, such as Parent Corporation.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Subsidiary organization is the</strong></td>
<td>Select the default relationship type that the subsidiary organization represents in the relationship, such as Subsidiary.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Create relationships between subsidiary and intermediate organizations</strong></td>
<td>To automatically create relationships between subsidiary organization and their intermediate parent organizations, select this checkbox and select the relationship types to assign to each. The program then creates relationships between a subsidiary organization and all organizations above it.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Create relationship between subsidiary and top organization

To automatically create relationships between subsidiary organizations and their top parent organizations, select this checkbox and select the relationship types to assign to each. The program then creates relationships between a subsidiary organization and its top parent organization.

Set end dates for relationships between subsidiaries and intermediate/top parents when no longer valid

To automatically create end dates when relationships between subsidiary and parent organizations are no longer valid, select this checkbox.

Corporate peers

Select the relationship types to apply to peer organizations.

Corporate peers are other organizations whose information you want to include on the Corporate Information page, such as corporate foundations. Corporate peers also appear on the Extended Network page of the organization.

Employee relationships

Select the relationship types to apply to employees. Organizations constituents with these relationship types appear as employees in corporate summaries.

Title Codes and Gender Defaults

You can configure the program to automatically assign genders to constituents based on their titles, such as Mr. and Mrs. On the Title Code Defaults page, you can manage the titles used in your organization and establish the default gender for each. To access this page from Constituents, click Title code defaults under Configuration.

Add a title code

1. From Constituents, click Title code defaults under Configuration. The Title Code Defaults page appears.
2. Click Add. The Add a title code screen appears.
3. Enter the title, such as Mrs. or Governor.
4. In the Gender field, select the default gender to assign to the title.
5. Click Save. You return to the Title Code Defaults page.
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After you add a constituent, constituent group, or constituent household to the database, the program automatically creates a record of the constituent. From the record, you can manage information about the constituent, such as contact information, relationships, documentation, and name formats. You can make a constituent inactive and view additional detail information about the constituent. To access the record of a constituent, search the database for the constituent. For information about Constituent Search, see Constituent Search on page 52.

At the top of the record, profile information about the constituent appears in a series of summary tiles. For each constituent type, each user can select which tiles should appear. There is no limit to the number of tiles that can appear. To temporarily minimize all of the tiles on a record, click Show less. To expand all the tiles, click Show more.

Above the summary tiles, the record type, Lookup ID, deceased status, inactive status, and any active constituencies are always visible. For information about the items that appear on a record for a specific type of constituent, see Individual Constituent Record on page 213, Organization Constituent Record on page 227, Constituent Group Record on page 238, or Constituent Household Record on page 240.

Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. You can also rearrange tiles to customize the view. To add or remove tiles from the view, click Customize summary. The Customize summary tiles screen appears. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48.

From the record, you can view and manage additional information about the constituent. To help you navigate through this information, the constituent record also contains multiple tabs. Tiles and tabs are linked. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tabs and tiles are automatically updated.

➤ Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type

To customize the summary of each constituent record type, each application user can select and reorder summary tiles. For information about the summary tiles available for each constituent record type, see Constituent Summary Tiles on page 49.
1. From a constituent record, click **Customize tiles**. The Customize summary tiles screen appears.

![Customize constituent summary tiles](image)

2. Select the summary tiles you want to view for all records of this constituent type.
   - To include a tile, use the arrows to move the tile name into the **Show tiles in this order** list.
   - To exclude a tile, use the arrows to move the tile name into the **Do not show these tiles** list.

3. Under **Show tiles in this order**, you can change the order of the tiles.
   - Select a tile and then use the up and down arrows to move the tile into the order you want.

4. Click **Save** to save the tiles and return to the constituent record. All constituent records for this constituent type show the summary tiles you selected.
   - Tiles respect security settings. If you select to show a tile which includes information that you do not have rights to view, the information does not appear in the tile.
   - If your screen is not wide enough for all of the tiles to display right to left, the tiles will wrap to appear on additional rows.
   - To temporarily minimize all of the tiles on a record, click **Show less**. To expand all the tiles, click **Show more**.

### Constituent Summary Tiles

On the constituent record, profile information appears in a series of summary tiles. Under the tiles, the constituent record also contains multiple tabs of additional information. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tabs and tiles are automatically updated.
Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. Additionally, each user can rearrange the visible tiles to customize the view. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48.

**Note:** Users who have security access to the summary section of constituent records can see all tiles. This is true even for tiles that have information about sections of the program that the user may not have access to. For example, if a user has rights to see the constituent summary section but no rights to see membership information, they can still see the Membership tile on constituent records.

<table>
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| **Personal Information** | For individuals, this tile shows the constituent’s name, nickname, maiden name, profile image, and whether the individual gives anonymously.  
For organizations, it shows the constituent’s alias, industry, number of employees, number of subsidiaries, and profile image.  
For groups, it shows the group’s alias, description, date created, whether the group gives anonymously, and profile image.  
For households, it shows the household’s description, date created, whether the household gives anonymously, and profile image.  
To edit this information for a constituent, click the **Edit** icon. You can also update the constituent’s profile image.  
To open the constituent’s Info tab, click the tile name. |

![Image of a constituent record with tiles and information sections](image-url)
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<td><strong>Contact Information</strong></td>
<td>If the constituent's record includes a primary phone and email address, the tile shows the information. If not, you can add a primary phone number and email address from this tile. To change this information, click the <strong>Edit</strong> icon.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>When an organization has multiple contacts, the Contact Information tile displays the primary contact information.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>To open the Contact Info tab, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Addresses</strong></td>
<td>This tile shows the constituent's address, address type, and whether the address is marked “Do not contact.” To change an address, click the <strong>Edit</strong> icon. You can also add an address from this tile.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>If a constituent has more than one address, you can click the arrows to view each address. To open the Contact tab, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Documentation and Interactions</strong></td>
<td>This tile shows the number of notes, media links, attachments, and interactions for the constituent. To add a note, media link, attachment or interaction, click an <strong>Add</strong> icon.</td>
</tr>
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<td>To open the Documentation and Interactions tab for an individual, group, or organization, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>To open the Documentation tab for a household, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Memberships</strong></td>
<td>This tile shows a constituent’s membership information. For all constituents, this includes the membership name, primary member, ID, status, expiration date, level, and when the membership started. If a constituent has more than one membership, you can click the arrows to view each membership. You can also add a membership from this tile.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>For an individual, if the individual is a member of a household, the tile shows the constituent's memberships and the household's memberships.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>For a group or household, the tile shows memberships for the group and for each constituent within the group.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>To open the Memberships tab for the constituent, click the tile name.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Education</strong></td>
<td>This tile is available for individual constituent records. It shows the education information for the individual. If the consistent does not have any education records, you can add them from this tile.</td>
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<td>To open the Education tab for the individual constituent, click the tile name.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Primary Relationships</strong></td>
<td>This tile is available for individual constituent records. It shows the spouse, household, and primary business records related to the individual. To open a related constituent's record, click the name for the related spouse, household, or business. If the consistent does not have a spouse, household, or business listed, you can add one from this tile.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>To open the Relationships tab for the individual constituent, click the tile name.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Contacts</strong></td>
<td>This tile is available for organization constituent records. It shows contact information for constituents with relationships to the organization, such as the contact’s name, department or title, phone number, email address, and whether the contact is current. You can add and edit contacts from this tile. If an organization has more than one contact, you can click the arrows to view each contact. To open the Relationships tab for the organization, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Group Members</strong></td>
<td>This tile is available for group constituent records. It shows the primary member, as well as the number of current and former members. To open the primary member’s constituent record, click the member’s name. To view a list of current or former members, click the related link on the tile. To open the Relationships tab for the group, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Household Members</strong></td>
<td>This tile is available for household constituent records. It shows the primary member, as well as the number of current and former members. To open the primary member’s constituent record, click the member’s name. To view a list of current or former members, click the related link on the tile. To open the Relationships tab for the household, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Opportunities</strong></td>
<td>This tile displays opportunity information for constituents who are major giving prospects. This information includes the opportunity’s plan, the plan’s primary manager, the amount of the opportunity, and its status. To edit this information, click the Edit icons. If a constituent has more than one opportunity, you can click the arrows to view each opportunity. You can also add an opportunity from this tile. To open the related record, click the name of the plan, the name of the primary manager, or the opportunity amount. To open the Opportunities tab of the plan the Opportunity tile is displaying, click the tile name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Prospect Status</strong></td>
<td>This tile summarizes information for major giving prospects. You can view a constituent’s prospect information from the tile, including the prospect status and the prospect manager. From the Prospect Status tile, you can also flag the prospect for tracking purposes. To edit the prospect’s status or prospect manager information, click the Edit icons.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Constituent Search**

After you add a constituent to the database, you can use the Constituent Search screen to access the constituent’s record.

When you search for a constituent, you can make the search broad or specific, depending on the criteria you select. To get the results you need, we recommend you be selective in your search criteria.
and use detailed information such as name and address. For more recommendations about your search criteria, see Constituent Search Recommendations on page 55.

**Note:** To quickly search the entire application, you can also enter the constituent's name or lookup ID in the quick find field at the top of the page.

> **Search for a constituent**

1. From Constituents, click Constituent search. The Constituent Search screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Constituent Search Screen on page 54.

![Constituent Search Screen](image)

2. Enter the search criteria to use, such as name and address information, to find the constituent record. To match the search criteria exactly as entered, select **Match all criteria exactly**.

**Tip:** If you do not select **Match all criteria exactly**, you can use “wildcard” characters in place of parts of search criteria, such as if you are unsure of an exact spelling. To replace a group of characters, use an asterisk (*) or percent sign (%). To replace a single character, use a question mark (?) or an underscore (_). For example, to return all constituents with a last name that ends with “son” such as Johnson and Williamson, enter “*son” or “%son” as the last name. To find the last name of Smith or Smyth, enter “Sm?th” or “Sm_th”.

3. Under **Advanced search options**, select the criteria options to include. For example, select the constituent types to return in the results and select whether to include nicknames and only primary addresses in the search.

The criteria options you select are sticky. When you close the search and then reopen search later, the same options remain selected. For example, if you select to include deceased constituents, they are included every time you search. To exclude deceased constituents later, deselect the option.

**Note:** When you search for a duplicate constituent, the **Advanced search options** are not sticky.
4. Click **Search**. The program searches the database for constituents that match the search criteria entered. In the **Results** grid, the constituents that match the criteria appear. Depending on the search criteria you enter, the search may return one constituent or many.

5. Under **Results**, click the name of the constituent record to open.

The constituent record opens.

If the constituent you want does not appear under **Results**, click **Add** on the action bar to add the constituent to the database.

- For information about how to add an individual constituent, see Add Individual Constituents on page 203.
- For information about how to add an organization constituent, see Add Organization Constituents on page 223.
- For information about how to add a constituent group or committee, see Add Constituent Groups on page 232.

## Constituent Search Screen

The table below explains the items on the Constituent Search screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Constituent Search on page 52.

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<tr>
<td>Last/Org/Group name and First name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the constituent to find. You can enter an entire name or only the beginning letters. For example, if you enter “Sm”, all names that begin with Sm appear, such as Smith and Smalls. Names are not case-sensitive, so you can enter Smith, smith, or SMITH to return constituents named Smith.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lookup ID</td>
<td>Enter the primary identifier used at your organization. You can enter the entire ID or only the beginning digits. For example, if you enter “1”, all lookup IDs that begin with the number 1 appear.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Email address</td>
<td>Enter the constituent’s email address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Address</td>
<td>Enter the street address or post office box of the constituent to find, such as 7930 Baker Street. To search only by street name, use a wildcard character in place of the street number, such as “*Baker Street” or “%Baker Street”.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>City</td>
<td>Enter the city or town of the constituent to find.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>State</td>
<td>Select the state of the constituent to find.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZIP/Postal code</td>
<td>Enter the Zip code of the constituent to find.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phone number</td>
<td>Enter the constituent’s phone number.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Match all criteria exactly</td>
<td>To use search criteria exactly as entered, select this checkbox. If you select this checkbox, wildcard characters do not work and instead return only the literal character. Similarly, beginning characters return only those characters entered.</td>
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<td>Screen Item</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Search in</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this field appears. Select the types of constituents to include in the search.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Check nickname</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include nicknames from the Personal tab of individual constituent records in your search, select this checkbox and enter the nickname in the <strong>First name</strong> field.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Check aliases</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include aliases from the Names tab of constituent records in your search, select this checkbox and enter the alias in the name fields.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Check merged constituents</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include constituents merged from a duplicate constituent check, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Check alternate lookup IDs</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include alternate lookup IDs in your search, select this checkbox and enter the alternate lookup ID in the <strong>Lookup ID</strong> field.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Only search primary addresses</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include only the primary addresses from the Contact tab of the constituent records in your search, select this checkbox and enter the primary address information in the address fields.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Include deceased</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include constituents marked as deceased in the search, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Include inactive</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To include constituents marked as inactive in the search, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Include fuzzy search on name</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Show advanced search options</strong>, this checkbox appears. To return constituents with names that sound like the search criteria entered, select this checkbox. For example, if you select this checkbox and enter a last name of “Smith”, the program includes constituents named “Smyth” in the results.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Results</td>
<td>When you click <strong>Search</strong>, the constituents that match the search criteria entered appear. For searches that return more than 100 constituents, only the first 100 appear. To open the record of a constituent, click its name in this grid.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Constituent Search Recommendations**

The search criteria that you enter on the Constituent Search screen has a direct impact on how long it takes to get your search results. In general, we recommend that you be selective in your search criteria and use detailed information, but to ensure that you get search results in a timely manner, we also recommend that you consider the following tips before you enter search criteria.

- For the fastest search results, use the **Lookup ID** field only.
- If you don't have the lookup ID, the **Last/Org/Group name** field alone is nearly as fast as the **Lookup ID** field alone.
Note: If you enter criteria in just the Last/Org/Group name and ZIP/Postal code fields, search results are a bit slower. This combination of fields is useful for common last names, but you may want to search by just last name for less common names.

- If you place wildcards at the start of search fields, the Constituent Search screen cannot use indexes and, therefore, search results are much slower. We recommend that you avoid wildcards at the start of search fields, especially "%.

- If you select Include fuzzy search on name, search results are noticeably slower. This checkbox can be useful when you are unsure how to spell a name or suspect the spelling you are entering may not match the constituent record. However, if you are confident about the spelling of a name, we recommend against using this checkbox.

Need Help With Constituent Search?

If you find that you’re receiving too many or not enough results in a constituent search, click Show advanced search options and use these options to narrow or expand your search:

- Select the type of constituent you want to search for: Individuals, Organizations, and/or Groups/Households.
- Select Check nickname to include nicknames from the Personal tab of individual constituent records in your search. Enter the nickname in the First name field.
- Select Check Aliases to include aliases from the Names tab of constituent records in your search. Enter the alias in each of the name fields.
- Select Check alternate lookup IDs to include alternate lookup IDs in your search. Enter the alternate lookup ID in the Lookup ID field.
- Select Check merged constituents to include constituents merged from a duplicate constituent check.
- Select Only search primary addresses to include only the primary addresses from the Contact tab of the constituent records in your search. Enter the primary address information in the address fields.
- Select Include deceased to include constituents marked as deceased in the search.
- Select Include inactive to include constituents marked as inactive in the search.
- Select Include fuzzy search on name to return constituents with names that sound like the search criteria entered. For example, if you enter a last name of “Smith”, the program includes constituents named “Smyth” in the results. This option will slow search performance so we recommend against using this option if you are confident about the spelling of a name.

Tip: Selected advanced search options will "stick" for all future constituent searches throughout Altru. This allows you to set and forget search options or change them often for each individual search.
Wildcards

You can use special characters called “wildcards” to define special conditions for a search field. For example, wildcards are extremely helpful when you are unsure how to spell a name or suspect something may be misspelled. Here is a list of wildcard characters and examples of how they are used.

**Question Mark (?) or Underscore (_)**

Use the question mark or the underscore symbol to replace a character. When you include a question mark within a word, you search for every possible spelling of the word with the question mark in that specific spot. You can use multiple question marks within a word. For example, to locate any records with a last name like Smith or Smyth, you can enter Sm?th in the Last name field. The program selects all records whose last name fits the pattern specified.

**Asterisk (*) or Percent (%)**

Use the asterisk or percent sign to replace a series of characters. For example, to locate all constituents with a last name like Johnson, you can enter John* in the Last name field. The search results include all constituents with a last name that starts with “John”, such as Johnson, Johnssen, and Johnston.

**Tip:** We recommend that you avoid placing wildcards at the start of search fields, especially "%", because it can cause search results to process much slower.
Post Code Search

You can use the Post Code Search screen to locate postal codes within a specific location. For postal codes to appear in the search results, a system administrator must import a *.csv file that contains a list of codes. When you enter a city and state on the Post Code Search screen, all codes that match the criteria appear.

For information about how to import postal codes, see the Administration Guide.

➢ Search for a postal code

1. From a search screen, click Search in the ZIP/Postal code field. The Post Code Search screen appears.

2. Enter the search criteria.

Tip: If you do not select Match all criteria exactly, you can use “wildcard” characters in place of parts of search criteria, such as if you are unsure of an exact spelling. To replace a group of
characters, use an asterisk (*) or percent sign (%). To replace a single character, use a question mark (?) or an underscore (_). For example, to return all constituents with a last name that ends with “son” such as Johnson and Williamson, enter “*son” or “%son” as the last name. To find the last name of Smith or Smyth, enter “Sm?th” or “Sm_th”.

3. Click Search. The program searches the database for postal codes that match the criteria entered.

4. Under Results, select the postal code to use and click Select. You return to the record search screen, and the postal code appears in the ZIP/Postal code field.

Edit the Primary Lookup ID for a Constituent

When you add a constituent record to the database, the program automatically assigns it a lookup ID. This primary lookup ID appears in the Lookup ID field on the constituent record. You can edit this lookup ID as necessary.

Note: Rather than edit the primary lookup ID, you can also assign alternate lookup IDs for the constituent. For information about how to add an alternate lookup ID, see Add Alternate Lookup IDs for a Constituent on page 96.

Write a Letter to a Constituent

From a constituent record, you can write a personal letter to the constituent.

With the Write a letter feature, you can use an HTML editor to create the content to include in the letter. When you save the letter, the program creates a Microsoft Office open XML document (*.docx) file of its content. From the constituent record, you can access and manage the letter and its document file from the Documentation and Interactions tab, under Interactions. For example, you can download and open the document file in Microsoft Word to print and mail the letter.

With the Write a letter from template feature, you can use a Microsoft Word document saved to the Letter Template Library. Before you write the letter, you must complete several setup tasks in Administration, Marketing and Communications, and Microsoft Word:

1. From Administration, create a constituent export definition that specifies the merge fields to use on the letter. On the Set save options tab of the definition, select Allow definition to be used by other areas of the application.

2. From Marketing and Communications, in the Letter Template Library, generate a header file based on the export definition created in step 1.

3. In Word, create a document for the letter content and insert the merge fields from the header file created in step 2. Save the file in *.docx format.

4. From Marketing and Communications, in the Letter Template Library, create a letter template with a Constituent letter type and Export definition output type. In the Export definition field, select the export definition created in step 1. In the Letter field, select the Word document created in step 3.
Write a constituent letter using the HTML editor

1. Open the record of the constituent to receive the letter. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Under Tasks, click Write a letter. The Write a letter screen appears.

**Note:** To access the Write a letter screen from the Contact tab of the constituent record, under Contact information, select the address for the letter and click Write a letter. From an organization constituent record, you can also write a letter to an individual who appears on the Relationships tab. Under Relationships - Individuals, select the individual to receive the letter and click Write a letter on the action bar.

3. Under Details, enter a unique name to help identify the letter and its *.docx file. When you save the letter, the program creates a Microsoft Office open XML document (*.docx) file of the letter and assigns this name as its filename.
4. In the **Mail date** field, select the date you intend to send the letter to the constituent. When you save the letter, it appears on the Documentation and Interactions tab for the record, under **Interactions**. The mail date appears in the **Date** column.

5. In the **Comment** field, enter any information about the letter, such as an explanation of why the constituent receives it.

6. To help categorize the letter with similar interactions, select its interaction type, category, and subcategory. When you save the letter, it appears on the Documentation and Interactions tab for the record, under **Interactions**. The interaction type appears in the **Type** column.

7. Under **Letter**, select the address and name format of the constituent to use with the letter. In the **Address** field, click the address to receive the letter. If you access the Write a letter screen from the Contact tab, the **Address** field automatically displays the address selected under **Addresses**.

8. In the **Formatted name** field, select to use a formal or informal addressee or salutation. In the HTML editor, the name appears in the selected format.

9. In the HTML editor, compose the content of the letter.
   - To adjust the format and appearance of the content, use the toolbar. For information about the items on the toolbar, see **HTML Editor Toolbar for the Write a Letter Screen on page 64**.
   - To insert the constituent’s name in the content, such as in the salutation, select how the name should appear in the **Formatted name** field.
   - To insert a portion of the selected address, such as the street address or Zip code, in the content, select the information in the **Address field** field.

10. To configure the print margins of the letter content, click **Page margins**. On the Edit page margins screen, enter the amount to allow for the top, bottom, and side margins. For information about how to edit the margins, see **Edit the Page Margins of a Constituent Letter on page 63**.

11. Click **Save**. Under the Documentation and Interactions tab for the record, the tier two **Interactions** tab appears. In the list of pending and completed interactions, the letter appears with the selected mail date and interaction type. For information about the Interactions page, see **Interaction Information on page 170**.

> **Write a constituent letter based on a template**

1. Open the constituent to receive the letter. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.

   **Note:** To access the Write a letter screen from the Contact tab of the constituent record, under **Contact information**, select the address for the letter and click **Write a letter from template**. From an organization constituent record, you can also write a letter to an individual who appears on the Relationships tab. Under **Relationships - Individuals**, select the individual to receive the letter and click **Write a letter from template**.

2. Under **Tasks**, click **Write a letter from template**. The Write a letter screen appears.
3. Under **Letter**, enter a unique name to help identify the letter, such as “Personal thank you letter”. When you save the letter, the program creates a Microsoft Office open XML document (*.docx) file of the letter and assigns this name as its filename.

In the **Letter template** field, select the document to use from the Letter Template Library. To use a template from your network or computer, you must first add it to the Letter Template Library. To add a template from the search screen, click **Add** on the action bar of the **Results** grid. On the Add letter template screen, select the file to add and click **Save**. To use merge fields to automatically enter information from your database in the letter, such as name and address, the template must be a Microsoft Word document.

**Note:** For information about the Letter Template Library, see the *Marketing and Communications Guide*.

4. Under **Address**, select the addressee, address, and salutation to use with the letter. The addressee determines how the person’s name appears on the letter, envelope, and label. The salutation determines how you greet the person in the letter and can be formal or informal.

**Note:** If you select a letter template based on an export definition, the Address section is disabled. The export definition provides the addressee, address, and salutation.

5. Under **Edit letter**, you can download and edit the contents of the letter. Click **Download** to open the merged letter in an editor, make your changes, and save the letter locally. Then, click the green arrow to upload the updated letter. **NOTE:** No edits are made to the template.

6. Under **Details**, in the **Mail date** field, enter the date you send the letter to the constituent.

7. If your user account is linked to the constituent, the **Owner** field defaults to your name. You can assign any user in the database as the owner.

8. To help categorize the letter with similar interactions, select its type, category, and subcategory. When you save the letter, it appears on the Documentation and Interactions tab for the record, under **Interactions**. The interaction type appears in the **Type** column.

9. In the **Comment** field, enter any additional information about the letter.

10. Click **Save**. The constituent's interaction page appears open to the Documentation tab. The letter is saved as an attachment.

### Edit the Page Margins of a Constituent Letter

When you compose the content of a constituent letter using the HTML editor, you can edit the page margins of its printed output. On the Write a letter screen, click **Page margins**. The Edit page margins screen appears.

On this screen, enter the top, bottom, and side margins, in inches, to allow when the program generates the output file for download. After you edit the margins, click **OK** to return to the Write a letter screen.
# HTML Editor Toolbar for the Write a Letter Screen

On the Write a letter screen, you can use an HTML editor to compose the content of a constituent letter. The table below explains the options on the editor’s toolbar.

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<tr>
<th>Toolbar Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Font family</td>
<td>This menu lists common fonts that appear correctly on most web browsers. To change the font applied to text, select a font.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Font size</td>
<td>To change the size of text, select a size from this menu.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bold</td>
<td>To make text bold, click this button. The HTML editor adds a <code>&lt;strong&gt;</code> tag around the text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Italic</td>
<td>To italicize text, click this button. The HTML editor adds an <code>&lt;em&gt;</code> tag around the text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Underline</td>
<td>To underline text, click this button. The HTML editor adds a <code>&lt;u&gt;</code> tag around the text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Select text color</td>
<td>To change the color of text, click this button and select a color from the palette. The HTML editor adds a <code>&lt;span&gt;</code> tag with the color around the text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Select background color</td>
<td>To highlight text with a background color, click this button and select a color from the palette. The HTML editor adds a <code>&lt;span&gt;</code> tag with the background color around the text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Align left</td>
<td>To align text to the left, click this button. The HTML editor adds an attribute of <code>align=left</code> to the division.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Align center</td>
<td>To align text to the center, click this button. The HTML editor adds an attribute of <code>align=center</code> to the division.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Align right</td>
<td>To align text to the right, click this button. The HTML editor adds an attribute of <code>align=right</code> to the division.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Align full</td>
<td>To fully justify text, click this button. The HTML editor adds an attribute of <code>align=justify</code> to the division.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Remove formatting</td>
<td>To remove formatting from text, click this button. The HTML editor removes any special format attributes, and the text appears as plain text.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Insert/edit link</td>
<td>To link text to a web address or web page, click this button. If the text is in a format that the program recognizes as a web address, the link formats automatically. Otherwise, the page link screen appears.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ordered list</td>
<td>To insert a numbered list, click this button. The HTML editor adds an <code>&lt;ol&gt;</code> tag at the selected location. The items are numbered sequentially, starting with “1.” To end a list, click this button again.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unordered list</td>
<td>To insert a bulleted list, click this button. The HTML editor adds an <code>&lt;ul&gt;</code> tag at the selected location. The items in the list have bullets. To end a list, click this button again.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Delete a Constituent

When you no longer need a constituent record, you can delete it from your database. Before you delete a constituent record, we recommend you first back up your database.

**Tip:** To retain a history of the constituent in your database but still limit access and use of the constituent record, mark the constituent as inactive rather than delete the record. For information about how to mark a constituent as inactive, see [Mark a Constituent as Inactive or Active on page 88](#). If a constituent passes away, you can mark the constituent as deceased rather than delete the record. For information about how to mark deceased constituents, see [Mark an Individual Constituent as Deceased on page 217](#).

### Individual Summary

To view an overview of an individual constituent including the revenue, activities, and household members associated with the constituent, select the Summary tab.

Under **Revenue summary**, information about the total revenue received from the constituent, such as toward giving, memberships, and events, appears. If the constituent is a member of a constituent household, you can also view the total giving received from the household. To view the complete revenue history for the individual, click **View all revenue**. The Revenue and Recognition page for the individual appears. For information about the items on this page, see [Revenue Information on page 141](#).

Under **Recent revenue**, the most recent revenue transactions received from the individual appear. To view more information about a transaction, click its link. The revenue record of the transaction appears.

Under **Recent and upcoming activities**, the most recent or pending interactions or activities such as event registrations or volunteer opportunities associated with the constituent appear. To view the more information about an activity, click its link. The record of the activity appears.

Under **Recent and upcoming communications**, the most recent or pending communications associated with the individual appear. To view all communication with the constituent, click **View all**. The Communications page for the constituent appears. For information about the items on this page, see [Communications Information on page 177](#).

### Group or Household Summary

To view an overview of a constituent group or household including its members and primary contact, select the Summary tab.
Under **Group information** or **Household information**, you can view a description of the constituent group or household, the name of its primary contact, the date your organization added it to your database, and whether it gives anonymously. To view the constituent record of the primary contact, click the contact’s name in the **Primary contact** field.

Under **Revenue summary**, information about the group or household’s revenue history appears, including the total giving received from it and its members. To view the complete revenue history for the group or household, click **View group giving**. The Revenue Information page for the group or household appears. For information about the items on this page, see Revenue Information on page 141.

Under **Recent completed interactions**, the four most recent interactions with the constituent group or household or its members appear. To view all interactions with the group or household and its members, click **View all**. The Interactions page for the constituent group or household appears. For information about the items on this page, see Interaction Information on page 170.

Under **Recent communications**, the four most recent communications with the constituent group or household or its members appear. To view all communication with the group or household and its members, click **View all**. The Communications page for the constituent group or household appears. For information about the items on this page, see Communications Information on page 177.

Under **Current household members**, the names of the primary contact and next three members for the constituent group or household appear. You can view the active constituencies for each member that appears. For each of the additional three members, you can also view the relationship with the primary contact. To view all members of the group or household, click **View group members** or **View household members**. The record opens to the Members tab. For information about the items on this tab, see Group or Household Members on page 66.

**Group or Household Members**

To view all the members of a constituent group or household, select the Members tab. Under **Current group members** or **Current household members**, the active members of the group or household appear. A checkmark indicates the primary contact. For each additional member, you can view the relationship with the primary contact.

**Note:** For a dissolved constituent household, the **Previous household members** grid appears and displays the former members of the household. For information about this grid, see Manage Previous Members of a Group or Household on page 246.

To view additional information about a member, select the member in grid. Below the member, details about the member appear, such as address, status, lookup ID, total giving, and active constituencies. You can also view the constituent groups and household that include the member.

To view additional information about a member, click the member’s name. The constituent record of the member appears. For information about the items on an individual constituent record, see Individual Constituent Record on page 213.

From the grid, you can manage the members of the constituent group or household as necessary.
Add Members to a Constituent Household

From the Members tab, you can add members to the constituent household.

Add a member to a constituent household

1. Open the record of the constituent household with the member to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Members tab.
3. Under Current household members, click Add. The Add a household member screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Household Member Screen on page 67.
4. Search for and select the individual to add to the household.

Tip: If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click Add in the Constituent field to add the individual.

5. To copy the primary contact information of the household to the record of the new member, select Copy household’s primary contact information.
6. Under Household relationships, select the relationships between the new member and the existing members, such as Father and Daughter.

Note: When you add a new member to a household, the program automatically adds the member as an individual relationship to the Relationships tabs of all members of the household. From the Relationships tab, you can define the relationship the new members has with each member of the household.

7. Click Save. You return to the Members tab.

Add a Household Member Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add a household member screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Members to a Constituent Household on page 67.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Constituent</td>
<td>Search for and select the individual to add to the household. If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click Add to add the individual.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Copy household’s primary contact information</td>
<td>To copy the primary contact information of the household to the record of the member, select this checkbox. On the constituent record, the primary contact information appears on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Household relationships</td>
<td>Select the relationships between the new member and the existing members, such as Father and Daughter.</td>
</tr>
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</table>
Add Members to a Constituent Group

From the Members tab, you can add members to the constituent group.

**Add a member to a constituent group**

1. Open the record of the constituent group with the member to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. On the Members tab, click **Add**. The Add a group member screen appears.
3. In the **Member** field, search for and select the constituent to add as a group member. For information about the search screen, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
4. Enter a start date for the group member.
   When a constituent is no longer a member of the group, you can remove the constituent and enter an end date.
5. Enter any comments about the group member.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Members tab.

Edit Members of a Constituent Group

From the Members tab, you can edit information about members of the constituent group.

**Edit a member of a constituent group**

1. Open the record of the constituent group with the member to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Select the Members tab.
3. Under **Current group members**, select the member to edit and click **Edit**. The Edit a group member screen appears.
4. Edit the start date, end date, or comments as necessary.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the Members tab.

Set a Member of a Constituent Group or Household as the Primary Contact

From the record of a constituent group or household, you can select the member to be its primary contact. On the Members tab, select the member to act as the primary contact and click **Set to primary**. A checkmark indicates the primary contact of the group or household.
Remove a Member from a Constituent Group or Household

From the Members tab, you can remove members from a constituent group or household.

Remove a member from a constituent group or household and maintain member history

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the member to remove. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Members tab.
3. In the grid, select the member to remove and click Edit. The Edit member screen appears.
4. In the End date field, select the date the constituent ends its membership of the group or household.
5. Click Save. You return to the Members tab. In the grid, the member no longer appears unless the Include previous members checkbox is marked.

Remove a member from a constituent group or household and not maintain member history

Tip: To maintain the member’s history with the group or household, edit the member and enter an end date rather than delete the member.

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the member to remove. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Members tab.
3. In the grid, select the member to remove and click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to remove the member from the group or household.
4. Click Yes. You return to the Members tab.

Contact Information

To manage the view and manage the contact information for the constituent, select the Contact tab. Under Addresses, the address information for the constituent appears, including start and end dates and whether to mail to the address. A lock and the word “Confidential” indicates the constituent has requested the address is not to be shared with others outside your organization. To display former addresses in addition to current addresses for the constituent, select Show former contact information and click Apply.

Under Addresses, you manage the constituent’s address information. You set the default address format in Administration. After you add a country on the Countries and States page in Administration, you can define its default address format. When you add an address, the country you select determines
the address format. For information about how to define a default address format, see the Administration Guide.

**Note:** You can write a letter to a constituent from the Contact tab. Under Addresses, click Write a letter on the action bar of the address to receive the letter. For information about how to write a letter, see Write a Letter to a Constituent on page 59.

Under Phone numbers, all phone numbers for the constituent appear. From the Contact tab, you can manage the constituent’s phone number information.

Under Email addresses, the email addresses for the constituent appear. From the Contact tab, you can manage the constituent’s email address information.

Under Social media accounts, the constituent's accounts for social media and social networking appear. From the Contact tab, you can manage information about the constituent's participation in sites such as Facebook, Google+, LinkedIn, Twitter, and blogs. You can also link to the constituent’s profile page for each account.

## Add Addresses

On the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can add addresses for the constituent. You can designate one address as the primary address. You can also select whether to send mail to the address.

When you add an address for an individual, you can automatically copy it to the record of an associated constituent household and to all members of the household.

> **Add an address**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the address to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Addresses, click Add. The Add address screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Address Screen on page 71.
4. Select the Address tab.
5. Under Address information, select the type of address to enter, such as Home or Business, and enter the address information.
6. With Data Tune-Up, you can use an address validation service to verify the address entered exists. When you use the address validation service, the program updates missing or incomplete information such as the Zip code, standardizes the street address, and updates the Coding Accuracy Support System (CASS) certified information.

To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select Omit from validation.

To run the address validation process for the address now, click Validate. The program updates the address fields accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click Yes. For information about how to validate a single address, see Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1.
7. In the **Start date** field, enter the date the constituent begins use of the address.

**Note:** If you leave the **Start date** field blank, the program uses the date you enter the address as the start date and displays the start date in italics on the Contact tab.

8. If the constituent changed to the address from an address on the constituent record, select **Recently moved/changed to the above address** and, in the **Old address** field, select the former address. When you save the new address, the program automatically marks the selected old address as a former address.

9. To use the address entered as the primary address for the constituent, select **Set as primary address**.

10. If the constituent requests that you not send mail to the address, select **Do not send mail to this address**. In the **Reason** field, select why the constituent does not want to receive mail at the address.

11. If the constituent has a household relationship, the **Copy address to household and members** checkbox appears. To copy the address to the record of the constituent household and its members, select this checkbox.

12. If the constituent requested that the address is not to be shared with others outside your organization, select **This address is confidential**. When you mark an address as confidential, it is not excluded from reports or queries. A lock icon and the word “Confidential” appears with the address on the Contact tab so users know not to share the address information.

13. If the address entered is a seasonal address, under **Seasonal information**, enter the start and end dates for the time period the constituent uses the address.

14. Under **Address source**, you can select a source for the address information, as well as enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a new address, you can add the address and select Family Member for the information source.

**Note:** If the program automatically creates an address, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates an address based on a payment form that you create in Web, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.

15. To enter additional information about the address, select the Details tab.

16. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab. The new address appears.

### Add Address Screen

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<tr>
<td><strong>Type</strong></td>
<td>On the Address tab, select the type of address for the constituent, such as Business or Home.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Country</strong></td>
<td>Select the country for the constituent’s address. The country you select determines the fields that appear on the screen. For example, if you select “United Kingdom” instead of “United States”, the <strong>County</strong> and <strong>Postcode</strong> fields appear instead of <strong>State</strong> and <strong>ZIP</strong>.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Address</strong></td>
<td>Enter the street address or post office box for the constituent.</td>
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<td>Screen Item</td>
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<tr>
<td>City</td>
<td>Enter the city or town for the constituent address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>State</td>
<td>Select the state for the constituent address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZIP</td>
<td>Enter the Zip code for the constituent address. If your administrator has imported a ZIP code table, you see a search icon on this field that you can use to search for the correct ZIP code.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Omit from validation</td>
<td>With <em>Data Tune-Up</em>, you can run an address validation process to verify addresses entered in the database exist. When you run the address validation process, the program automatically updates missing or incomplete address information, standardizes street addresses, and updates the Coding Accuracy Support System (CASS) certified information. To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Validate</td>
<td>To run the address validation process to verify the address entered exists, click this button. The address validation process verifies the address, and the program automatically updates the address accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click Yes. For information about how to validate a single address, see Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date</td>
<td>Select the date when the constituent begins use of the address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>End date</td>
<td>When you edit an address, this field appears. To retain the address as a former address for the constituent, select the date when the constituent stops use of the address. When you enter an end date, the program automatically marks the address as Do not mail.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recently moved/changed to</td>
<td>When you add an address, this checkbox appears. If the constituent moved or changed from an existing address on the constituent record to this address, select this checkbox. If you select this checkbox, in the Old address field, select which address from the record the new address replaces. When you save the new address, the program automatically marks the selected address as a former address and as Do not mail. It also uses the start date of the new address as the end date of the former address.</td>
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<tr>
<td>the above address</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Set as primary address</td>
<td>To designate the address as the constituent’s main address for communications, select this checkbox. By default, the first address you enter for a constituent is the primary address. You can enter only one primary address for a constituent. Under Addresses on the Contact tab, the primary address appears first.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Do not send mail to this</td>
<td>If the individual requests that you not send mail to the address, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
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### Screen Item | Description
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Reason | If you select **Do not send mail to this address**, this field is enabled. Select why the individual requests to not receive mail at the address.
Copy address to household members | When the constituent is a member of a household with additional members, this checkbox appears. To copy the address to the household and its members, select this checkbox.
This address is confidential | If the constituent requested that the address is not to be shared with others outside your organization, select **This address is confidential**. When you mark an address as confidential, it is not excluded from reports or queries. A lock icon and the word “Confidential” appears with the address on the Contact tab so users know not to share the address information.
Seasonal information | For a seasonal address, select the start and end dates for the time period when the constituent uses the address.
Information source and Comments | When you add or make changes to an address, you can select a source for the information and enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a change of address, you can make the changes and select “Family Member” for the information source.
If the program automatically creates an address, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates an address based on a payment form that you create in Web, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.
County | Select the county for the constituent address. If you validate the address, the county received from the address validation service automatically appears.
Reason | Appears only on the Revert address screen. Enter a Reason for the reversion. You create reasons in the Reason codes tool accessed under Configuration on the Constituent page.
DPC | Enter the Delivery Point Code (DPC) for the address. DPC is a POSTNET barcode that contains a ZIP+4 barcode plus two additional digits (or 10 additional bars) to designate a specific delivery point. The barcode consists of 62 bars total, with beginning and ending frame bars and five bars each for the nine digits of the ZIP+4, the last two digits of the primary street address or post office box, and a correction digit.
If you receive a three-digit DPC from your vendor, enter only the first two digits. The first two digits of the DPC are the last two digits of the street address number.
If you validate the address, the DPC received from the address validation service automatically appears.
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<td>CART</td>
<td>Enter the Carrier Route (CART) for the address. CART refers to the addresses served by the postal carrier and the route used to deliver the mail. The CART can include the city, rural, and highway contract routes. To ease the delivery of mail and receive a postal discount, you can add CART information to addresses in your mailings. If you validate the address, the CART received from the address validation service automatically appears.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LOT</td>
<td>Enter the Line of Travel (LOT) for the address. LOT is the direction the mail carrier takes along a CART. LOT information is required for standard mailings to receive the Basic Enhanced Carrier Route rate. If you validate the address, the LOT received from the address validation service automatically appears.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Region</td>
<td>Select the region for the address, such as North or Southeast.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Congressional district</td>
<td>Select the congressional district for the address. If you validate the address, the district received from the address validation service automatically appears.</td>
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<td>State House district</td>
<td>Select the state House district for the address.</td>
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<td>State Senate district</td>
<td>Select the state Senate district for the address.</td>
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<td>Local precinct</td>
<td>Select the local precinct for the address.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Validation information</td>
<td>If you click Validate or include the address in an address validation process, the information from the process appears, such as the last validation attempt and the message received from the validation service.</td>
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## Edit an Address for a Constituent

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can edit addresses as necessary. When you edit an address, you can add an end date to retain the address as a former address, such as if the constituent moves to a new residence.

> **Edit an address**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the address to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the address and click **Edit**. The Edit address screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add address screen. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add Address Screen on page 71](#).
4. On the Address tab, edit the address information as necessary.
To retain the address as a former address for the constituent, under Address information, in the End date field, select the date stops use of the address. When you enter an end date for an address, the program automatically marks the address as Do not mail.

**Tip:** You cannot enter an end date for the primary address of the constituent. To make a primary address a former address, you must first add and select Set as primary address for the new primary address.

5. On the Details tab, edit additional information about the address as necessary, such as its source or region.
6. Click Save. You return to the Contact tab.

### Delete an Address for a Constituent

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can delete a constituent address, such as when you no longer need it.

**Note:** To preserve a record of address history, you can edit an address and add an end date to indicate the address is no longer in use.

**Delete an address**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the address to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the address and click Delete. A confirmation message appears.
4. Click Yes. You return to the Contact tab. The address no longer appears.

### Address Attributes and the Address Page

From Administration, you can enable attribute categories for addresses. With attributes, you can track additional information about addresses, such as the number of mail pieces returned. If attributes are enabled for addresses, you can access the address page for an address to view basic information and attributes for the address.

**Note:** For information about how to manage attribute categories, see the Administration Guide.

To access the address page, click the address under Contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent record.

On the address page, basic address information appears on the Address tab. Additional information, including address validation information, appears on the Details tab. On the Attributes tab, you can manage the address attributes. To edit the address from the Address page, click Edit address under Tasks. To return to the Contact tab of the constituent record, select the address and click Edit.
Add an address attribute
1. Open the record of the constituent with the address to assign an attribute. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Contact information, click the address. The Address page appears.
4. Select the Attributes tab.
5. Under Attributes, click Add. The Add address attribute screen appears.
6. In the Category field, select the type of attribute to assign to the address.
7. In the Value field, enter or select the value of the attribute to assign to the address.
8. If the attribute applies to the address for a finite duration, select the start and end dates of the attribute.
9. Enter any additional information to record about the address attribute.
10. Click Save. You return to the Attributes tab.

Edit an address attribute
1. Open the record of the constituent with the address attribute to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Contact information, click the address with the attribute to edit. The Address page appears.
4. Select the Attributes tab.
5. Under Attributes, select the attribute to edit.
6. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit address attribute screen appears.
7. Edit the information as necessary.
8. Click Save. You return to the Attributes tab on the Address page.

Delete an address attribute
1. Open the record of the constituent with the address attribute to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Contact information, click the address with the attribute to edit. The Address page appears.
4. Select the Attributes tab.
5. Under Attributes, select the attribute to delete and click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the attribute.
6. Click Yes. You return to the Attributes tab.
Add Email Addresses for a Constituent

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can add email addresses for the constituent. You can specify a start date for the email address. You can designate one email address as the primary address. You can also select whether to send email to the address.

When you add an email address for an individual, you can automatically copy it to the record of an associated constituent household and to all members of the household.

> Add an email address

1. Open the record of the constituent with the email address to add.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Email addresses, click Add. The Add an email address screen appears.

![Add an email address](image)

4. In the Type field, select the type of email address to add, such as Home or Business.
5. In the Email address field, enter the email address for the constituent.
6. You can enter a start date for the email address, if known.
7. Only one email address can be marked as the primary one. If the constituent has only one email address, the Set as primary email address checkbox is marked and disabled. If there are multiple email addresses for the constituent and this is the primary one for the constituent,
select this checkbox. This email address will be marked as primary and the previous number will no longer be marked as primary.

8. If the constituent requests that you not send email to the address, select **Do not send email to this address**.

9. If the constituent has a household relationship, the **Copy email address to household and members** checkbox appears. To copy the address to the record of the constituent household and its members, select this checkbox.

10. Under **Email source**, you can select a source for the email address information, as well as enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a new email address, you can add the email address and select “Family Member” for the information source.

**Note:** If the program automatically creates an email address, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates an email address based on a payment form that you create in **Web**, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.

11. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab.

### Add an Email Address Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add an email address screen.

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<th>Screen Item</th>
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<td><strong>Type</strong></td>
<td>Select the type of email address for the record, such as Business or Home.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Email address</strong></td>
<td>Enter the email address.</td>
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</table>
| **Start and end dates**            | Select the date when the constituent begins use of the email address, if known.  
When you edit an email address, the **End date** field appears. To retain the email address as a former email address for the constituent, select the date when the constituent stops using the email address. |
| **Set as primary email address**   | To designate the address as the record’s primary email address for communications, select this checkbox. By default, the first email address you enter for a record is the primary email address. You can enter only one primary email address for a record. Under **Contact information, Email address** on the Contact tab, the primary address appears first. |
| **Do not send email to this address** | If the contact requests that you not use the email address, select this checkbox.                                                               |
| **Information source and Comments** | When you add or make changes to an email address, you can select a source for the email information and enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a faculty member lets you know about a change of email address, you can make the changes and select “Family Member” for the information source. |
Edit an Email Address for a Constituent

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can edit email addresses as necessary.

> **Edit an email address**

1. Open the record with the email address to edit.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the email address to edit and click **Edit**. The Edit email address screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add an email address screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add an Email Address Screen on page 78**.

**Tip:** You cannot enter an end date for the primary email address of the constituent. To make a primary email address a former email address, you must first add and select **Set as primary email address** for the new primary email address.

4. Edit the information as necessary.

**Note:** If an email address is blacklisted, a message appears under the **Email address** field. The program will not send email to such an address. An email address is blacklisted if it returns a hard bounce when you send email through the program or if you blacklist it on the Email Services page in **Administration**. A hard bounce indicates a permanent delivery failure such as when the Internet Service Provider reports that the address is canceled or nonexistent. The program does not blacklist soft bounces that indicate temporary delivery failures such as network issues or full mailboxes. If an address is blacklisted, you can correct the address so that the constituent can receive email from your organization. Or if you think the email address is incorrectly marked as invalid, you can update its status on the Email Services page in **Administration**.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab.

Delete an Email Address for a Constituent

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can delete a constituent email address, such as when you no longer need it.

> **Delete an email address**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the email address to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the address to delete and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.
4. Click **Yes**. You return to the Contact tab. The email address no longer appears.
Add Phone Numbers for a Constituent

On the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can add phone numbers for the constituent. You can designate one number as the primary phone number. You can also select whether to use the number to contact the constituent.

You can also enter times to indicate the constituent’s calling preferences for the phone number, such as “call after 9:00 a.m.” If you add or make changes to a number, you can select a source for the phone information and enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a change of phone number, you can make the changes and select “Family Member” for the information source.

You can enter start and end dates for phone numbers to indicate whether or not the number is still in use. If a number is no longer valid, you can enter an end date and select Do not call this phone number. You can also select a reason to explain why the number should not be used, such as “No longer in service.”

When you add a phone number for an individual, you can automatically copy it to the record of an associated constituent household and to all members of the household.

> Add a phone number

1. Open the record of the constituent with the phone number to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Phone numbers, click Add. The Add a phone number screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Phone Number Screen on page 81.
4. In the Type field, select the type of phone number to add, such as Home or Cell phone.
5. In the Number field, enter the phone number for the constituent.
6. In the **Country** field, select the country that uses the phone format you want to apply to this number.

7. You can use **Call after** and **Call before** to specify times to use the phone number to indicate the constituent’s preferences, such as “call after 9:00 a.m.”

8. You can use **Start date** to indicate when the number is valid.

9. Only one phone number can be marked as the primary one. If the constituent has only one phone number, the **Set as primary phone number** checkbox is selected and disabled. If there are multiple phone numbers for the constituent and this is the primary number for the constituent, select this checkbox. This number will be marked as primary and the previous number will no longer be marked as primary.

10. If the constituent requests that you not call the number, select **Do not call this phone number**.

   After you mark a number as “Do not call,” you can also select a reason to explain why the number is no longer to be used, such as “Donor preference.”

11. If the constituent has a household relationship, the **Copy phone number to household and members** checkbox appears. To copy the number to the record of the constituent household and its members, select this checkbox.

12. If the constituent requested that the phone is not to be shared with others outside your organization, select **This phone number is confidential**. When you mark a phone number as confidential, it is not excluded from reports or queries. A lock icon and the word “Confidential” appears with the number on the Contact tab so users know not to share the information.

13. Under **Seasonal information**, enter the start date and end date to indicate when the seasonal information is valid.

14. Under **Phone source**, you can select a source for the phone number information, as well as enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a new phone number, you can add the number and select “Family Member” for the information source.

**Note:** If the program automatically creates a phone number, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates a phone number based on a payment form that you create in **Web**, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.

15. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab.

### Add a Phone Number Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add a phone number screen. For information about how to access this screen, see [Add Phone Numbers for a Constituent on page 80](#).

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<th>Screen Item</th>
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<td><strong>Type</strong></td>
<td>Select the type of phone number for the constituent, such as Cell Phone or Home.</td>
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<td><strong>Description</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Number</strong></td>
<td>Enter the phone number for the constituent. If phone formatting is enabled, your selection in <strong>Country</strong> determines how the number displays. If phone formatting is disabled, enter the phone number exactly how you want it to appear in the program.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Country</strong></td>
<td>If phone formatting is enabled, select the country that uses the phone format you want to apply to this number. If you do not select a country, the program uses the format of your default country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country or designate a default country, see the Administration Guide. If phone formatting is enabled, select the country that uses the phone format you want to apply to this number. If you do not select a country, the program uses the format of your default country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country or designate a default country, see the Administration section of the help file.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Call after</strong> and <strong>Call before</strong></td>
<td>You can specify times to use the phone number to indicate the constituent’s preferences. A <strong>Call after</strong> time is a start time for the number, which indicates it is okay to call the number after the specified time. A <strong>Call before</strong> time is an end time, after which the number should not be called.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Start date</strong></td>
<td>You can use start and end dates to indicate the period of time during which the phone number is valid.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Set as primary phone number</strong></td>
<td>To designate the number as the constituent’s phone number for communications, select this checkbox. By default, the first phone number you enter for a constituent is the primary number. You can enter only one primary phone number for a constituent. Under Phone numbers on the Contact tab, the primary number appears first.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Do not call this phone number</strong></td>
<td>If the individual requests that you not use the phone number, select this checkbox.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Reason</strong></td>
<td>If you select <strong>Do not call this phone number</strong>, this field is enabled. Select why the individual requests to not receive calls at the number, such as “Donor preference.” If a phone number is no longer valid and you enter an end date for it, you may also set the number to “Do not call” with a reason of “No longer in service.”</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Copy phone number to household and members</strong> or <strong>Update matching phone information for household</strong></td>
<td>When you add a phone number and the constituent is a member of a household with additional members, this checkbox appears. To copy the phone number to the household and its members, select this checkbox. When you edit a phone number and the constituent is a member of a household, select this checkbox to update the phone number on the household members’ records as well as on the household record.</td>
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<td>This phone number is confidential</td>
<td>If the constituent requested that the phone number is not to be shared with others outside your organization, select <strong>This phone number is confidential</strong>. When you mark a phone number as confidential, it is not excluded from reports or queries. A lock icon and the word “Confidential” appears with the phone number on the Contact tab so users know not to share the information.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Seasonal information</td>
<td>Under <strong>Seasonal information</strong>, enter the start date and end date that the seasonal information is valid.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Information source and Comments</td>
<td>When you add or make changes to a phone number, you can select a source for the phone information and enter any comments. For example, if the spouse of a constituent lets you know about a change of phone number, you can make the changes and select “Family Member” for the information source. If the program automatically creates a phone number, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates a phone number based on a payment form that you create in <strong>Web</strong>, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.</td>
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**Edit a Phone Number for a Constituent**

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can edit phone numbers as necessary.

> **Edit a phone number**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the phone number to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the number to edit and click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit phone number screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a phone number screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Phone Number Screen on page 81.

  **Tip:** You cannot enter an end date for the primary phone number of the constituent. To make a primary phone number a former phone number, you must first add and select **Set as primary phone number** for the new primary phone number.

4. Edit the information as necessary.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab.

**Delete a Phone Number for a Constituent**

From the Contact tab of a constituent record, you can delete a constituent phone number, such as when you no longer need it.
**Note:** To preserve a record of phone number history, you can edit a phone number and add an end date to indicate the number is no longer in use.

**Delete a phone number**
1. Open the record of the constituent with the phone number to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Select the number to delete and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.
4. Click **Yes**. You return to the Contact tab. The number no longer appears.

**Manage Social Media for a Constituent**

To build relationships and learn more about your constituents, you can track constituent accounts for social media services, such as Flickr or Twitter, and social networking services, such as Facebook, Google+, or LinkedIn. You can add information about these accounts to the contact tab on a constituent’s record.

**Note:** When you add social media accounts for a constituent, the icons for the first four accounts appear in the constituent’s Contact Information constituent tile in the summary section of the constituent record. The icons are hyperlinks to the constituent’s social media profile page using the URL provided in the *Profile page URL* field. A hyperlink to the profile page also appears in the Service column of the Social media accounts list on the Contact tab.

For example, if a volunteer blogs or Tweets, you can link to his social media account, so you can follow his media posts and encourage him to write about his support for your organization.

**Add a Social Media Account for a Constituent**

You can add social media and social networking service accounts to a constituent’s record. You can link to a constituent’s online profile to learn more about the constituent, such as relationships and interests.

**Add a social media account**
1. Open the record of the constituent with the social media account to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under *Social media accounts*, click **Add**. The Add a social media account screen appears.
4. In the **Social media service** field, select the social media or social networking service for the account.

For Twitter accounts, enter a handle for the account, such as @Blackbaud.

For all other accounts, enter the URL of the constituent’s profile page and the User ID for the constituent’s social media account. When the user ID is part of the URL for the profile page, the program attempts to parse it automatically. Otherwise, you can enter the ID manually, though it is not required.

**Tip:** When you view a constituent’s social media or social networking profile page, you can copy the URL from your web browser’s address bar. If the social media service is one that is pre-configured by Blackbaud, the program automatically enters the User ID. Blackbaud automatically pre-configures Facebook, Flickr, Google+, LinkedIn, Myspace, and Twitter.

5. To confirm the constituent’s profile page URL or account name is valid, click **Test page**.

**Note:** When you add a social media account for a constituent, the icon for the account appears in the constituent’s Contact Information constituent tile in the summary section of the constituent record. Only the first four accounts appear as icons on the tile. The icon is a hyperlink to the constituent’s social media profile page using the URL provided in the **Profile page URL** field. A hyperlink to the profile page also appears in the Service column of the Social media accounts list on the Contact tab.

6. In the **Account type** field, select the type of account to add, such as personal or business.

7. In the **Information source** field, select a source for the social media information.

8. If the constituent requests that you not contact the account, select **Do not contact using this account**.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Contact tab.
Edit a Constituent Social Media Account for a Constituent

You can edit a constituent's contact information for social media and social networking accounts. For example a constituent may have a new user name, or the URL of the constituent's blog may have changed because he switched hosting services.

➤ Edit a social media account

1. Open the record of the constituent with the social media account to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Social media accounts, select the account to edit and click Edit. The Edit a social media account screen appears.
4. Edit the account information as necessary. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a social media account on page 84.
5. Click Save. You return to the Contact tab.

Delete a Social Media Account for a Constituent

You can delete social media and social networking accounts from a constituent's record, such as when the constituent closes an account.

➤ Delete a social media account

You can delete social media and social networking accounts from a constituent's record.

1. Open the record of the constituent with the social media account to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Contact tab.
3. Under Social media accounts, select the account to delete and click Delete. A confirmation message appears.
4. Click Yes. You return to the Contact tab. The social media account no longer appears.

Personal Information

You can view and manage personal information about an individual constituent, from the Personal Info tab. This tab includes three tabs on the tier two level.

To view and edit personal information, name formats, aliases, demographics, inactive status, deceased information, Social Security number, alternate lookup IDs, and interests, click Personal. For information about this tab, see Personal on page 87.

To view and edit constituencies, click Constituencies. For information about this tab, see Constituencies on page 100.
Personal

To view and manage personal information about an individual constituent, select the Personal tab. You can expand and collapse the information that appears.

For constituents marked as inactive, the Inactive details frame appears. Under Inactive details, information about why the constituent was marked inactive appears. You can edit this information as necessary. For information about how to edit information about the inactive status, see Edit Status Details for an Inactive Constituent on page 89.

Under Personal information, information such as the constituent’s name, nickname, marital status, and website address appear. From this frame, you can edit the information entered about a constituent. For information about how to edit personal information, see Edit Personal Information for an Individual Constituent on page 90.

Under Name Formats, information about the constituent’s salutation appears. From this frame, you can add multiple addressees and salutations to use in communication with a constituent. You can also designate a name format as the primary addressee or salutation. The primary addressee is how the constituent requests to typically be addressed, such as on envelopes and labels. The primary salutation is how the constituent requests to typically be greeted in communication. For information about how to edit name formats, see Edit a Name Format for a Constituent on page 93.

Under Aliases, information about the constituent’s aliases appears. From this frame you can edit aliases such as a former name, a stage name, an alternate name, or a nickname not captured on the Personal
When you search for a constituent, you can use aliases to find the correct constituent. For information about how to edit an alias, see Edit an Alias for a Constituent on page 94.

Under Demographics, information about the constituent's target giving level and income appear. You can also view information about the individual's birthplace, ethnicity, and religious preference appear. From this frame, you can edit the information entered about a constituent. For information about how to edit demographic information, see Edit Demographic Information for a Constituent on page 95.

For constituents marked as deceased, the Deceased information frame appears. Under Deceased information, information such as the date the constituent passed away and how your organization learned the constituent passed away appears. From this frame, you can edit this information as necessary. For information about how to edit the deceased information, see Edit Deceased Information for an Individual Constituent on page 96.

Note: If your system administrator configures the Life Changes options so you can edit additional information about a deceased constituent, Go to deceasing options appears on the action bar of the Deceased information frame.

If you have the proper system role and security rights, the Social Security Number frame appears and displays the individual's Social Security number. From this frame, you can edit this information as necessary. For information about how to edit the Social Security number, see Edit the Social Security Number for an Individual Constituent on page 96.

Under Alternate lookup IDs, additional lookup IDs assigned the individual appear. Alternate lookup IDs are categorized by type, so a constituent may have multiple alternate lookup IDs. However, a constituent can have only one alternate lookup ID per type. From this frame, you can manage alternate lookup IDs for the organization.

Under Interests, the interests of the individual appear. For example, a constituent may have an interest in women's issues. You can add this interest to the record to remind you to include the constituent when you send invitations to events around women's issues. From this frame, you can manage the interests entered for the organization.

Mark a Constituent as Inactive or Active

To retain information about a constituent who no longer actively supports your organization, you can make a constituent inactive in the database. The program automatically excludes inactive constituents from constituent searches. To search for an inactive constituent, you must first select Include inactive on the Constituent Search screen.

After you mark a constituent as inactive, you can mark the constituent as active again if necessary. On the Personal Info tab of the constituent record, click Mark active. When a message appears to ask whether to mark the constituent as active, click Yes.

Note: To configure reason codes for marking constituents inactive, from Constituents, under Configuration, click Reason codes.

Mark a constituent as inactive

1. Open the record of the constituent to mark as inactive. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. On the Personal Info tab, click Mark inactive. The Constituent mark inactive screen appears.
3. Select the reason code to explain the need to mark the constituent as inactive.

**Tip:** To configure reason codes for inactive constituents, from Constituents, click Reason codes under Configuration. For information about how to configure reason codes for inactive constituents, see the Administration Guide.

4. In the Details field, enter any additional information about the inactive status of the constituent.

5. Click Save. You return to the constituent record.

**Edit Status Details for an Inactive Constituent**

After you mark a constituent as inactive, you can edit the details of the inactive status as necessary.

**Edit inactive details**

1. Open the record of the inactive constituent with the details to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

   **Tip:** To search for an inactive constituent, select Include inactive on the Constituent Search screen.

2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab.
   - For an Organization, select the Organization Info tab.
   - For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.


4. Edit the reason code or details entered to explain the inactive status.

5. Click Save. You return to the Personal, Organization, or Details tab.

**Mark an Individual Constituent as Deceased**

When an individual constituent passes away, you can mark the constituent as deceased. When you mark a constituent as deceased, you can enter information such as the deceased date. The program automatically retains the information about deceased constituents but excludes them from constituent searches. To search for a deceased constituent, you must first select Include deceased on the Constituent Search screen.

After you mark a constituent as deceased, you can edit the deceased date or confirmation information as necessary from the Personal Info tab.

**Note:** If you use Blackbaud’s DeceasedRecordFinder service and your system administrator configures the Life Changes options in Constituents, the program automatically marks deceased constituents as deceased and updates their constituent records.

**Note:** Your system administrator may configure the Life Changes options so you can edit information about a deceased constituent from the Deceasing Options page.
If you accidentally or incorrectly mark a constituent as deceased, you can make a constituent marked as deceased active again.

**Mark a constituent as deceased**

1. Open the record of the individual constituent to mark as deceased. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. On the Personal Info tab, click **Mark deceased**. The Mark individual deceased screen appears.
3. In the **Deceased date** field, enter the date the constituent passed away. If you are unsure of the exact date, enter a fuzzy date such as the month and year or year only. If you do not know the date, leave the field blank.
4. In the **Confirmation** field, select how your organization confirms the constituent passed away, such as a death certificate or relative.
5. In the **Source** field, select how your organization first learns the constituent passed away, such as an obituary. Your system administrator determines the options for this field.
6. Click **Save**.
   - If your system administrator configures the Life Changes options to enable users to edit information about deceased constituents, the Deceasing Options page appears. For information about the Deceasing Options page, see Deceasing Options Page on page 30.
   - If your system administrator does not configure the Life Changes options to enable users to edit information about deceased constituents, you return to the constituent record. The **Status** field displays Deceased.

**Edit Personal Information for an Individual Constituent**

When you add an individual constituent to your database, you add personal information about the constituent such as the name, personal website URL, and whether the constituent gives anonymously. From the Personal tab of the constituent record, you can add and edit this information as necessary.

When you edit personal information about the constituent, you can also select an image to associate with the individual.

*Note: From a constituent record, to view an audit of the edits made to the record, click **History** under More information. The Constituent History page for the record appears. For information about the items on the Constituent History page, see Constituent History on page 193.*

**Edit personal information**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the information to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Personal info tab. Then click **Personal**.
3. Under **Personal information**, click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit personal information screen appears.

*Tip: To access the Edit personal information screen, you can also click the picture on the constituent record and click **Edit**.*
4. Edit the information as necessary. If the constituent requests to donate anonymously, select **Gives anonymously**.

5. To add an image for the constituent:
   a. In the **Image** field, click **Choose file**. The Open screen appears.
   b. Browse to and select the image file to use with the constituent.
   c. Click **Open**. You return to the Edit personal information screen. In the **Image** field, the selected image appears.
      To remove the image selected for a constituent, click **Clear file**.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Personal tab.

**Edit Personal Information Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Edit personal information screen. For information about how to access this screen, see **Edit Personal Information for an Individual Constituent on page 90**.

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<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Last name, First name, Middle name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the individual constituent exactly as it should appear throughout your database such as on pages and reports.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maiden name</td>
<td>Enter a maiden name for the individual as necessary. On the constituent record, the maiden name entered appears as an alias on the Names tab. When you search for individual constituents, you can select to include maiden names in the search criteria.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nickname</td>
<td>Enter a nickname for the individual as necessary. When you search for individual constituents, you can select to include nicknames in the search criteria.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Marital status</td>
<td>Select whether the individual constituent is single, married, or divorced.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Title and Title 2</td>
<td>Select a title for the individual such as Mr., Mrs., or Ms. You can select a second title if necessary, such as “Reverend Dr.”</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Suffix and Suffix 2</td>
<td>Select a suffix for the individual such as Sr. or M.D. You can select a second suffix if necessary, such as “III Esq.”</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Image</td>
<td>This field displays an image associated with the constituent, such as a picture of the individual. To add an image for the constituent, click <strong>Choose file</strong>. The Open screen appears so you can browse to and select the image file to use. To remove an image associated with the constituent, click <strong>Clear file</strong>.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Screen Item | Description
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Gender | Select whether the individual is a male or female. If you are unsure of the individual’s gender, select “Unknown”.
Birth date and Age | Enter the individual’s date of birth, such as 10/10/1941. If you are unsure of the exact birth date, you can enter a “fuzzy” date, such as the month and year or the year only. If the date contains a year, the constituent’s age is calculated and displayed.
Website | If the constituent has a personal website or weblog, enter the web address. On the constituent record, the web address appears as a link to the website.
Gives anonymously | If the constituent requests to donate anonymously, select this checkbox.

### Add Name Formats for a Constituent

When you add a constituent, you can add multiple addressees and salutations to use in communications with a constituent. For an individual, select the Personal Info Tab and then click **Personal**. For an Organization, select the Organization Info tab and then click **Organization**. Under **Name Formats**, you can also designate a name format as the primary addressee or salutation. The primary addressee is how the constituent requests to typically be addressed, such as on envelopes and labels. An address is often formal, such as Ms. Joan Johnson or Mr. Thomas F. Stewart. The primary salutation is how the constituent requests to typically be greeted in communication and can be formal or informal. For example, you may greet Mr. Thomas F. Stewart as Thomas Stewart or Tom.

**Tip:** To save time, you can configure default name formats in **Marketing and Communications Configuration**. You can specify which name formats to add automatically to new constituent records and choose which formats to use as the default **Primary addressee** and **Primary salutation**.

> **Add a name format for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the name format to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click **Personal**.
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization Info tab. Then click **Organization**.
3. Under **Name formats**, click **Add** on the action bar. The Add name format screen appears.
4. Select the type of name format to add such as Formal Address or Informal Salutation.
5. Select whether to use an automatically formatted name or a custom name format.
   - To use an automatically formatted name, select the format in the grid and click **Select**.
   The **Format** field displays the order of the elements in the selected name format. The **Result** field displays how the constituent’s name appears with that format.
• To create a custom name format, select `<Custom>` in the grid and, under Result, enter how to display the constituent’s name.

6. If the constituent requests to be addressed with this format on a regular basis, select Primary addressee.

7. If the constituent requests to be greeted with this format on a regular basis, select Primary salutation.

**Note:** A constituent can have only one primary addressee and primary salutation. When you include the constituent in communication, the program automatically uses the primary addressee and salutation.

8. Click Save. You return to the Personal or Organization tab.

### Edit a Name Format for a Constituent

After you add a name format for a constituent, you can edit it as necessary.

➤ **Edit a name format for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the name format to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization info tab. Then click Organization.

3. Under Name formats, select the name format to edit.

4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit name format screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add name format screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Name Formats for a Constituent on page 92.

5. Edit the name format as necessary.

6. Click Save. You return to the Person or Organization tab.

### Delete a Name Format for a Constituent

You can delete a name format from a constituent as necessary.

➤ **Delete a name format for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the name format to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization info tab. Then click Organization.

3. Under Name formats, select the name format to delete.

4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the name format.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Personal or Organization tab. Under Name formats, the format no longer appears.

Add an Alias for a Constituent

From the Personal tab of a constituent record, you can add multiple aliases for a constituent. When you search for a constituent, you can use aliases to find the correct constituent. For an individual constituent, an alias can be a former name, a stage name, an alternate name, or a nickname not captured on the Personal tab. For an organization constituent, an alias can be an acronym or a name by which the organization is commonly called in the community.

➢ Add an alias

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alias to add.
2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
4. Select the type of alias to add for the person, such as Former Last Name for an individual or Acronym for an organization.
5. Enter the alias in the name fields.
6. Click Save. You return to the Personal or Organization tab.

Add Alias Screen

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<tr>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Select the type of alias to add. For an individual, an alias can be a former last name, pen name, or alternate nickname. For an organization, an alias can be an acronym or alternate name.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Name fields</td>
<td>For an individual constituent, all name fields appear, such as first name, middle name, and last name, as well as titles and suffixes. Organizations have just one name field to use for an alias. When you search for a constituent, you can select Include aliases to include them in the search.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Edit an Alias for a Constituent

From the Personal tab of a constituent record, you can edit aliases as necessary.

➢ Edit an alias

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alias to edit.
2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
3. Under **Aliases**, select the alias to edit.
4. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit alias screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add alias screen.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Personal or Organization tab.

### Delete an Alias for a Constituent

From the Personal tab of a constituent record, you can delete an alias when necessary.

> **Delete an alias**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alias to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.
2. For an individual constituent, select the Personal Info tab. Then click **Personal**.
   
   For an organization constituent, select the Organization Info tab. Then click **Organization**.
3. Under **Aliases**, select the alias to delete.
4. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the alias.
5. Click **Yes**. You return to the Personal or Organization tab. Under **Aliases**, the alias no longer appears.

### Edit Demographic Information for a Constituent

You can enter demographic information about a constituent, such as income level. For an individual constituent, you can also enter information such as birthplace, ethnicity, and religion.

> **Edit demographic information**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the demographic information to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click **Personal**.
   
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click **Organization**.
3. For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
4. Under **Demographics**, click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit demographics screen appears.
5. In the **Target** and **Income** fields, select the target giving level and estimated income for the constituent.
6. For an individual constituent, enter the birthplace and select the ethnicity and religious preference as necessary.
7. Click **Save**. You return to the constituent record.
Edit Deceased Information for an Individual Constituent

After you mark a constituent as deceased, you can edit the deceased information as necessary.

**Tip:** If your system administrator configures the Life Changes options in Administration to allow users to edit information about a deceased constituent, you can edit additional information about the deceased constituent from the Deceasing Options page. For information about the Deceasing Options page, see Deceasing Options Page on page 30.

> Edit deceased information

1. Open the record of the deceased constituent with information to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.

3. Under Deceased information, click Edit on the action bar. The Edit deceased information screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Mark individual deceased screen. For information about items on this screen, see Mark an Individual Constituent as Deceased on page 217.

4. Edit the information as necessary.

5. Click Save. You return to the Personal tab.

Edit the Social Security Number for an Individual Constituent

From the Personal tab of the constituent record, you can enter and edit the Social Security number for the individual.

> Edit the Social Security number

1. Open the record of the constituent with the Social Security number to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.


4. Enter the Social Security number exactly as it should appear in the database, such as 111 00 1111 or 111-00-1111.

5. Click Save. You return to the Personal tab.

Add Alternate Lookup IDs for a Constituent

When you add a constituent record, the program automatically assigns the constituent a lookup ID. This primary lookup ID appears in the Lookup ID field on the constituent record. You can manually assign additional lookup IDs to a constituent record.
Add an alternate lookup ID

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alternate lookup ID to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
3. For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
4. For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
5. Under Alternate lookup IDs, click Add on the action bar. The Add an alternate lookup ID screen appears.
6. In the Type field, select the type of alternate lookup ID to add.
7. In the Lookup ID field, enter the new alternate lookup ID.

Note: You cannot enter two lookup IDs of the same type with the same ID number. You can enter multiple alternate lookup IDs of the same type for one record, as long as the alternate IDs do not match.

8. Click Save. You return to the constituent record. Under Alternate lookup IDs, the new lookup ID appears.

Edit an Alternate Lookup ID

After you add an alternate lookup ID for a constituent, you can edit it or its type as necessary.

Note: This procedure explains how to edit an alternate lookup ID assigned to a constituent by an application user. For information about how to edit the primary lookup ID assigned to a constituent by the program when you add the constituent record, see Edit the Primary Lookup ID for a Constituent on page 59.

Edit an alternate lookup ID

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alternate lookup ID to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
   For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
3. Under Alternate lookup IDs, select the lookup ID to edit.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit alternate lookup ID screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add an alternate lookup ID screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Alternate Lookup IDs for a Constituent on page 96.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the constituent record.
Delete an Alternate Lookup ID

After you add an alternate lookup ID for a constituent, you can delete it, such as if your organization no longer uses its type of lookup ID.

> Delete an alternate lookup ID

1. Open the record of the constituent with the alternate lookup ID to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
   For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
3. Under Alternate lookup IDs, select the lookup ID to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the lookup ID.
5. Click Yes. You return to the constituent record.

Add Interests for a Constituent

To improve your ability to target donors, you can add interests for a constituent. For example, a constituent may have an interest in women’s issues. You can add this interest to the record as a reminder to include the constituent when you send invitations to events around women’s issues.

Tip: From Analysis, you can create a query to generate a selection of constituents that share the same interest.

> Add an interest for a constituent

1. Open the record of the constituent with the interest to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
   For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
3. Under Interests, click Add on the action bar. The Add interest screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Interest Screen on page 99.
4. In the Type field, select the type of interest to add.
5. In the Comments field, enter any additional information or detail about the interest.
6. Click Save. You return to the constituent record. Under Interests, the new interest and any comments entered appear.
Add Interest Screen

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<tr>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Select the type of interest the constituent has, such as Golf, Volunteering, or Wine tasting. Interests can include hobbies, travel, technology, and specific issues.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comments</td>
<td>Enter any additional notes or information about the constituent interest. For example, if a constituent is interested in wine tasting, enter a reminder to include the constituent when you send invitations to your next wine auction.</td>
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</tbody>
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Edit an Interest for a Constituent

After you add an interest for a constituent, you can edit its type or comments entered about the interest as necessary.

▶ Edit an interest

1. Open the record of the constituent with the interest to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
   For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
3. Under Interests, select the interest to edit.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit interest screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add interest screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Interest Screen on page 99.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the constituent record.

Delete an Interest for a Constituent

After you add an interest for a constituent, you can delete it as necessary.

▶ Delete an interest

1. Open the record of the constituent with the interest to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. For an individual, select the Personal Info tab. Then click Personal.
   For an organization, select the Organization Info tab. Then click Organization.
   For a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
3. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the interest.
4. Click **Yes**. You return to the constituent record.

### Edit Event Restrictions for a Constituent

You can track a constituent’s dietary, physical, or other restrictions so you can properly accommodate them for events. For example, if a constituent prefers a vegetarian diet, you can track this restriction so they are served proper food.

**Note:** Any restrictions you add on the constituent record also appear on the constituent’s registrant record.

#### Edit event restrictions

1. Open the record of the constituent with the event restrictions to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click **Personal**.
4. Select the necessary restriction types and options such as a restriction type of Dietary, and an Option of Vegetarian.

**Note:** If a restriction type or option that you need does not appear, you must configure a new one. For information about how to configure restriction types, see the **Events Guide**.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the constituent record.

### Constituencies

Constituencies define the affiliations your constituents have with your organization. A constituent can have multiple constituencies, and these relationships can start and end and overlap. For example, a constituent may first become a donor in your database and remain a donor for an undetermined length of time. The constituent may later become a volunteer for your organization, but for only six months. You can use constituencies to define these relationships and group similar constituents in queries, mailings, and reports. To view the constituencies of a constituent, select the Constituencies tab.

Under **Constituencies**, the constituencies of the constituent appear. The program may automatically add a constituency to a constituent, such as volunteer. For information about the constituencies that may appear, see **Constituency Types on page 102**.

**Note:** If you add a constituent group as a committee, the constituency of Committee appears.

From the **Constituencies** grid, you can add and manage the constituencies for a constituent.

Your organization may assign a fundraiser to maintain your organization’s relationship with a constituent. Under **Constituent relationship managers**, you can view the fundraisers assigned to the constituent. When a user edits the contact information on a constituent record, a relationship manager
can view the changes made. From the grid, you can add and manage the fundraisers who maintain the relationship with the constituent and view changes to the constituent record.

Add Constituencies for a Constituent

On the Constituencies tab, you can add constituencies already defined in the program, such as Board Member or Staff, to a constituent. You can also add constituencies defined by your organization such as Friend or Trustee.

**Add a constituency**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the constituency to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
   - For individuals, select the Personal Info tab.
   - For organizations, select the Organization Info tab.
   - For groups/households, select the Details tab.
2. Then select the Constituencies tab.
3. Under **Constituencies**, click **Add** and select the type of constituency to apply to the constituent. To add a constituency defined by your organization, select **User-defined**. The Add constituency screen appears.
4. For a user-defined constituency, select the type of constituency to add.
5. Enter the start and end dates of the constituency. If the duration of the constituency is undetermined, leave the **Date to** field blank.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Constituencies tab.

**Add Constituency Screen**

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<tr>
<td>Constituency</td>
<td>This field appears for a user-defined constituency only. Select the type of constituency to assign to the constituent. The constituency defines why the constituent is in your database and the affiliation with your organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Date from</td>
<td>Enter the date the constituency begins.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Date to</td>
<td>Enter the date the constituency ends. If the duration of the constituency is undetermined, leave this field blank.</td>
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</table>

**Edit a Constituency**

After you add a constituency to a constituent, you can edit it as necessary. For example, you can edit the duration of the constituency.
Note: You can edit only constituencies added through the Constituencies grid. You cannot edit constituencies the program automatically assigns to a constituent, such as Donor.

Edit a constituency

1. Open the record of the constituent with the constituency to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Constituencies.
3. Under Constituencies, select the constituency to edit.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit Constituency screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add Constituency screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Constituency Screen on page 101.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the Constituencies tab.

Delete a Constituency

You can delete a constituency from a constituent when necessary. From the Constituencies grid, you can delete the constituencies added from the action bar. You cannot delete constituencies the program automatically assigns to a constituent, such as Donor.

Tip: To retain a historical record of the constituency, you can edit its end date to indicate the constituency is no longer active rather than delete the constituency. For information about how to edit a constituency, see Edit a Constituency on page 101.

Delete a constituency

1. Open the record of the constituent with the constituency to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Constituencies.
3. Under Constituencies, select the constituency to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the constituency.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Constituencies tab.

Constituency Types

There are several default constituency types which the program may automatically add to a constituent. However, you can also manually add many constituencies to a constituent under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. Constituencies also appear under Active constituencies in the summary of a constituent record and are sometimes a link to additional information about the constituent.
**Note:** To add user defined constituency types, from Administration, click Code tables. Under the Biographical category, click Constituency under Code table name column. The Manage Code Table Entries page appears where you can manage your constituency types.

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<td>Bank</td>
<td>The &quot;Bank&quot; constituency is automatically added to any organization constituent you have set up as a bank in Manage bank accounts or Bank search in Treasury. You cannot manually add this constituency, but you can manually delete this constituency if it no longer applies or was added by mistake.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Board member</td>
<td>Under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab, you can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When you add the constituency, it appears under Active constituencies on the constituent record. When the end date of the board membership occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committee</td>
<td>When you add a committee, you actually add a group with this constituency type. Committee groups have all of the group functionality, but can optionally also be event coordinators and solicitors. On the group page for a committee, you can manage the basics for the group, such as group membership. On the Committee page for the group, you can view and manage details about the committee.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Committee member</td>
<td>When you add a constituent to a committee, the constituent is assigned this constituency. When the end date of the committee membership occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency.</td>
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| Donor        | The criteria for the Donor constituency is established by the Constituencies task under Configuration in Constituents. The constituency appears on a constituent when the constituent meets the criteria established. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  
**Note:** If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| Event registrant | When a constituent is registered for an event, the constituent receives the event registrant constituency. |
| Fundraiser   | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
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| **Loyal donor** | A constituent receives the "Loyal donor" constituency when the constituent meets the **Loyal donor definition** criteria set up in the **Constituencies** configuration task in **Constituents**. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  
**Note:** If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| **Major donor** | A constituent receives the "Major donor" constituency when the constituent meets the **Major donor definition** criteria set up in the **Constituencies** configuration task in **Constituents**. When a donor no longer meets the criteria, the constituency is removed from the record.  
**Note:** If a constituent with a "Donor" constituency gives a large gift and receives the "Major donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. In addition, if a donor qualifies for the "Loyal donor" constituency, the "Donor" constituency is no longer displayed in the summary section of the constituent record. The "Donor" constituency still appears under Constituencies on the Personal Info tab. |
| **Member** | When you add an active membership to a constituent, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent. You can also manually add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates.  
When the membership expires, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
| **Patron** | When you add a constituent to a sales order that contains tickets, the program automatically adds this constituency to the Constituencies tab of the constituent record.  
For information about patrons and ticket sales, see the **Sales Basics Guide**. |
| **Recognized donor** | When you include a constituent in a recognition program, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record when you run the recognition process. |
| **Relation only** | When you add the constituent as a relationship of another constituent and there is no other constituency assigned, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record.  
When another constituency is added to the constituent, either manually or by the program, the "Relation only" constituency is removed. |
| **Staff** | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituent no longer has this constituency. |
| **Vendor** | When you add a constituent as a vendor and associate the vendor with event expenses, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record. |
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| Volunteer | You can add this constituency to a constituent and enter start and end dates. When you add a constituent as a volunteer in Volunteers, the program automatically adds this constituency to the constituent record. When the end date occurs in the past, the constituency is automatically removed from the constituent record. |

Add Constituent Relationship Managers

Your organization may add a fundraiser as a relationship manager to maintain your relationship with a constituent. Fundraisers are constituents with the Fundraiser constituency assigned to their constituent records. You can assign multiple relationship managers to a constituent. When a user edits the contact information on a constituent record, the relationship managers can view the changes made. For information about how to view changes made to constituent contact information, see Constituent Data Review on page 197.

**Tip:** To assign a relationship manager to multiple constituents, you can create a global change instance to add the manager to the selection of constituents. For information about Global Changes, see the Administration Guide.

**Add a relationship manager to a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent to assign to the relationship manager. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Constituencies.
4. Search for and select the fundraiser to assign as the constituent relationship manager. Fundraisers are constituents with the Fundraiser constituency assigned to their constituent records.
5. Click Save. You return to the Constituencies tab.

Edit a Constituent Relationship Manager

After you assign a relationship manager to a constituent, you can edit the assignment to assign the constituent to another relationship manager.

**Tip:** To edit the relationship manager assigned to multiple constituents to another fundraiser, you can create a global change instance to change the manager for the selection of constituents. For information about Global Changes, see the Administration Guide.
Edit a constituent relationship manager

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship manager to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Select the Personal Info tab. Then click Constituencies.


4. Search for and select the fundraiser to assign as the constituent relationship manager.

5. Click Save. You return to the Constituencies tab.

Delete a Constituent Relationship Manager

After you assign a relationship manager to a constituent, you can delete the assignment as necessary.

Tip: To remove the relationship manager assigned to multiple constituents, you can create a global change instance to change the manager for the selection of constituents. For information about Global Change, see the Administration Guide.

Organization Information

To view and manage information about an organization constituent, select the Organization tab.

Under Organization details, information such as the constituent’s name, industry, number of employees and subsidiary organizations, and website address appear. From this frame, you can edit the information entered about the organization.

Under Name Formats, information about the constituent’s salutation appears. From this frame, you can add multiple addressees and salutations to use in communication with a constituent. You can also designate a name format as the primary addressee or salutation. The primary addressee is how the constituent requests to typically be addressed, such as on envelopes and labels. The primary salutation is how the constituent requests to typically be greeted in communication.

Under Aliases, information about the constituent’s aliases appear. From this frame you can edit aliases such as a former name, an alternate name, or a nickname not captured on the Organization tab. When you search for a constituent, you can use aliases to find the correct constituent.
Under **Demographics**, information about the constituent’s target giving level and income appear. From this frame, you can edit the information entered about a constituent. For information about how to edit demographic information, see *Edit Demographic Information for a Constituent on page 95.*

Under **Matching gift conditions**, information about the organization’s matching gift policies appear, such as the minimum and maximum matching factors and any notes entered. An organization can have multiple levels of matching gift details. From this frame, you can manage matching gift conditions for the organization.

Under **Alternate lookup IDs**, additional lookup IDs assigned the organization appear. Alternate lookup IDs are categorized by type, so a constituent may have multiple alternate lookup IDs. However, a constituent can have only one alternate lookup ID per type. From this frame, you can manage alternate lookup IDs for the organization.

Under **Interests**, the interests of the organization appear. For example, a constituent may have an interest in women’s issues. You can add this interest to the record to remind you to include the constituent when you send invitations to events around women’s issues. From this frame, you can manage the interests entered for the organization.

For constituents marked as inactive, the **Inactive details** frame appears. Under **Inactive details**, information about why the constituent was marked inactive appears. You can edit this information as necessary. For information about how to edit information about the inactive status, see *Edit Status Details for an Inactive Constituent on page 89.*

To manage an organization’s constituencies and constituent relationship managers, select the Constituencies tab from the Organization Info tab. For more information, see *Constituencies on page 100.*

### Edit Details for an Organization Constituent

After you add an organization to your database, you can edit the detail information about the organization, such as name, industry, and website URL as necessary.

*Note:* From a constituent record, to view an audit of the edits made to the record, click **History** under More information. The Constituent History page for the record appears. For information about the items on the Constituent History page, see *Constituent History on page 193.*

> **Edit detail information about an organization**

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the detail information to edit. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see *Organization Search on page 220.*
2. Select the Organization tab.
3. Under **Organization details**, click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit organization details screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see *Edit Organization Details Screen on page 108.*

*Tip:* To access the Edit organization information screen, you can also click the picture on the constituent record and click **Edit**.
4. Edit the information as necessary.

5. To add an image for the constituent:
   a. In the Image field, click Choose file. The Open screen appears.
   b. Browse to and select the image file to use with the constituent.
   c. Click Open. You return to the Edit organization details screen. In the Image field, the selected image appears.
      To remove the image selected for a constituent, click Clear file.

6. Click Save. You return to the Organization tab.

Edit Organization Details Screen

The table below explains the items on the Edit organization details screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Edit Details for an Organization Constituent on page 107.

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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the organization, exactly as it should appear throughout the program.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Industry</td>
<td>Select the organization’s type of industry such as Health care or Education.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No. of employees</td>
<td>Enter the number of people employed at the organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No. of subsidiary orgs</td>
<td>If the organization is the parent of another organization, enter the number of companies the organization owns and controls.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Website</td>
<td>Enter the address to the organization’s corporate website. On the constituent record, the address entered appears as a link to the organization’s website.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Screen Item | Description
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This is a primary organization | If the location entered is the main headquarters or office of operation for the organization, select this checkbox. When you search for an organization, you can select to include only primary organizations in the search results.
Image | To add an image for the organization such as the company logo, click Choose file. The Open screen appears so you can browse to and select the image file to use. To remove an image associated with the constituent, click Clear file.

### Add Matching Gift Conditions for an Organization

Many organizations match contributions their employees or other qualified persons give to approved nonprofit organizations. For example, AAA Concrete matches employee gifts on a two-to-one ratio. Kyle Bell, an employee of AAA Concrete, donates $100 to your organization. Because AAA Concrete matches employee gifts, your organization receives an additional $200 from AAA Concrete if Kyle’s gift meets the conditions set by AAA Concrete.

Matching gifts can be very important when you work with revenue. To increase your organization's total donations, we recommend you research and track each organization’s matching gift conditions. On the Organization tab, you can add the matching gift conditions for an organization constituent. An organization that matches gifts may have several types of matching gift conditions, and the details for each type may differ. For example, the organization may match on a three-to-one ratio for donations from an executive and on a two-to-one ratio for donations from a full-time employee.

After you add matching gift conditions for an organization, the program considers it a matching organization. When you add an individual relationship for an organization or an organization relationship for an individual, you can select whether the organization matches the donations of the individual. For more information about how to add relationships, see Relationships on page 114.

> Add a matching gift condition for an organization constituent

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the matching gift condition to add. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see Organization Search on page 220.
2. Select the Organization tab.
3. Under Matching gift conditions, click Add on the action bar. The Add matching gift condition screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Matching Gift Condition Screen on page 111.
4. In the **Type** field, select the type of matching gift condition to add such as Employee.

5. Select the type of revenue eligible to qualify for the matching gift condition.

6. In the **Matching factor** field, enter the ratio by which the organization matches donations from the selected relationships.

7. In the **Matching amount** field, select whether the organization matches the full amount of the donation or only the tax-deductible portion as reflected on the receipt.

8. In the **Min match per gift** and **Max match per gift** fields, enter the minimum and maximum amounts of matching gifts the organization provides. For example, the organization may only provide matching gifts between $25 and $1,000. If the organization does not have a minimum or maximum matching gift amount, leave the field blank.

9. In the **Max match per year** and **Max match total** fields, enter the maximum amounts of a constituent’s annual and lifetime giving the organization matches. For example, the organization may match no more than $10,000 annually or $100,000 for the lifetime of the constituent.

10. In the **Apply to** grid, select the relationship types for which the matching gift condition applies.

11. For each selected relationship type, select whether the matching gift condition applies to a specific schedule, such as Full time or Part time, or career level, such as Executive.

   **Note:** You can use relationship type, job schedule, and career level together to make conditions as specific as necessary. If you use only relationship types, your condition is broadest. For example, if you select Employee as the relationship type, gifts from all employees at the organization are eligible, based on the other conditions. If you select a relationship type of Employee and a job schedule of Full time, then gifts from part time or temporary employees are not eligible.

12. Under **Notes**, enter any additional information about the organization’s matching gift program.

13. Click **Save**. You return to the Organization tab.
Add Matching Gift Condition Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add matching gift condition screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Matching Gift Conditions for an Organization on page 109.

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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Select the type of matching gift condition. An organization may have multiple condition types, and the details for each may differ. For example, an organization may match two-to-one for donations from employees and three-to-one for donations from board members.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Revenue type</td>
<td>Select the revenue type for the matching gift condition. Only revenue of this type is eligible to qualify for a matching gift.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Matching factor</td>
<td>Enter the ratio by which the organization matches donations. For example, with a factor or 0.5, the organization donates $50 for each $100 the matched relationship donates. If the organization matches gifts evenly, enter 1.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Matching amount</td>
<td>Select whether the organization matches the total amount of the gift or only the tax-deductible portion, or receipt amount.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Min match per gift</td>
<td>Enter the minimum amount of gift the organization matches. For example, the organization may match only donations of $25 or higher.</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>If the organization does not require a minimum gift amount, leave this field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Max match per gift</td>
<td>Enter the maximum amount of gift the organization matches. For example, the organization may match only donations of $1,000 or lower.</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>If the organization does not have a maximum gift amount, leave this field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Max match per year</td>
<td>Enter the maximum amount of constituent annual giving the organization matches. For example, the organization may match no more than $10,000 of an employee's annual donations.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>If the organization does not have a maximum gift amount, leave this field blank.</td>
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<td>Screen Item</td>
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<tr>
<td>Max match total</td>
<td>Enter the maximum amount of constituent lifetime giving the organization matches. For example, the organization may match no more than $100,000 of an employee’s lifetime donations. If the organization does not have a maximum gift amount, leave this field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Apply to</td>
<td>To automatically create matching gifts when you receive revenue from the organization’s relationships, select the types of relationships for which the matching gift condition applies. For each relationship type, select whether the condition applies to a specific job schedule, such as Full time or Part time, or career level, such as Executive. You can use relationship type, job schedule, and career level together to make conditions as specific as you want them to be. If you use only relationship types, your condition is broadest. For example, if you select Employee as the relationship type, gifts from all employees at the organization are eligible, based on the other conditions. If you select a relationship type of Employee and a job schedule of Full time, then gifts from part time or temporary employees are not eligible. If you do not select any relationships, you cannot automatically create matching gifts based on the condition. For information about how to select whether to automatically create matching gifts, see the Revenue Guide.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Notes</td>
<td>Enter any additional information about the organization’s matching gift program, such as that it matches an employee’s donations only after the employee has been with the organization five years.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Edit a Matching Gift Condition for an Organization

After you add a matching gift condition for an organization constituent, you can edit it as necessary.

> **Edit a matching gift condition**

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the matching gift condition to edit. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see Organization Search on page 220.
2. Select the Organization tab.
3. Under **Matching gift conditions**, select the matching gift condition to edit.
4. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit matching gift condition screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add matching gift condition screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Matching Gift Condition Screen on page 111.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Organization tab.
Re-order Matching Gift Conditions for a Constituent

If you have multiple matching gift conditions for an organization, you can arrange them in the order the program should check to determine which condition applies to a constituent. For example, if you have a matching gift condition type of Employee and one of Employee Manager, you may want to have Employee Manager first, particularly if the matching factor or match maximums are different. If a constituent is both an employee and a manager at an organization, the Employee Manager condition would need to be listed first on the organization’s matching gift conditions for the Employee Manager condition to apply instead of the Employee condition.

> Re-order matching gift conditions

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the matching gift condition to delete. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see Organization Search on page 220.
2. Select the Organization tab.
3. Under Matching gift conditions, click Re-order conditions. The Re-order matching gift conditions screen appears.
4. Use the arrows to arrange the order of the matching gift condition types as necessary.
5. Click Save. You return to the Organization tab with the matching gift conditions displayed in the order you specified.

Delete a Matching Gift Condition for a Constituent

After you add a matching gift condition for an organization, you can delete it as necessary.

> Delete a matching gift condition

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the matching gift condition to delete. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see Organization Search on page 220.
2. Select the Organization tab.
3. Under Matching gift conditions, select the matching gift condition to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the matching gift condition.
5. Click Save. You return to the Organization tab.

Group or Household Details

To view and manage information about a constituent group or household, select the Details tab.
Under **Demographics**, information about the group or household’s target giving level and income appear. From this frame, you can edit the information entered about a constituent. For information about how to edit demographic information, see *Edit Demographic Information for a Constituent on page 95*.

Under **Alternate lookup IDs**, additional lookup IDs assigned the group or household appear. Alternate lookup IDs are categorized by type, so a constituent may have multiple alternate lookup IDs. However, a constituent can have only one alternate lookup ID per type. From this frame, you can manage alternate lookup IDs for the group or household.

Under **Interests**, the interests of the group or household appear. For example, a group may have an interest in women’s issues. You can add this interest to the record to remind you to include the group when you send invitations to events around women’s issues. From this frame, you can manage the interests entered for the group or household.

For constituents marked as inactive, the **Inactive details** frame appears. Under **Inactive details**, information about why the constituent was marked inactive appears. You can edit this information as necessary. For information about how to edit information about the inactive status, see *Edit Status Details for an Inactive Constituent on page 89*.

**Relationships**

Relationships are familial, social, or professional associations with the constituent. Successful fundraising revolves around the ability to cultivate and manage all types of relationships. When you add a relationship for a constituent, the relationship appears on both constituents’ Relationships tabs. To view and manage the relationships for a constituent, select the Relationships tab.

You can also view an employment history of an individual or organization constituent. For more information, see *Employment History on page 194*.

**Note:** To view a hierarchal view of the relationships entered on the Relationships tab, click **Extended Network** under **More information**. The Extended Network page appears. For information about the items on this page, see *Extended Network on page 138*.

Under **Relationships**, the individual, organization, group, household relationships, and employment history of the constituent appear.

Under **Group member**, if the constituent is a member of a group or household, you can view information about the membership. You can also view information about previous memberships.
Relationships

From the constituent record, you can view a constituent’s familial, social, or professional associations. From the Relationships tab, click Relationships. The individual, organization, group, household relationships, and employment history of the constituent appear.

- Individual relationships are the people with whom the constituent is associated, such as a spouse, friend, family member, or business associate.
- Organization relationships are the businesses, churches, agencies, and other organizations that have an association with the constituent. For example, a constituent can be a member of cultural organization, an employee of an business, or a board member of a nonprofit organization.
- Household relationships show the association between constituent households and the constituents included in the households. A household can have multiple constituents as members, but a constituent can be a member of only one household.
- Group relationships show the association between constituents and the constituent groups to which they belong. Group relationships include families made up of multiple households, giving circles, and family foundations.
- Employment history allows you to track the employment history for constituents which includes job title, job category, and career level information. For organization constituents, you can view all employees, past and present. For individual constituents, you can view a work history. You can use the employment history information as an added dimension in cultivation and solicitation. For example, you might hold a special networking event for individuals with jobs in similar categories.

When you add relationships to constituents, you specify the reciprocal relationship. If you add a relationship type of “Father” to a constituent, the reciprocal relationship might be “Son” or “Daughter.” The most common relationship pairs become the default reciprocal relationships. If your organization has more father/daughter pairs than father/son pairs, the default reciprocal relationship when you add a relationship type of “Father” will be “Daughter.” However, you can still select “Son” or any other value for the reciprocal relationship.
For each relationship in the grid, you can view the name and type of the related constituent, the relationship type, the start and end dates of the relationship. To help find a specific relationship, you can filter the relationships that appear. On the action bar, click Filter, select the criteria of the relationship to view, and click Apply. You can select to view only current or contact relationships and those of a specific relationship type.

You can also limit the relationships that appear in the grid to individuals, organizations, groups, households, or any combination of these relationship categories.

To view additional detail information about a relationship, select the item in the grid and click Show Details on the action bar. The Details window appears and displays additional information, based on relationship type. For example, for individual relationships, you can view whether the relation is the spouse of or shares a household with the constituent. For organization relationships, you can view whether the constituent is a contact for the organization, the position the constituent holds with the organization, whether the organization is the primary business for the constituent, and whether the organization matches the constituent’s gifts.

**Note:** From an organization constituent record, you can also write a letter to the contact of the organization. Under Relationships, select the individual to receive the letter and click Write a letter on the action bar. For information about how to write a letter, see Write a Letter to a Constituent on page 59.

From the grid, you can also manage the relationships of the constituent.

**Add Individual Relationships for an Individual Constituent**

From the Relationships tab of an individual constituent record, you can add individual relationships for the constituent. When you add an individual relationship for a constituent, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related individual.

**Add an individual relationship for an individual constituent**

1. Open the record of the individual constituent with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, click Add individual. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Individual Constituent) on page 118.
4. In the **Related individual** field, search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can add the individual from the search screen.

   **Note:** If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click **Add** in the **Related individual** field.

5. Under **Relationship**, select the association the constituent and the related individual have with each other, the start and end dates of the relationship, and whether the relation is the spouse of the constituent or shares a household with the constituent.

   **Note:** When you select a relationship, your organization’s common reciprocal relationships appear at the top of the list. For example, if you select that the constituent is the Father, the related individual displays Son and Daughter first, since they are the most common reciprocal relationships for Father. However, you can select another relationship type if necessary.

   If you select **This is the spouse relationship for [Constituent]** or **These individuals are members of the same household** and neither the constituent nor the related individual are members of a household, the **Copy [Individual’s] primary contact information** checkbox appears. Select whether to copy the constituent’s contact information to the record of the related individual.

6. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue from the related individual or to the related individual for revenue from the constituent.

   If you select **Apply to [Individual] for revenue from [Related individual]** or **Apply to [Related individual] for revenue from [Individual]**, select the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.

7. Under **Comments**, enter any additional information about the relationship.
8. If the constituent is in a household and the relationship you add is a member of the household, select the Additional relationships tab to specify the relationships between the new household member and the existing members.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

**Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Individual Constituent)**

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<tr>
<td>Related individual</td>
<td>Search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, click <strong>Add</strong> on the Individual Search screen. If you know the individual is not already a constituent, you can click <strong>Add</strong> on the Add a relationship screen instead of first going to the search screen.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[Constituent] is the</td>
<td>Select the constituent’s affiliation to the related individual, such as Father or Client.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[Individual] is the</td>
<td>Select the related individual’s affiliation to the constituent, such as Daughter or Attorney.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This is the spouse</td>
<td>Select the related individual’s affiliation to the constituent, such as Daughter or Attorney.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>relationship for [Constituent]</td>
<td>Your organization’s common reciprocal relationships for a selected relationship type appear at the top of the list. For example, if you select that the constituent is the Father, the related individual displays Son and Daughter first, since they are the most common reciprocals for Father. However, you can select another relationship type if necessary.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date and End date</td>
<td>Select the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the <strong>End date</strong> field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This is the spouse relationship for [Constituent]</td>
<td>If the related individual is the spouse or domestic partner of the constituent, select this checkbox. When you select this checkbox, the program automatically selects <strong>These individuals are members of the same household</strong>.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>These individuals are</td>
<td>If the related individual is in the same household as the constituent, select this checkbox. If you select <strong>This is the spouse relationship for [Constituent]</strong>, the program automatically selects this checkbox. If both the constituent and related individual are already members of households, this checkbox is disabled.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>individuals are members of the same household</td>
<td>If neither the constituent nor the related individual are members of households, the program automatically creates a record of the new constituent household when you save the relationship. If only one of the two constituents is a member of a household, the program adds the other constituent as a member of the household.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Copy [Constituent’s] primary contact information</td>
<td>If you select <strong>This is the spouse relationship for [Constituent]</strong> or <strong>These individuals are members of the same household</strong> and neither the constituent nor the related individual are members of households, this checkbox appears. To copy the primary contact information from the constituent to the record of the related individual, select this checkbox.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Apply to [Constituent] for revenue from [Individual]</td>
<td>To credit the constituent for revenue received from the related individual, select this checkbox. Recognition credits allow multiple constituents to share credit for a single revenue transaction without the creation of duplicate constituents in the database. If you select this checkbox, select the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply to the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Apply to [Individual] for revenue from [Constituent]</td>
<td>To credit the related individual for revenue received from the constituent, select this checkbox. If you select this checkbox, select the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply to the related individual.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comments</td>
<td>Enter any additional information to record about the relationship. If the constituent is in a household and the relationship you add is a member of the household, you can click on the Additional relationships tab to specify the relationships between the new household member and the existing members</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Additional relationships</td>
<td>If the constituent is in a household and the related individual is a member of the household, select this tab to specify the relationships between the related individual and the existing household members.</td>
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Add Individual Relationships for an Organization Constituent

From the Relationships tab of an organization constituent record, you can add individual relationships for the organization. When you add an individual relationship for an organization constituent, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the organization constituent and the related individual.

Add an individual relationship for an organization constituent

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, click Add individual. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Organization Constituent) on page 122.
4. In the Related individual field, search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can add the constituent from the search screen.

Note: If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click Add in the Related individual field.

5. Under Relationship, select the association each constituent has with the other and the start and end dates of the relationship.

Note: When you select a relationship, your organization's common reciprocal relationships appear at the top of the list. For example, if you select that the organization is the Employer, the related individual displays Employee first, since it is the most common reciprocal relationship for Employer. However, you can select another relationship type if necessary.

6. Under General, select whether the organization is the primary business for the related individual.

   If the organization is a matching gift company and has matching options set up on the Organization tab of its constituent record to match gifts for the related individual, select This organization will match contributions for this relationship.

   If the individual replaces a previous relationship, select This replaces the relationship with and select the former organization relationship to replace. After you save, an end date is automatically added to the relationship you replaced.

7. Under Recognition credits, select whether to apply recognition credit to the organization for revenue from the individual, or to apply recognition credit to the individual from the organization. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, select the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

8. Under Comments, enter any additional information about the relationship.

9. Select the Employment and contact information tab.
10. If the individual is an employee of the organization, under **Employment information**, enter details about the employment, such as job title, career level, schedule, department, and responsibilities.

**Note:** All individual relationships with employment information appear on the Employment history page, accessed from the Relationships tab of the organization. For information, see Employment History on page 194.

11. Under **Contact**, select whether the individual is a contact for the organization. If you select **Individual is a contact**, select the contact type and whether the related individual is the primary contact for the organization.

12. By default, the **Contact address**, **Contact phone**, and **Contact email address** fields display the primary information of the organization. To use a different contact information for the individual as an organization contact, click **Edit** and enter the contact information. To remove contact information, click **Remove**. If no contact information is specified or you remove existing information, click **Add** to add an address, phone number, or email address for the contact relationship.

The contact information entered here appears on the Contact tab of the individual’s constituent record. If you delete the individual’s constituent record, the contact information remains on the relationship.

13. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.
Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Organization Constituent)

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<td>Related individual</td>
<td>Search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, click Add on the Constituent Search screen. If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click Add on this field to add the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[Organization] is the [Individual]</td>
<td>Select the organization’s affiliation to the individual, such as Employer.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date and End date</td>
<td>Enter the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the End date field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This is the primary business for [Individual]</td>
<td>If the organization is the primary business, such as the employer, for the individual, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>The organization will match contributions for this relationship</td>
<td>If the organization is a matching gift company and has matching options set up on its constituent record to match gifts for the individual, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This replaces the relationship with</td>
<td>If the individual replaces a previous relationship, select this checkbox and select the previous individual relationship. After you save, an end date is automatically added to the relationship you replaced.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recognition credits</td>
<td>Select whether to apply recognition credit to the organization for revenue from the individual, or to the individual for revenue from the organization. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comments</td>
<td>Enter any additional information to record about the relationship.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Employment</td>
<td>If the individual is an employee at the organization, enter details about the employment, such as the job title, job category, and career level to use in analysis for future cultivation. You can also enter the employee schedule, department, division, and responsibilities if applicable. Constituents may have multiple current jobs, but only with different organizations. All individual relationships with employment information appear on the Employment history page, accessed from the Relationships tab of the organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Contact</td>
<td>Select whether the individual is a contact for the organization. If you select [Individual] is a contact, select whether the individual is the primary contact for the organization. When you run a communications process that includes the organization, the primary contact receives the communication. By default, the Contact address, Contact phone, and Contact email address fields display the primary contact information of the organization. To use different contact information for the individual as an organization contact, click Edit and enter the contact information. To remove a contact address, phone number, or email address, click Remove. If no contact information is specified or you remove existing information, click Add to add contact information. The contact information entered here appears on the Contact tab of the individual’s constituent record. If you delete the individual’s constituent record, the contact information remains on the relationship.</td>
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Add Individual Relationships for a Constituent Group or Household

From the Relationships tab of a constituent group or household record, you can add individual relationships. When you add an individual relationship for a group or household, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the group or household and the related individual.

1. **Add an individual relationship for a constituent group or household**
   1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
   2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
   3. Under Relationships, click Add individual. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household) on page 124.
4. In the **Related individual** field, search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can click the constituent from the search screen.

**Note:** If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click **Add** in the **Related individual** field.

5. Under **Relationship**, select the association each constituent has with the other, as well as the start and end dates of the relationship.

**Note:** When you select a relationship, your organization's common reciprocal relationships appear at the top of the list. For example, if you select that a household is the Friend, the related individual displays Friend first, since it is the most common reciprocal relationship for Friend. However, you can select another relationship type if necessary.

6. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue from the individual, or to the individual for revenue from the constituent.

   If you select **Apply to [group or household name] for revenue from [Related individual]** or **Apply to [Related individual] for revenue from [group or household name]**, select the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.

7. Under **Comments**, enter any additional information about the relationship.

8. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

**Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household)**

The table below explains the items on the Add relationship screen. For information about how to access this screen, see [Add Individual Relationships for a Constituent Group or Household on page 124](#).
**Screen Item** | **Description**  
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**Related constituent** | Search for the individual to add as a relationship. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can add the constituent from the search screen.  
If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click **Add** in this field to add the constituent.  
**[Group or household] is the** | Select the constituent’s affiliation to the related individual.  
**[Individual] is the** | Select the individual’s affiliation to the constituent group or household.  
Your organization’s common reciprocal relationships for a selected relationship type appear at the top of the list. For example, if you select that a household is a Friend, the related individual displays Friend first, since it is the most common reciprocal for Friend. However, you can select another relationship type if necessary.  
**Start date and End date** | Enter the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the **End date** field blank.  
**Recognition credits** | Select whether to apply recognition credit to the group or household for revenue from the individual, or to the individual for revenue from the group or household. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.  
**Comments** | Enter any additional information to record about the relationship.  

**Edit an Individual Relationship for a Constituent**

After you add individual relationships for a constituent, you can change the information at any time. When you edit an individual relationship for a constituent, the changes to the relationship appear on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related individual.

> **Edit an individual relationship for a constituent**  
> 1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.  
> 2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click **Relationships**.  
> 3. Under **Relationships**, select the individual relationship to edit.  
> 4. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit relationship screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a relationship screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Individual Constituent) on page 118**, **Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for an Organization Constituent) on page 122**, or **Add a Relationship Screen (Individual Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household) on page 124**.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

### Delete an Individual Relationship for a Constituent

From the Relationships tab of a constituent record, you can delete individual relationships as necessary. When you delete an individual relationship from a constituent, the program removes the relationship from the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related individual.

**Tip:** To retain a historical record of the relationship, edit its end date to indicate the relationship is not current rather than delete the relationship. For information about how to edit a relationship, see [Edit an Individual Relationship for a Constituent](#).

To delete an individual relationship from a constituent, from the Relationships tab, click **Relationships**. Then select the relationship from the constituent's record and click **Delete**. When a message appears to ask whether to delete the relationship, click **Yes**.

**Note:** When you delete an individual relationship with a household member from an individual constituent, you delete only the relationship defined for the household member. The household member continues to appear under **Relationships**, but no relationship type appears in the **Relationship** column. To completely remove the related individual from the constituent, remove the related individual from the shared household.

### Add Organization Relationships for an Individual Constituent

From the Relationships tab of an individual constituent record, you can add organization relationships for the constituent. When you add an organization relationship for an individual constituent, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the individual constituent and the related organization.

**Add an organization relationship for an individual constituent**

1. Open the record of the individual constituent with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search](#).
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click **Relationships**.
3. Under **Relationships**, click **Add organization**. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Individual Constituent)](#).
4. In the **Related organization** field, search for and select the organization to add as a relationship.

5. Under **Relationship**, select the association each constituent has with the other and the start and end dates of the relationship.

6. Under **General**, select whether the organization is the primary business for the related individual.

   If the organization is a matching gift company and has matching options set up on the Organization tab of its constituent record to match gifts for the related individual, select whether the organization matches gifts received from the individual.

   If the individual replaces a previous relationship, select **This replaces the relationship with** and select the former organization relationship. After you save, an end date is automatically added to the relationship you replaced.

7. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the individual. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.

8. Under **Comments**, enter any additional information about the relationship.

9. Select the Employment and contact information tab.
10. If the individual is an employee of the organization, under **Employment information**, enter details about the employment, such as job title, career level, schedule, department, and responsibilities.

**Note**: All organization relationships with employment information appear on the Employment history page, accessed from the Relationships tab of the individual. For more information, see Employment History on page 194.

11. Under **Contact**, select whether the individual is a contact for the organization. If you select **Individual is a contact**, select the contact type and whether the related individual is the primary contact for the organization.

12. By default, the **Contact address**, **Contact phone**, and **Contact email address** fields display the primary information of the organization. To use a different contact information for the individual as an organization contact, click **Edit** and enter the contact information. To remove contact information, click **Remove**. If no contact information is specified or you remove existing information, click **Add** to add an address, phone number, or email address for the contact relationship.

The contact information entered here appears on the Contact tab of the individual's constituent record. If you delete the individual's constituent record, the contact information remains on the relationship.

13. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

### Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Individual Constituent)

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<td>Search for the organization to add as a relationship. If the organization is not already a constituent, you can add the organization constituent from the search screen.</td>
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<td>[Related individual] is the</td>
<td>Select the constituent’s affiliation to the organization, such as Employee.</td>
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<tr>
<td>[Organization] is the</td>
<td>Select the organization’s affiliation to the constituent, such as Employer.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date and End date</td>
<td>Enter the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the End date field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This is the primary business for Related individual</td>
<td>If the related organization is the primary business, such as the employer, for the individual, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>The organization will match contributions for this relationship</td>
<td>If the organization is a matching gift company and has matching gift conditions set up on the Organization tab of its constituent record to match gifts for the individual, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
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<td>This replaces the relationship with</td>
<td>If the organization replaces a previous relationship, select this checkbox and select the previous organization relationship. After you save, an end date is automatically added to the relationship you replaced.</td>
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<td>Recognition credits</td>
<td>Select whether to apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the individual. If you select to apply recognition credit, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.</td>
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<td>Comments</td>
<td>Enter any additional information to record about the relationship.</td>
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<td>Employment info.</td>
<td>If the individual is an employee at the organization, enter details about the employment, such as the job title, job category, and career level to use in analysis for future cultivation. You can also enter the employee schedule, department, division, and responsibilities if applicable. Constituents may have multiple current jobs, but only with different organizations. All individual relationships with employment information appear on the Employment history page, accessed from the Relationships tab of the organization.</td>
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<td>Contact</td>
<td>Select whether the individual is a contact for the organization. If you select [Individual] is a contact, select whether the individual is the primary contact for the organization. When you run a communications process that includes the organization, the primary contact receives the communication. By default, the Contact address, Contact phone, and Contact email address fields display the primary contact information of the organization. To use different contact information for the individual as an organization contact, click Edit and enter the contact information. To remove a contact address, phone number, or email address, click Remove. If no contact information is specified or you remove existing information, click Add to add contact information. The contact information entered here appears on the Contact tab of the individual’s constituent record. If you delete the individual’s constituent record, the contact information remains on the relationship.</td>
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Add Organization Relationships for an Organization Constituent

From the Relationships tab of an organization constituent record, you can add organization relationships for the constituent. When you add an organization relationship for an organization constituent, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both organizations.

> Add an organization relationship for an organization constituent

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, click Add organization. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Organization Constituent) on page 131.
4. In the **Related organization** field, search for and select the organization to add as a relationship.

5. Under **Relationship**, select the association each constituent has with the other, specify the parent organization, and select the start and end dates of the relationship.

6. Under **General**, select whether the related organization matches revenue from the organization constituent.

7. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to either organization for revenue from the other. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, select the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

8. Under **Comments**, enter any additional information about the relationship.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

**Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Organization Constituent)**

The table below explains the items on the Add relationship screen. For information about how to access this screen, see [Add Organization Relationships for an Organization Constituent on page 130](#).
Add Organization Relationships for a Constituent Group or Household

From the Relationships tab of a constituent group or household record, you can add organization relationships. When you add an organization relationship for a constituent group or household, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent group or household and the related organization.

Add an organization relationship for a constituent group or household

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, click Add organization. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household) on page 133.
4. In the **Related organization** field, search for and select the organization to add as a relationship.

5. Under **Relationship**, select the association the group or household and the organization have with each other and the start and end dates of the relationship.

6. Select whether the organization matches charitable giving from the group or household.

7. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the group or household for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the group or household. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

8. Under **Comments**, enter any additional information about the relationship.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Relationships tab.

### Add Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household)

The table below explains the items on the Add relationship screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Organization Relationships for a Constituent Group or Household on page 132.

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<td>Related organization</td>
<td>Search for the organization to add as a relationship. For information about the items on the Organization Search screen, see Constituent Search Screen on page 54. If the organization is not already a constituent, you can add the constituent from the search screen.</td>
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<td>Screen Item</td>
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<tr>
<td>[Group/household] is the</td>
<td>Select the group or household’s affiliation to the organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>[Related organization] is the</td>
<td>Select the organization’s affiliation to the group or household.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date and End date</td>
<td>Enter the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the End date field blank.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>This organization will match contributions for this relationship</td>
<td>Select whether the organization match contributions for revenue from the group or household.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recognition credits</td>
<td>Select whether to apply recognition credit to the group or household for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the group or household. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comment</td>
<td>Enter any additional information to record about the relationship.</td>
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Edit an Organization Relationship for a Constituent

After you add organization relationships for a constituent, you can change the information at any time. When you edit an organization relationship for a constituent, the changes to the relationship appear on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related organization.

> Edit an organization relationship for a constituent

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, select the organization relationship to edit.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit relationship screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a relationship screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Individual Constituent) on page 128, Add a Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for an Organization Constituent) on page 131, or Add Relationship Screen (Organization Relationship for a Constituent Group or Household) on page 133.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the Relationships tab.
Delete an Organization Relationship for a Constituent

From the Relationships tab of a constituent record, you can delete organization relationships as necessary. When you delete an organization relationship from a constituent, the program removes the relationship from the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related organization.

**Tip:** To retain a historical record of the relationship, you can edit its end date to indicate the relationship is not current rather than delete the relationship. For information about how to edit a relationship, see [Edit an Organization Relationship for a Constituent on page 134](#).

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.
3. Under Relationships, select the organization relationship to delete.
4. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the relationship.
5. Click **Yes**. You return to the Relationships tab.

Add Group or Household Relationships for a Constituent

From the Relationships tab of a constituent record, you can add constituent group or household relationships for the constituent. When you add a constituent group or household relationship for a constituent, the relationship appears on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related group or household.

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click **Relationships**.
3. Under Relationships, click **Add group/household**. The Add a relationship screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add a Relationship Screen (Constituent Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent or a Constituent Household) on page 136](#).
4. In the Related constituent field, search for and select the group or household to add as a relationship.

5. Under Relationship, select the association the constituent and the group or household have with each other and the start and end dates of the relationship.

6. Under Comments, enter any additional information about the relationship.

7. Under Recognition credits, select whether to apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue from the group or household, or to the group or household for revenue from the constituent. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

8. Click Save. You return to the Relationships tab.

Add a Relationship Screen (Constituent Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent or a Constituent Household)

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<td>Related constituent</td>
<td>Search for the group or household to add as a relationship.</td>
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<td>[Constituent] is the</td>
<td>Select the constituent’s affiliation to the related group or household.</td>
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<tr>
<td>[Constituent group]</td>
<td>Select the related group or household’s affiliation to the constituent.</td>
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<tr>
<td>is the</td>
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</table>
**Screen Item** | **Description**
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Start date and End date | Enter the dates the relationship begins and ends. If the relationship is for an undetermined length of time, leave the End date field blank.
Recognition credits | Select whether to apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue from the group or household, or to the group or household for revenue from the constituent. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.
Comments | Enter any additional information to record about the relationship.

**Edit a Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent**

After you add group or household relationships for a constituent, you can change the information at any time. When you edit a group or household relationship for a constituent, the changes to the relationship appear on the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related group or household.

> **Edit a constituent group or household relationship for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52.*
2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click **Relationships.**
3. Under **Relationships,** select the group or household relationship to edit.
4. On the action bar, click **Edit.** The Edit relationship screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a relationship screen. For information about the items on this screen, see *Add a Relationship Screen (Constituent Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent or a Constituent Household) on page 136.*
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click **Save.** You return to the Relationships tab.

**Delete a Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent**

From the Relationships tab of a constituent record, you can delete constituent group or household relationships as necessary. When you delete a group or household relationship from a constituent, the program removes the relationship from the Relationship tabs of both the constituent and the related group or household.

**Tip:** To retain a historical record of the relationship, you can edit its end date to indicate the relationship is not current rather than delete the relationship. For information about how to edit a relationship, see *Edit a Group or Household Relationship for a Constituent on page 137.*
Delete a group or household relationship for a constituent

1. Open the record of the constituent with the relationship to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Select the Relationships tab, and then click Relationships.

3. Under Relationships, select the group or household relationship to delete.

4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the relationship.

5. Click Yes. You return to the Relationships tab.

Group Member Tab

If a constituent is a member of a group or household, you can view information about the membership on the Group Member tab. From the constituent record, under the Relationships tab, click Group Member. On the Group Member tab, you can view the current and previous group and household memberships of the constituent.

To view the record of a current or previous group, click its name under Current group memberships or Previous group memberships.

Under Previous group memberships, you can manage the constituent's previous memberships with groups or households.

Extended Network

From the constituent record, to access a tree view of the constituent's relationships, click Extended network under More information. The Extended Network page for the constituent appears. The Extended Network page displays detail information from the constituent record, such as contact information, lookup ID, and active constituencies. On the Relationship Tree tab, you can view a hierarchal view of the constituent's relationships, including the relationships for each entry in the tree view. For information about this tab, see Relationship Tree on page 138.

Relationship Tree

On the Relationship Tree tab, the Relationship tree grid displays a hierarchal view of the constituent's relationships entered on the Relationships tab.
You can also view the relationships of each related constituent in the tree. To view the relationships of a related constituent, click its plus sign. For example, Arthur Blank's wife Wendy appears on the Relationships tab of Arthur's constituent record. Wendy works for Davis & Johnson Pharmaceuticals, and this relationship appears on the Relationships tab of Wendy's constituent record. When you click the plus sign next to Wendy's name, her relationships appear, including Davis & Johnson Pharmaceuticals. To make sure the tree displays the latest information, click Refresh List.

To access the constituent record of a related constituent, select it in the tree and click Go to constituent.

To view a graphic representation of the constituent's relationships, under More information, click Relationship maps. For information about relationship maps, see Relationship Maps on page 139.

Extended Relationships

On the Extended Relationships tab, the Organization column displays the names of organizations with a confirmed relationship with the constituent. Click the plus sign next to the organization name to view a list of individuals with ties to the selected organization. If the individual is a constituent in your database, the name is italicized; if the individual is a constituent in your database and has a formal relationship with the selected constituent, the name is bold and italicized.

Note: The Lookup ID columns populates only if the relationship record is linked to a constituent in your database.

Relationship Maps

To view a graphic representation of the constituent's relationships, you can create a relationship map on the constituent's Relationship Map page. To access this page from a constituent's record, click Relationship maps under More information.

To create a relationship map, click Add. An interactive spoke and wheel map appears that connects the constituent to each of related constituent.
To adjust the appearance or scope of the map, use these options.

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<td>To zoom in and out from the map, move the slider to the left or right.</td>
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<td><strong>Pin/Unpin</strong></td>
<td>To pin a constituent, which keeps the label visible regardless of the <strong>Label opacity</strong> setting, hover your cursor over the constituent and click <strong>Pin</strong>. To allow the label display to change based on the <strong>Label opacity</strong>, click <strong>Unpin</strong>.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Expand/Collapse</strong></td>
<td>To expand the map to include additional relationships, place your cursor over a constituent and click <strong>Expand</strong>. The map now includes that constituent’s relations.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Go to constituent</strong></td>
<td>To open the record of a related constituent, hover your cursor over the constituent and click <strong>Go to constituent</strong>.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Filters</strong></td>
<td>Select the criteria for relations to include in the map, such as relationship type or constituent type.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Save As</strong></td>
<td>To save the map for later use, click this button. Saved maps appear on the Relationship Maps page.</td>
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<td><strong>Print</strong></td>
<td>To print the map, click this button.</td>
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**Relationship Maps Properties**

When you save a relationship map, a properties screen appears. On this screen, you can enter a name and description for the map and select whether to allow other users to edit it. To add a relationship map, click **Add** on the Relationship Maps page, design the map, and click **Save As**. To edit a user map, select it on the Relationship Maps page and click **Edit properties**.
The table below explains the items on the properties screen.

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<td>General tab</td>
<td>Enter a unique name and description for the relationship map.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Permissions tab</td>
<td>Select whether other users can edit the relationship map.</td>
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**Revenue Information**

To view a snapshot of a constituent’s revenue information, from the constituent record, click the Revenue tab. To help you navigate through this information, the Revenue tab contains multiple second-tier tabs.

**Revenue Summary**

The Revenue Summary tab displays a cumulative summary of a constituent’s revenue. For an individual constituent associated with a household, it displays the total giving balance for the individual (left side of the tab) and for any household to which the constituent belongs (right side of tab). For a constituent household, it displays the total revenue for all household members.

You can filter the information that appears on this tab.

- You can filter the information by criteria such as date and whether to view the information based on calendar year or fiscal year. You can also select a revenue filter to determine the types of revenue transactions and applications to include in amounts.

- For individual constituents who are household members, any selections in the filters apply to both the Individual summary and Household summary grids. The revenue data appears based on the individual and the household. For example, under **Individual summary**, the total of all revenue for the individual appear; under **Household summary**, the total of all revenue for all members of the household appears.

**Note:** From the Reporting filters configuration task in Revenue, you can configure revenue filters. For example, you can create one filter to include all types of revenue transactions and applications and another to include only payments toward donations, pledges, and recurring gifts.
## Screen Item Description

**Total revenue**  
This field appears for households and individuals who are not household members. This field displays the total amount of all payments received from the constituent and the balance of any existing commitments. For example, the total includes payments toward pledge installments and the pledge balance, minus write-offs. Payments toward recurring gifts are included, but not recurring gifts themselves. The balance of any overdue, unpaid recurring gift installments is included.

Other types of revenue considered as commitments, such as event registrations and matching gift claims, work the same way. Payments toward the commitments are included, as well as any remaining balance for the commitments.

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<th><strong>Total</strong></th>
<th>This field appears for individual constituents who are household members. Under <strong>Individual summary</strong>, this field displays the total revenue received from the individual. Under <strong>Household summary</strong>, this field displays the total revenue received from the household to which the individual belongs.</th>
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<td><strong>Total revenue by members</strong></td>
<td>For a constituent household, this field displays the total amount of all payments received from members of the household and the balance of any existing commitments.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Total number</strong></td>
<td>This field displays the count of all transactions included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Total years with revenue</strong></td>
<td>This field displays the total number of years with at least one transaction per year included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Consecutive years with revenue</strong></td>
<td>This field displays the earliest year with a transaction included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field, after which each consecutive year also includes at least one transaction included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field. If there are no consecutive years with transaction included, “N/A” appears.</td>
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<td><strong>First</strong></td>
<td>This is the earliest amount based on the transactions included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field.</td>
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<td><strong>Last</strong></td>
<td>This is the latest amount based on the transactions included in the <strong>Total revenue</strong> or <strong>Total</strong> field.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Revenue by year</strong></td>
<td>If data for multiple years of giving exists, this section displays each year with revenue from the constituent appears, along with the total revenue, total revenue by household, and total number of transactions included for the year.</td>
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For more information about revenue, revenue types, revenue filters, and recognition credits, see the Revenue Guide.

## Revenue History

To view a history of all of the revenue your organization received from the constituent, select the Revenue History tab. Under **Revenue history**, you can view a history of all revenue transactions or commitments associated with the constituent, such as gifts, pledges, pledge payments, and event registration fees. For a constituent group or household, you can view information about the revenue history of both the household or group and its members.
The grid maintains the relationship between revenue transactions and commitments, such as between a gift and its matching gift claim or between a pledge and its installment payments.

- To view a specific transaction related to another transaction, such as to view the payments related to a single pledge, in the Group by field, select Transaction and click Apply. The grid displays all transactions. Click the triangle next to the parent transaction to view related transactions. For example, when you click the triangle next to a transaction that has been split between designations, the split designation information displays.

- To view commitment information, such as event registration payment commitments, in the Group by field, select Commitment and click Apply. The grid displays all commitments. Click the triangle next to the parent commitment to view related commitments. For example, when you click the triangle next to a pledge that has a payment and a write-off associated with it, the payment and write-off information displays.

**Note:** You can filter the information on the Revenue History tab by criteria such as date, revenue type, and transaction type. You can also use a revenue filter to determine the types of revenue transactions and applications to include in amounts. From the Reporting filters configuration task in Revenue, you can configure revenue filters. For example, you can create one filter to include all types of revenue transactions and applications and another to include only payments toward donations, pledges, and recurring gifts.

From the tab, you can view the record of a transaction associated with the constituent. In the grid, click the amount of the transaction to view. The selected revenue record appears.

For information about revenue, revenue types, and recognition credits, see the Revenue Guide.

**Recognition Summary**

The Recognition Summary tab displays a cumulative summary of a constituent’s recognition credits. For an individual constituent associated with a household, it displays the total recognition credits for the individual (left side of the tab) and for the household to which the constituent belongs (right side of tab). For a constituent household, it displays the total recognition credits for all household members.

You can filter the information that appears on this tab:

- You can filter the information by criteria such as date and whether to view the information based on calendar year or fiscal year. You can also select a recognition filter to determine the types of revenue transactions and applications to include in amounts.

- For individual constituents who are household members, any selections in the filters apply to both the Individual summary and Household summary grids. The revenue data appears based on the individual and the household. For example, under Individual summary, the totals of recognition credit for the individual appear; under Household summary, the total of recognition credit for all members of the household appear.

**Note:** From the Reporting filters configuration task in Revenue, you can configure revenue filters and recognition filters. For example, you can create one filter to include all types of revenue transactions and applications and another to include only payments toward donations, pledges, and recurring gifts. You can then create a recognition filter that will include recognition credit for only those transactions. The recognition filter can also include only specified recognition credit types.
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<td>Total recognition</td>
<td>This field appears for households and individual constituents not in a household. This field displays the total recognition credits the constituent has received, such as for spouse revenue.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>This field appears for individual constituents who are household members. Under Individual summary, this field displays the total recognition credit the individual receives for revenue. Under Household summary, this field displays the total recognition credit the household to which the individual belongs receives for revenue.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total number</td>
<td>This field displays the count of all transactions included in the Total recognition or Total field.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total years with recognition</td>
<td>This field displays the total number of years with at least one recognition credit per year included in the Total recognition or Total field.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Consecutive years with recognition</td>
<td>This field displays the earliest year with a recognition credit included in the Total recognition or Total field, after which each consecutive year also includes at least one recognition credit included in the Total recognition or Total field. If there are no consecutive years with recognition credit included, “N/A” appears.</td>
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<tr>
<td>First</td>
<td>This field displays the earliest amount based on the recognition credit included in the Total recognition or Total field.</td>
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<td>Last</td>
<td>This field displays the latest amount based on the recognition credit included in the Total recognition or Total field.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recognition by year</td>
<td>If data for multiple years of giving exists, this section displays each year with recognition credit for the constituent appears, along with the total recognition, total recognition by household, and total number of recognition credit transactions included for the year.</td>
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For more information about revenue, revenue types, and recognition credits, see the Revenue Guide.

Recognition History

Recognition History on page 144 With recognition credits, you can analyze a constituent’s giving for recognition purposes such as donor walls, honor rolls, or giving club classifications. Recognition credits allow you to recognize someone other than the donor for a gift, or recognize the donor or another constituent for an amount other than the gift amount or over an extended period of time. You can also use recognition credits to recognize a donor for some recognition programs but not others. To view a history of the recognition credits associated with the constituent’s gifts to your organization, select the Recognition History tab.

Under Recognition history, you can view the date, type, amounts recognized and given, and the donor associated with each recognition credit. For a constituent household, you can view information about the recognition credits of both the household and its members. To make sure the grid displays the latest information, click Refresh List on the action bar.
**Note:** You can filter the information on the Recognition History tab by things such as date. You can also use a recognition filter to determine the types of revenue transactions and applications to include in amounts. From the Reporting filters configuration task in Revenue, you can configure revenue filters and recognition filters. For example, you can create one filter to include all types of revenue transactions and applications and another to include only payments toward donations, pledges, and recurring gifts. You can then create a recognition filter that will include recognition credit for only those transactions. The recognition filter can also include only specified recognition credit types.

To view additional information about a transaction, click its amount under Recognition history. The record of the transaction appears.

### Recognition Programs

From Constituents, your organization may create recognition programs and constituent recognition processes. A constituent recognition process automatically calculates the donations received from constituents and awards them with recognition when they achieve an applicable level of a recognition program. To view the recognition programs associated with a constituent, select the Recognition Programs tab within the Revenue tab.

Under Recognition programs, the recognitions the constituent has achieved appear. For each recognition, you can view its program name; status; expiration, join, and achievement dates; and total annual giving. You can also view how long the constituent has been a member of the program and the amount to donate to achieve the next level.

To view additional information about a recognition, such as its history or any recognition credit or benefits associated with the recognition, click its name under Recognition programs. The record of the constituent recognition appears. For information about the items on this record, see Constituent Recognition Record on page 147.

From the Recognition Programs tab, you can manually add and delete recognitions as necessary. You can also decline recognition program levels. If a constituent has declined a recognition program level, the Constituent recognition process will not include the constituent for that level, even if the constituent qualifies.

### Add Recognitions for a Constituent

Typically, a constituent recognition process automatically awards a constituent with a recognition, based on the level achieved of a recognition program. You can also manually add a recognition as necessary.

**Add a recognition for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Revenue tab.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab inside the Revenue tab.
Note: You can also add a constituent recognition from the Recognition History tab of the recognition record. When you add a recognition from the recognition record, the Recognition program field is disabled. For information about the recognition record, see Constituent Recognition Record on page 147.

5. In the Recognition program and Recognition level fields, select the program and level of the recognition to award the constituent.

6. In the Status field, select whether the recognition is active or pending. For example, if you must first confirm that the constituent wants to receive recognition in the program, select Pending.

7. In the Date achieved field, select the date the constituent achieved the recognition.

8. In the Comments field, enter any additional information about the recognition.

9. If the constituent requests to receive the recognition anonymously, select Anonymous.

10. Under Declined levels, if the constituent wants to decline a level within the specified recognition program, select the recognition level to decline. You can also include a reason why the constituent declined the level.

11. Click Save. You return to the Recognition Programs tab.

Delete a Constituent Recognition

After you add a recognition to a constituent, you can delete it as necessary. When you delete a recognition, you remove it from the constituent and delete its history from your database.
Delete a recognition from a constituent

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Revenue tab.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab inside the Revenue tab.
4. Under Recognition programs, click Delete on the action bar of the recognition. A message appears to ask whether to delete the recognition and its history.
   
   Note: When a lifetime recognition exists for a constituent, a Drop button appears on the action bar. If you do not want to delete the lifetime recognition from the database, click Drop. The constituent drops from the lifetime recognition program, but the recognition history remains in the database. For information about recognition history, see Constituent Recognition Record on page 147.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Recognition Programs tab.

Constituent Recognition Record

When you add a constituent recognition, the program automatically creates a record of the recognition. From the record, you can view and manage information about the recognition.

To access a recognition record from the Revenue and Recognitions page, click the name of the recognition program on the Recognition Programs tab.

At the top of the record, information about the recognition appears, including its status; expiration, join, and achievement dates; and total annual giving. You can also view how long the constituent has been a member of the program and the amount to donate to achieve the next level.

Under Tasks, you can manage the recognition as necessary.

- When the status for the recognition is Pending, to change the status from Pending to Active, click Mark active.
- When a lifetime recognition exists for a constituent, to remove the recognition from the constituent but retain the recognition and its history in the database, click Drop recognition.
- To delete a recognition from the constituent and the database, click Delete recognition.

From the tabs on the recognition record, you can view and manage history information about the constituent recognition. You can also view and manage the recognition credits and benefits associated with the recognition. To help you navigate through this information, the recognition record contains multiple tabs.

Recognition History

To view a history of constituent recognition, such as the levels the constituent achieved with the recognition program, select the Recognition History tab. Under Recognition history, you can view the constituent’s achievements in the recognition program, including the year, level, date, and revenue associated with each annual achievement. You can also view any comments entered about the
recognition and whether the constituent requests to be recognized anonymously. To make sure the latest information appears, click **Refresh List** on the action bar.

Under **Recognition history**, you can add and edit achievements with the recognition program for the constituent. Under **Declined levels**, you can edit declined levels for the recognition program.

**Edit Constituent Recognition History**

From the Recognition History tab, you can edit the recognition awarded a constituent. When you edit a constituent recognition, you cannot edit its recognition program.

> **Edit a constituent recognition**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Recognition programs**, click **Go to recognition** on the action bar of the recognition to edit. The recognition record appears.
5. Select the Recognition History tab.
6. Under **Recognition history**, select the recognition to edit.
7. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit constituent recognition history screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a constituent recognition screen. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add Recognitions for a Constituent on page 145](#).
8. Edit the information as necessary.
9. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition History tab.

**Edit Declined Levels**

From the Recognition History tab, you can edit declined levels associated with a recognition program.

> **Edit declined levels for a recognition program**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Recognition programs**, click **Go to recognition** on the action bar of the recognition to edit. The recognition record appears.
5. Select the Recognition History tab.
6. Under **Declined levels**, click **Edit**. The Edit declined levels screen appears.
7. Select the declined levels of the recognition program.
8. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition History tab.

**Recognition Credit History**

To view a history of the recognition credits associated with the constituent’s revenue associated with the recognition program, select the Recognition Credit History tab. Under **Recognition credit history**, you can view information such as the date, type, recognition and gift amounts, donor associated with each recognition credit, and the designation.

To help find a specific recognition credit, you can filter the history information that appears in the grid. On the action bar, select the criteria of the recognition credit to view and click **Apply**. You can select to view recognition credits of a specific year or time frame. To remove the selected filters and display all interactions, click **Reset** on the action bar.

To view more information about the revenue transaction that generates a recognition credit, click its amount under **Recognition credit history**. The record of the transaction appears. For information about the items on this record, see the **Revenue Guide**.

**Benefits**

To view the benefits associated with a constituent recognition, select the Benefits tab. Under **Benefits**, you can view the recognition level associated with each benefit. You can also view the date the constituent received each benefit, the quantity received, the unit and total value of each benefit, and any comments entered about the benefit.

From the grid, you can edit information about the benefits the constituent receives in association with the recognition.

> **Edit the benefits for a constituent recognition**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition benefits to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Recognition programs**, click **Go to recognition** on the action bar of the recognition to edit. The recognition record appears.
5. Select the Benefits tab.
7. Enter or edit information about the benefits the constituent receives with the recognition.
8. Click **Save**. You return to the Benefits tab.

### Declined Recognition Levels

Constituents may decline to be included in recognition programs and levels, even before they qualify. From the Recognition Programs tab, you can specify any programs and levels that the constituent declines. The Constituent recognition process will not include constituents who have declined recognition levels. When a constituent declines a recognition level, you can specify a reason.

▶ **Add a declined recognition level for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Declined recognition levels**, click **Add**. The Add declined levels screen appears.

![Add declined levels](image)

5. Select the recognition program the constituent wants to decline.
6. Select **Decline entire program** if the constituent wants to decline all levels within the recognition program. Otherwise, select the specific levels to decline. You can also include a reason why the constituent declined the level.
7. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition Programs tab.

▶ **Edit a declined recognition level for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Declined recognition levels**, select the declined program or level and click **Edit**. The Edit declined levels screen appears.
5. Select **Decline entire program** if the constituent wants to decline all levels within the recognition program. Otherwise, select the specific levels to decline. You can also include a reason why the constituent declined the level.
6. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition Programs tab.

**Delete a declined recognition program for a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.
3. Select the Recognition Programs tab.
4. Under **Declined recognition levels**, select the declined program and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.

**Note:** When you delete a declined recognition program for a constituent, you delete the program and any levels within the program. To delete a recognition level within a declined program, edit the declined program and remove the level.
5. Click **Yes**. You return to the Recognition Programs tab.

**Matched Gifts**

Some organizations match revenue their employees or corporate partners give to nonprofit organizations. If you receive a donation from an employee of an organization that matches gifts, you may receive the matching gift from the organization. To view the matched gifts of a constituent, select the Matched Gifts tab.

Under **Matched gifts**, any matched gifts for the constituent from the employer or other affiliated business appear.

To view the record of a matched gift, select it in the grid and click **Go to transaction** on the action bar. To view the constituent record of the matching organization, select its matching gift in the grid and click **Go to organization** on the action bar.

For more information about matching gifts, see the *Revenue Guide*.

**Recognition Defaults**

With recognition defaults, you can define how the program assigns recognition credits to a constituent when your organization receives revenue from another constituent. For example, you can specify how recognition credits default to members of a household based on revenue received from another member of the household. To view the recognition credit defaults for a constituent, select the Recognition Defaults tab.
Under **Recognition defaults from Constituent**, you can view the constituents who automatically receive recognition credits for donations from the constituent. For each recognition credit recipient, you can view the percentage of the donation recognized, the recognition type, and the start and end dates of when the recipient receives the recognition. From the grid, you can also add and manage recognition credit defaults for revenue received from the constituent.

Under **Recognition defaults to Constituent**, you can view the constituents whose revenue automatically generate recognition credits for the constituent. For each source constituent, you can view the percentage of the donation recognized, the recognition type, and the start and end dates of when the constituent receives the recognition. From the grid, you can also add and manage recognition credit defaults to apply to the constituent.

**Note:** On the Recognition Defaults tab, recognition defaults generated by a household setting appear gray. You cannot edit or delete a default generated by a household setting. Recognition defaults are determined by the household record itself or from global settings for your database.

### Add Recognition Credit Defaults for Revenue from a Constituent

You can add recognition credit defaults so, when a constituent donates to your organization, other selected constituents automatically receive recognition credit for the revenue.

1. To add recognition credit defaults to other constituents based on revenue received from an individual, open the individual's constituent record. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
2. Select the Revenue tab, then the Recognition tab.
3. Under **Recognition defaults from Constituent**, click **Add**. The Add constituent recognition default screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Constituent) on page 153**.
4. In the Constituent field, search for the individual to receive recognition credit for revenue received from the constituent.

5. In the Start date and End date fields, enter the time frame for which the selected constituent receives recognition credit. If the constituent should receive recognition credit for an undetermined length of time, leave the End date field blank.

6. Select whether to automatically apply recognition credit to each constituent for revenue received from the other. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and match percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

7. Click Save. You return to the Recognition Defaults tab.

   If you select **Apply to Constituent for revenue from individual**, the new recognition default appears under **Recognition defaults to Constituent**. If you select **Apply to individual for revenue from Constituent**, the new recognition default appears under **Recognition defaults from Constituent**.

Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Constituent)

The table below explains the items on the Add constituent recognition default screen for revenue received from a constituent. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Recognition Credit Defaults for Revenue from a Constituent on page 152.
### Screen Item | Description
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**Constituent** | Search for and select the individual to receive recognition credit for revenue from the constituent.
For information about how to search for a constituent, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
**Start date** | Select the date on which the recognition credit default begins.
**End date** | Select the date on which the recognition credit default ends. If the default has an undetermined duration, leave this field blank.
**Apply to Constituent for revenue from individual** | To apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue received from the individual, select this checkbox.
If you select this checkbox, select the type of recognition credit to apply, such as Household, and enter the percentage of the donation to apply as recognition credit. To credit the constituent with the full donation amount received from the individual, leave the default 100.
**Apply to individual for revenue from Constituent** | To apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue received from the constituent, select this checkbox.
If you select this checkbox, select the type of recognition credit to apply, such as Household, and enter the percentage of the donation to apply as recognition credit. To credit the individual with the full donation amount received from the constituent, leave the default 100.

### Add Recognition Credit Defaults to a Constituent for Revenue from Other Constituents

You can add recognition credit defaults so a constituent automatically receives recognition credit when selected other constituents donate to your organization.

> **Add a recognition credit default for a constituent for donations received from other constituents**

1. To add recognition credit defaults based on revenue received from other constituents, open the constituent record. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Select the Revenue tab, then the Recognition tab.
3. Under **Recognition defaults to [Constituent]**, click **Add**. The Add constituent recognition default screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Another Constituent) on page 155](#).
4. In the **Constituent** field, search for the individual with the revenue to generate recognition credit for the constituent.

5. In the **Start date** and **End date** fields, enter the time frame for which the constituent receives recognition credit based on revenue from the individual. If the constituent should receive recognition credit for an undetermined length of time, leave the **End date** field blank.

6. Select whether to automatically apply recognition credit to each constituent for revenue received from the other. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and match percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

7. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition tab.

   If you select **Apply to Constituent for revenue from individual**, the new recognition default appears under **Recognition defaults to Constituent**. If you select **Apply to individual for revenue from Constituent**, the new recognition default appears under **Recognition defaults from Constituent**.

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**Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Another Constituent)**

The table below explains the items on the Add constituent recognition default screen for revenue received from another constituent. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Recognition Credit Defaults to a Constituent for Revenue from Other Constituents on page 154.
## Screen Item Description

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| Constituent | Search for and select the individual with the revenue to generate recognition credit for the constituent.  
For information about how to search for a constituent, see Constituent Search on page 52. |
| Start date  | Select the date on which the recognition credit default begins. |
| End date    | Select the date on which the recognition credit default ends. If the default has an undetermined duration, leave this field blank. |
| Apply to Constituent for revenue from individual | To apply recognition credit to the constituent for revenue received from the individual, select this checkbox.  
If you select this checkbox, select the type of recognition credit to apply, such as Household, and enter the percentage of the donation to apply as recognition credit. To credit the constituent with the full donation amount received from the individual, leave the default 100. |
| Apply to individual for revenue from Constituent | To apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue received from the constituent, select this checkbox.  
If you select this checkbox, select the type of recognition credit to apply, such as Household, and enter the percentage of the donation to apply as recognition credit. To credit the individual with the full donation amount received from the constituent, leave the default 100. |

### Edit a Recognition Credit Default

After you add a recognition credit default, you can edit it as necessary. When you edit a recognition credit default, you can edit only the start and end dates and the recognition credit type and match percent. You cannot edit the recipient or source constituent.

**Note:** You cannot edit a recognition credit default generated by a household setting.

#### Edit a recognition credit default

1. Open the constituent with the recognition credit default to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Revenue tab, then the Recognition tab.
3. Select the recognition credit default to edit.
   - To edit a recognition credit default based on revenue received from the constituent, select the default under Recognition defaults from Constituent.
   - To edit a recognition credit default the constituent receives based of revenue received from another constituent, select the default under Recognition defaults to Constituent.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit constituent recognition default screen appears. The items on this screen also appear on the Add constituent recognition default screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Constituent) on page 153 or Add Constituent Recognition Default Screen (for Revenue Received From Another Constituent) on page 155.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the Recognition Defaults tab.

Delete a Recognition Credit Default

After you add a recognition credit default, you can delete it as necessary.

**Tip:** To not apply a recognition credit default but still retain a history of the default, you can edit the default to enter an end date. For information about how to edit a recognition credit default, see Edit a Recognition Credit Default on page 156.

**Note:** You cannot delete a recognition credit default generated by a household setting.

> **Delete a recognition credit default**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the recognition credit default to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
3. Select the Recognition Defaults tab.
4. Select the recognition credit default to delete.
5. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the default.
6. Click Yes. You return to the Recognition Defaults tab.

Manage Guest Passes

If your system is configured in Tickets to allow guest passes, you can issue guest passes to constituents for free admission to select programs. For example, if an exhibit is unavailable when a patron visits,
you can give them a guest pass to return on a different day. If the constituent is a member, they can receive guest passes as a benefit of membership. You can also give guest passes to an organization as a sponsorship benefit. For example, when a company becomes a sponsor, you can provide free guest passes for their employees.

On the Guest Passes tab, you can view details about guest passes currently issued to the constituent, including the number issued, redeemed, and remaining, and the expiration date.

To issue a guest pass to a constituent, on the Guest Passes tab, click Add. On the Add guest pass screen, enter the quantity and expiration date.

Guest passes are redeemed in Daily Sales. Printed passes aren’t necessary—you simply need some mechanism to verify the pass owner’s identity. The pass owner is the constituent who was issued the pass directly (on their constituent record) or through their membership. For example, a patron using an employer’s guest pass can present their work ID, or a member can present their membership card or driver’s license. Note: If you need to provide printed passes, you can use query fields to export guest pass information to a merge tool outside of Altru.

Documentation and Interactions Tab

From the Documentation and Interactions tab, you can use secondary tabs to manage helpful and interesting information about your constituent records.

- From the Constituent Documentation tab, you can add notes to track helpful or interesting information about your records. You can save links to websites or related materials stored outside of the program. You can also attach items directly to records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.
- From the Documentation Summary tab, you can view and edit all note information in the database related to this constituent. When you edit existing note information from this location, the related functional area is also updated.
- From the Surveys tab, you can manage surveys and responses for the constituent. You can use this information to track the constituent’s interests and satisfaction.
- From the Interactions tab, you can manage interactions and responses for the constituent. For example, you can add and edit information about meetings, telephone calls, email messages, and mailings.

Documentation

On the Documentation tab, you can add notes to track helpful or interesting information about your records. You can save links to websites or related materials stored outside of the program. You can also attach items directly to records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.

Attachments

You can attach items to records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.
Add Attachments

You can use attachments to track additional details about records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.

➤ Add an attachment

1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click Add attachment. The Add an attachment screen appears.
3. Select an attachment type. Enter the date, title, and author. To search for the attachment, click Choose file.
4. Click Save. You return to the Documentation tab.

Add an Attachment Screen

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<td>Type</td>
<td>Select the type of attachment. The system administrator configures attachment types.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Date</td>
<td>Enter the date of the attachment.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Title</td>
<td>Enter the title, or purpose, of the attachment.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Author</td>
<td>To search for the author, click the binoculars. A search screen appears.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File</td>
<td>To locate the attachment, click Choose file. To view an attachment, click Open file. To remove an attachment, click Clear file.</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Edit Attachments

On the Documentation tab, you can edit an attachment. You can remove a file and choose a different file. You can also view an attachment.

➤ Edit an attachment

1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside an attachment and click Edit. The Edit attachment screen appears.
3. Make changes as necessary to the attachment type, date, title, or author. To view an attachment, click Open file. To remove an attachment, click Clear file. To select a different file, click Choose file.
4. Click Save. You return to the Documentation tab.
Delete Attachments
After you add an attachment to the Documentation tab, you can delete it as necessary.

> **Delete an attachment**
1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside an attachment and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.
3. Click **Yes**. You return to the Documentation tab, and the attachment no longer appears.

Media Links
On the Documentation tab, you can save links to websites or related materials stored outside of the program.

Add Media Links
When you add a media link, you enter the website address.

> **Add a media link**
1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click **Add media link**. The Add a media link screen appears.
3. Select a media link type. Enter the date, title, and author. Enter the URL for a website.
4. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.

Add a Media Link Screen

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<td>Date</td>
<td>Enter the date of the media link.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Title</td>
<td>Enter the title, or purpose, of the link.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Author</td>
<td>To search for an author, click the binoculars. A search screen appears.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Media URL</td>
<td>Enter the URL for a website.</td>
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</table>

Edit Media Links
You can edit the URL for a website.
Edit a media link
1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside a media link and click **Edit**. The Edit media link screen appears.
3. Make changes as necessary to the media link type, date, title, or author. You can edit the URL for a website.
4. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.

Delete Media Links
After you add media links to the Documentation tab, you can delete them as necessary.

Delete a media link
1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside a media link and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.
3. Click **Yes**. You return to the Documentation tab, and the media link no longer appears.

Notes
On the Documentation tab, you can add notes to track helpful or interesting information about your records.

Add Notes
On the Documentation tab, you can track notes about your records.

Add a note
1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click **Add note**. The Add a note screen appears.
3. Select a note type. Enter the date, title, author, and the content of the note.
4. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.

Add a Note Screen

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<td>Select the type of note. The system administrator configures note types.</td>
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<td>Description</td>
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<tr>
<td>Date</td>
<td>Enter the date of the note.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Title</td>
<td>Enter the title, or purpose, of the note.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Author</td>
<td>To search for an author, click the magnifying glass. A search screen appears.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Notes</td>
<td>Enter the content of the note.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Edit Notes**

On the Documentation tab, you can edit notes as necessary.

> **Edit a note**

1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside a note and click **Edit**. The Edit note screen appears.
3. Make changes as necessary to the note type, date, title, author, or note content.
4. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.

**Delete Notes**

After you add notes to the Documentation tab, you can delete notes when necessary.

> **Delete a note**

1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside a note and click **Delete**. A confirmation message appears.
3. Click **Yes**. You return to the Documentation tab, and the note no longer appears.

**Notifications**

Notifications allow you to share important information about a record or a group of records with users. You can determine whether all users should receive a notification or only a targeted group of users. For example, you notify all users to when they open the record of a board member.

Notifications are not available for every record type. They are available only for:

- Bank Account Adjustment records
- Bank Account Deposit records
- Bank Account Deposit Correction records
- Constituent records
- Event records
• Membership records
• Revenue records

Notifications appear on the information bar of a record.

Note: Notifications for constituents also appear in the Constituent Window of a revenue batch.

You can also set notifications to appear on a separate screen when users view a record. The notification screen appears the first time a user views a record during a session. If you leave the record and return within 60 minutes, the notification screen does not appear again. However, if you return after more than 60 minutes, the notification screen appears again.

You can create notifications for groups of records in Administration. You can also create notifications for a record from the Documentation tab of the record.

Add Notifications to Specific Records

On the Documentation tab, you can add a notification to a note on a record. You can select or create a note with the notification’s message and add the notification to the note.

 ► Add a notification

1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Select a note to use for the notification. The note’s title and text appear as the notification.

Note: You must add a note to the record before you can add a notification.
3. Click Add notification. The Add notification screen appears.
4. Select how long to display the notification, whether to display it in a notification window, and the users who view the notification.

5. Select how long to display the notification, whether to display it in a notification window and in Daily Sales, and the users who view the notification.

   **Note:** When you select *Display in Daily Sales*, we recommend you avoid smart queries and complex query criteria for notifications because it could cause a degradation in performance.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.

**Edit Notifications for Specific Records**

After you add a notification to a record, you can edit its properties on the Documentation tab. You can change how long to display the notification and who views it. To edit the notification’s content, you edit the note associated with the notification.

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1. Go to the Documentation tab of a record.
2. Click the double arrows beside the note with the notification and click **Edit notification**. The Edit notification screen appears.
3. Make changes as necessary to the notification, such as how long to display it and who views it.

   **Note:** To edit the notification title or content, edit the note itself.

4. Click **Save**. You return to the Documentation tab.
Delete Notifications from Specific Records

On the Documentation tab, you can delete a notification when you no longer need it.

*Note:* For a constituent record, go to the Documentation and Interactions tab. Then click Documentation.

To remove a notification from a record, click the double arrows beside the note with the notification to remove and click **Delete notification**.

Open Attachment Files

After you add an attachment on the Documentation tab, you can open the attachment. To do this, click the double arrows beside the attachment and click **Open file**.

Documentation Summary

Under the Documentation and Interactions tab, the **Documentation Summary** tab provides all note information in the database related to this constituent - Revenue notes, Planned Gift notes, Interaction notes - so you can view and manage this information from one central location.

From **Documentation Summary**, you can edit existing note information. Any note information you edit from this location appears in the related functional area. For example, if you edit a revenue note from the Revenue list on the Documentation Summary tab, this information also appears on the Documentation tab of the constituent’s revenue record.

Survey Information

Your organization may use surveys to determine the interests or satisfaction of your constituents. From a the Documentation and Interactions tab of a constituent record, to manage the surveys the constituent participates in and track the constituent’s responses, click **Surveys**. The **Surveys** tab for the constituent appears.

The Surveys tab displays detail information from the constituent record, such as contact information, lookup ID, and active constituencies. Under **Surveys**, you can view the surveys your organization has sent the constituent or the constituent has participated in. From this grid, you can also add and manage the surveys associated with the constituent.

When you add a constituent survey, the program automatically creates a record of the survey. From the Survey record, you can view and manage information about the survey such as related constituent responses and documentation.

Surveys

On the **Surveys** tab for a constituent, the **Surveys** grid displays the surveys sent to or associated with the constituent.
To access the Surveys tab, from the Documentation and Interactions tab on a constituent record, click **Surveys**.

For each survey, you can view the date your organization sent the survey, the date the constituent responded, the name and category of the survey, and the number of questions included. To make sure the grid displays the latest information, click **Refresh List** on the action bar.

To view a detail summary of the survey, select its row in the grid. Beneath the row, additional information appears, such as any comments entered about the survey. You enter this information when you manually add the survey to the constituent.

To help find a specific survey, you can filter the surveys that appear in the grid. On the action bar, select the criteria of the survey to view and click **Apply**. You can select to view surveys sent or responded to during a specific time frame, such as This year, This quarter, or Next week. If you select “<Specific date range>”, enter the time period in the **Start date** and **End date** fields. To remove the selected filters and display all surveys, click **Reset** on the action bar.

To view additional information about a survey, such as any responses received from the constituent or any documentation associated with the survey, click its name in the grid. The record of the survey appears. For information about the items on this record, see **Survey Record on page 169**.

From the grid, you can add and manage the surveys associated with the constituent.

**Add Surveys to a Constituent**

Your organization may use surveys to determine the interests or satisfaction of your constituents. When your organization receives survey responses from a constituent, you can add the survey to the constituent’s record. When you add a survey to a constituent, the program automatically generates a record of the survey. From the constituent record, you can enter and track the responses received from the constituent. From the survey record, you can add documentation about the survey.

> **Add a survey to a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the survey to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.
2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click **Surveys**. The Surveys tab appears.
3. Under **Surveys**, click **Add**. The Add survey screen appears.
4. In the **Name** field, enter a name to help identify the survey, such as its title.

5. To further identify the survey, in the **Category** field, select the type of survey the constituent completed, such as Interests or Satisfaction. Your system administrator determines the selections available in the **Category** field.

6. In the **Send date** field, enter the date your organization made the survey available to the constituent. For example, enter the date your organization mailed the survey or posted it on your website.

7. In the **Response date** field, enter the date the constituent submitted the completed survey.

8. In the **Comment** field, enter any additional information about the survey, as necessary.

9. Click **Save**. The survey record appears so you can enter the survey questions and the responses received for each. For information about the survey record, see [Survey Record on page 169](#).

### Edit a Survey Record

You can edit the information entered for a constituent's survey as necessary. For example, you can adjust the category selected for the survey or enter additional comments about the survey.

**Edit a survey record**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the survey to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click **Surveys**. The Surveys tab appears.
3. Under **Surveys**, select the survey to edit. The row expands.
4. Click Edit, click Edit survey. The Edit survey screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add survey screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Surveys to a Constituent on page 166.

**Note:** To edit the survey from the survey record, under Tasks, click Edit survey.

5. Edit the information as necessary.

6. Click Save. You return to the Surveys tab.

**Edit Survey Responses**

After you add a survey to a constituent's record, you can add and edit the survey questions and the responses your organization receives from the constituent.

➢ **Add and edit survey responses received from a constituent**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the survey responses to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click Surveys. The Surveys tab appears.

3. Under Surveys, select the survey with the responses to edit. The row expands.


**Note:** To add or edit the responses from the survey record, such as when you first add the survey to the constituency, select the Responses tab and click Edit responses on the action bar.

5. In the Survey question column, enter the questions included in the survey.

6. For each question, in the Response column, enter the answer received from the constituent.

7. Click Save. You return to the Surveys tab.

**Delete a Survey Record**

You can delete a survey from a constituent, such as if you inadvertently add a survey to the wrong constituent. When you delete a survey, you delete its record and responses from the constituent record.

➢ **Delete a survey record**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the survey to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click Surveys. The Surveys tab appears.

3. In the Surveys grid, select the survey to delete. The row expands.

4. Click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the survey record.

**Note:** From the survey record, under Tasks, you can also click Delete.

5. Click Yes. You return to the Surveys tab. In the grid, the survey no longer appears.
Survey Record

When you add a survey to a constituent record, the program automatically creates a record of the survey. From the survey record, you can view and manage information about the survey. You can also view and manage the responses and documentation associated with the survey.

For a constituent record, go to the Documentation and Interactions tab. Then click Surveys. To access a survey record, click the name of the survey under Surveys.

At the top of the survey record, profile information about the constituent appears, including primary contact information, lookup ID, inactive status, and any active constituencies. You can also view and manage the responses and documentation associated with the survey. To help you navigate through this information, the survey record contains multiple tabs.

From the grid, you can also edit or delete the survey record.

Responses

To view the questions and answers associated with the constituent’s survey, from a constituent record, select the Documentation and Interactions tab. Then click Surveys. The Surveys tab appears. From the list of surveys, click the name of the survey. The survey record appears. From the Responses tab, under Responses, the Survey question column displays the questions entered for the survey. The Response column displays the constituent response entered for each question.

To add or edit information in the grid, click Edit responses on the action bar. For information about how to edit survey questions and responses, see Edit Survey Responses on page 168.

Documentation

From a constituent record, the Documentation and Interactions tab includes a second tier of tabs for Constituent Documentation, Documentation Summary, Surveys, and Interactions. You can manage notes, notifications, media links, and file attachments for some of these tier two tabs.

You can use notes to track helpful or interesting information about your records. You can save links to websites or related materials stored outside of the program. You can also attach items directly to records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.

For information about how to manage notes and other documentation for the Constituent Documentation, Surveys, and Interactions tabs, see Documentation on page 158.

Go to Survey

For a constituent record, go to the Documentation and Interactions tab. Then click Surveys. To access the record of a survey, click the name of the survey.
Interaction Information

Interactions are specific communication activities and actions your organization takes to build a relationship and secure a donation from a constituent. Interactions can include meetings, telephone calls, email messages, and mailings. You can access a summary of the interactions your organization has with a constituent from the constituent record. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click **Interactions.** The Interactions page for the constituent appears. You can view the interactions your organization has with the constituent, as well as add and manage the interactions, constituent responses, and documentation.

Interactions

The Interactions tab for a constituent record displays the interactions your organization has with the constituent, such as meetings and mailings. To access the Interactions tab, from the Documentation and Interactions tab on constituent record, click **Interactions.**

For each interaction, you can view its date, its status, the owner of the interaction, a summary of interaction, and how the user contacted the constituent. The Interactions list by default is sorted by the earliest transaction date to the most recent.

To view a detailed summary of an interaction, select its row in the grid. Beneath the row, additional information appears, such as the participants involved in the interaction, the categories of the interaction, and any comments entered about the interaction. You enter this information when you manually add the interaction to the database.

To help find a specific interaction, you can filter the interactions that appear in the grid. On the action bar, click **Filter,** select the criteria of the interaction to view, and click **Apply.** You can select to view interactions of a specific type and during a specific time frame, such as This year, This quarter, or Next week. If you select “<Specific date range>”, enter the time period in the **Start date** and **End date** fields. To remove the selected filters and display all interactions, click **Reset** on the action bar.

To view additional information about an interaction, such as any responses received from the person or any documentation associated with the interaction, click the summary of the interaction in the grid. The record of the interaction appears.

To view the record of the user who owns or performs an interaction with the person, click the name of
the owner in the grid. The record for the interaction owner appears.
From the grid, you can add and manage interactions your organization has with the constituent.

Add Constituent Interactions

You can manually add interactions associated with a constituent, such as a telephone conversation to discuss your organization's mission in detail. When you add an interaction, you can enter a summary or its objective, its expected and actual dates, and any comments or additional information about the interaction.

If a constituent is linked to a system user and that user adds an interaction to any constituent record, the interaction owner is automatically defaulted to the user adding the interaction. The user can change the interaction owner manually if needed.

**Note:** If you have a large number of constituents to which you need to add information about pending or completed interactions you can use the Add constituent interaction global change definition available in Manage Global Changes. For information about working in Manage Global Changes, see the Global Change chapter in the Administration Guide.

▶ Add a constituent interaction

1. Open the record of the constituent with the interaction to add.
2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click Interactions. The Interactions tab for the constituent appears.
4. For a constituent group or household, the Constituent field appears. Select the member of the group or household to whom the interaction applies. If the interaction applies directly to the group, you may select the group.
5. In the Summary field, enter a short summary to help identify and describe the objective of the interaction.
6. In the Status field, select whether the interaction is pending, complete, declined, or canceled.
7. In the Owner field, search for and select the constituent to perform the interaction.

**Note:** If a constituent is linked to a system user and that user adds an interaction to any constituent record, the interaction owner is automatically defaulted to the user adding the interaction. The user can change the interaction owner manually if needed.

8. If your organization uses categories to identify the objective of the interaction, such as Cultivation or Mission-related, select the applicable categories in the Category and Subcategory fields.
9. In the Expected date field, select the date on which the owner expects to perform the interaction.
   For a completed interaction, in the Actual date field, select the date the owner performed the interaction.
10. In the Contact method field, select how the interaction owner contacts the constituent, such as Phone call, Email, or Meeting.
11. If the interaction occurs at an event, in the **Event** field, search for and select the event to associate with the interaction.

12. In the **Time zone** field, select the time zone to associate with the start and end times.

13. In the **Location** field, you can select an existing address for the constituent record to use as the location, such as “Home” or “Work,” or you can select “Other” and then enter a different location or address.

14. Under **Comment**, enter any comments or additional information about the interaction.

15. If the interaction involves additional constituents, under **Participants**, select the constituents involved. For example, if the constituent informs you his wife is also interested in the topic of the interaction, add his wife to the **Participant** grid.

**Note:** Any of the constituent’s relationships can be interaction participants. Participants can include related household members and other individuals; related organizations such as the constituent’s personal business or place of employment; and any constituent group to which the constituent belongs.

16. Click **Save**. You return to the Interactions tab.

### Add Interaction Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add interaction screen. For information about how to access this screen, see **Add Constituent Interactions on page 171**.

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<td><strong>Constituent</strong></td>
<td>For a constituent group or household, select the group or member to whom the interaction applies.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Summary</strong></td>
<td>Enter a summary to help identify the purpose or objective of the interaction.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Status</strong></td>
<td>Select whether the interaction is pending, complete, declined, or canceled.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Owner</strong></td>
<td>Click the binoculars and use the search screen to select the constituent to perform the interaction. For information about the search screen, see <a href="#">Constituent Search on page 52</a>. If a constituent is linked to a system user and that user adds an interaction to any constituent record, the interaction owner is automatically defaulted to the user adding the interaction. The user can change the interaction owner manually if needed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Category and Subcategory</strong></td>
<td>If your organization categorizes interactions, select the applicable categories for the interaction, such as Cultivation, Volunteer Opportunities, or Mission-related.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Expected date</strong></td>
<td>Enter the date the owner expects to perform the interaction.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Actual date</strong></td>
<td>If the interaction status is Completed, enter the date the owner performed the interaction.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Event</td>
<td>If the interaction occurs at an event, click the binoculars. The Event Search screen appears so you can select the event to associate with the interaction.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Expected start time</td>
<td>Enter the time you expect the interaction to begin. If you enter an <em>Expected start time</em>, you must enter an <em>Expected end time</em>.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Expected end time</td>
<td>Enter the time the interaction actually began. If you enter an <em>Actual start time</em>, you must enter an <em>Actual end time</em>.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Time zone</td>
<td>Select the time zone to associate with the start and end times. If you enter start and end time information, you must select a time zone.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Location</td>
<td>You can select an existing address for the constituent record to use as the location, such as &quot;Home&quot; or &quot;Work,&quot; or you can select “Other” and then enter a different location or address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comment</td>
<td>Enter any additional comments or information about the interaction.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Participants</td>
<td>Select any additional constituents involved in the interaction. For information about constituent relationships, see Relationships on page 114.</td>
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**Edit a Constituent Interaction**

After you add an interaction for a constituent, you can edit it as necessary.

> **Edit an interaction**

  1. Open the record of the constituent with the interaction to edit.
  2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click **Interactions**. The Interactions tab for the record appears.
  3. Under **Interactions**, select the interaction to edit. The row expands.
  4. Click **Edit interaction**. The Edit interaction screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add interaction screen.

  **Note:** To edit an interaction from its record, select the Details tab and click **Edit** on the action bar.
  5. Edit the information as necessary.
  6. Click **Save**. You return to the Interactions tab.

**Edit Constituent Responses to an Interaction**

After you interact with a constituent, you can add and manage the constituent’s responses to the interaction. For example, if you send the constituent a letter with a response card, you can add the answers received on the completed response card.
Note: Before you can edit responses to an interaction, your organization must set up the available response categories. For information about how to configure response categories, see the Marketing and Communications Guide.

Edit constituent responses to an interaction

1. Open the record of the constituent with the response to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. From the Documentation tab and Interactions tab, click Interactions. The Interactions tab for the constituent appears.
3. Select the interaction with the responses to edit. The row expands.
4. Click Edit responses. The Edit Responses screen appears.

Note: To edit the responses from an interaction record, select the Responses tab and click Edit responses on the action bar. For information about the interaction record, see Interaction Record on page 174.

5. Select the date, category, and answer applicable for each response. For example, you request a constituent select which upcoming volunteer opportunities interest her. When the constituent responds, enter the date you receive the response and select the category and response applicable to the answer received.
6. Click Save. You return to the Interactions tab.

Note: The responses entered for an interaction appear on the Responses tab of the interaction record. For information about this record, see Interaction Record on page 174.

Delete a Constituent Interaction

After you add an interaction, you can delete it from the constituent as necessary.

Delete an interaction

1. Open the record of the constituent with the response to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. From the Documentation and Interactions tab, click Interactions. The Interactions tab for the constituent appears.
3. Select the interaction to delete. The row expands.
4. Click Delete. A confirmation message appears.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Interactions tab.

Interaction Record

When you add a constituent interaction, the program automatically creates a record of the interaction. From the interaction record, you can view and manage information about the interaction.
To access an interaction record, from the constituent record, select the Documentation and Interactions tab. Then click **Interactions**. The Interactions tab appears. Select the interaction from the list. The row expands to display information additional information. From the grid on the Interactions tab, click the interaction summary.

You can view and manage detail information about the interaction. You can also view and manage the responses and documentation associated with the interaction.

**Note:** To delete an interaction from the constituent record, click **Delete** on the action bar. For information about how to delete an interaction, see [Delete a Constituent Interaction on page 174](#).

### Details

To view specific detail information entered about an interaction, from the interaction record, select the Details tab. Under **Details**, information entered about the interaction such as owner, dates, status, and categories appear. You can also view any comments or additional information entered about the interaction.

To edit the information that appears on this tab, click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit interaction screen appears. For more information about how to edit an interaction, see [Edit a Constituent Interaction on page 173](#).

### Responses

To view the responses received from the constituent interaction, select the Responses tab. Under **Responses**, you can view its category and answer associated with each response. To make sure the latest information appears, click **Refresh List** on the action bar.
To add or edit responses to the interaction, click Edit Responses on the action bar. The Edit responses screen appears. For more information about how to edit interaction responses, see Edit Constituent Responses to an Interaction on page 173.

Documentation

From a constituent record, the Documentation and Interactions tab includes a second tier of tabs for Constituent Documentation, Documentation Summary, Surveys, and Interactions. You can manage notes, notifications, media links, and file attachments for some of these tier two tabs.

You can use notes to track helpful or interesting information about your records. You can save links to websites or related materials stored outside of the program. You can also attach items directly to records. When you attach a file, the program stores a copy in the database.

For information about how to manage notes and other documentation for the Constituent Documentation, Surveys, and Interactions tabs, see Documentation on page 158.

Attributes

You can use attributes to store specialized information about a constituent interaction when no field or tab exists for that information. Attributes help track the information that best meet your organization’s needs. For example, you may use attributes to record where the constituent prefers to meet for meetings or interests of the constituent discussed during the interaction. To view the attributes associated with an interaction, from the interaction record, select the Attributes tab.

Note: The Attributes tab appears only if your system administrator configured applicable attributes. For information about how to add attribute categories, see the Administration Guide.

Under Attributes, you can view attributes assigned to the interaction. For each attribute, you can view its value, group, and valid date range. You can also view any comments entered about the attribute. From the grid, you can also manage the attributes assigned to the interaction.

Add attributes for a constituent interaction

1. On the record of the interaction to which to add an attribute, select the Attributes tab

Tip: To access an interaction record, from the Documentation and Interactions tab on a constituent record, click Interactions. The Interactions tab appears. From the list of interactions, click the summary for the interaction record. The interaction record appears.

2. Under Attributes, click Add on the action bar. The Add constituent interaction attribute screen appears.

3. In the Category field, select the type of attribute to assign to the interaction. Your organization sets up attribute categories in Administration.

4. In the Value field, enter or select the value of the attribute to assign to the interaction.

5. If the attribute applies to the interaction for a specific duration, select the start and end dates of the attribute.

6. In the Comment field, enter any additional information to record about the attribute.

7. Click Save. You return to the Attributes tab.

Edit a constituent interaction attribute
1. On the record of the interaction with the attribute to edit, select the Attributes tab.

**Tip:** To access an interaction record, from the Documentations and Interactions tab on a constituent record, click Interactions. The Interactions tab appears. From the list of interactions, click the summary for the interaction record. The interaction record appears.

2. Under Attributes, select the attribute to edit and click **Edit** on the action bar. The Edit constituent interaction attribute screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add constituent interaction attribute screen.

3. Edit the information as necessary.

4. Click **Save.** You return to the Attributes tab.

Delete a constituent interaction attribute

After you add an attribute to an interaction, you can delete it as necessary.

1. On the record of the interaction with the attribute to delete, select the Attributes tab.

**Tip:** To access an interaction record, from the Documentations and Interactions tab on a constituent record, click Interactions. The Interactions tab appears. From the list of interactions, click the summary for the interaction record. The interaction record appears.

2. Under Attributes, select the attribute to delete.

3. On the action bar, click **Delete.** A message appears to ask whether to delete the attribute.

4. Click **Yes.** You return to the Attributes tab.

**Edit an Interaction Lookup ID**

The program automatically assigns a lookup ID to each interaction you enter for a constituent. This identifier appears in the Lookup ID display on the interaction record. You can use this information when you import and export information.

▶ **Edit an interaction lookup ID**

1. Access the record of the interaction with the lookup ID to edit.

**Tip:** To access an interaction record, from the Documentations and Interactions tab on a constituent record, click Interactions. The Interactions tab appears. From the list of interactions, click the summary for the interaction record. The interaction record appears.

2. Under **Tasks,** click **Edit interaction lookup ID.** The Edit interaction lookup ID screen appears.

3. Edit the lookup ID as necessary.

4. Click **Save.** You return to the interaction record.

**Communications Information**

To view a snapshot of your organization’s communication with a constituent from the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click **Communications.** You can manage all the
communication your organization has with the constituent. The Communications tab records any process or action that generates a communication with the constituent, such as a mailing.

You can also view and manage the various communications and appeal mailings that include the constituent and how the constituent prefers to receive communication. To help you navigate through this information, the Communications tab includes tiered tabs.

**Communications**

From the Communications tab on a constituent record, you can view all mail and email communication your organization has with the constituent. From the grid, you can manually add and manage communications such as appeals. You cannot manually add email. Email communication sent to the constituent automatically appears in the grid.

Under **Communications**, your communications with the constituent appear. For each communication, you can view the date of the communication, its type and channel, and whether the constituent responded to the communication. For a constituent group or household, the **Constituent** column appears and displays the member who receives the communication.

To help find a specific communication, you can filter the grid by criteria such as type or channel. In the filter fields, select the criteria of the communications to display and click **Apply**. To remove the filter, click **Reset**. To make sure the grid displays the latest information, click **Refresh List**.

For a mail communication, the **Name** column appears when the program generated the communication as part of a process.

To view additional information about a mail communication, select its row in the grid. Beneath the row, additional details appear. If the constituent responded to the mail, the **Responses** field displays the response. When you select a mail communication that was manually added to the constituent record and contains comments, the **Comments** field displays the comments entered.

To access the status page of a communication process, click its name under **Communications**.

For an email communication, you can view information about the communication your organization sends to the constituent. The **Details** column lists the subject of the email sent to the constituent.

To view additional information about an email communication, select its row in the grid. Beneath the row, details about the communication appear, including the date it was sent; whether its delivery was unsuccessful; the email address it was sent to; whether the constituent opened the email, clicked a link in it, or made a donation to your organization in response to it; and the subject of the email.

The total in the **Donated** field only includes donations. It does not include membership or event payments.

Depending on your system role and security rights, you can view the message report online for email. To view the message report, select its row in the grid and then click the link in the **Subject** field.
**Tip:** For web forms, email is associated with the Membership Renewal or Online Confirmations communication types. When you send membership renewals via email, they are associated with the Membership Renewal type. The acknowledgements that you send after transactions are associated with the Online Confirmations type.

### Appeals

Appeals are planned efforts your organization performs to contact constituents and generate gifts, such as direct mailings, phonathons, dinners, and auctions. Typically, an appeal occurs within a specific time period and has a monetary goal. From the constituent record, select the Communications tab and then click **Appeals**. The appeal mailings your organization sends the constituent appear.

Under **Appeals**, you can view information about each appeal, such as its date, mailing, and package. You can also view whether the constituent responded to the appeal. To display the latest information in the grid, click **Refresh List** on the action bar.

To view additional information about an appeal, select its row under **Appeals**. Beneath the row, details about the appeal appear, such as its description and send date. For an appeal that was manually added to the constituent record and contains comments, the **Comments** field displays the comments entered. If the constituent responded to the appeal, the **Responses** field displays the response.

To access the status page of an appeal mailing process, click its name under **Appeals**.

From the grid, you can add and manage the appeals sent to the constituent.

### Add Appeal Mailings for a Constituent

You can manually add an appeal mailing to a constituent record, such as if you send an appeal to a constituent outside of a larger mailing. From the constituent record, select the Communications tab and then click **Communications** or **Appeals**.

When you manually add an appeal mailing, you can associate it with an existing appeal and mailing.

> **Add an appeal mailing record for a constituent**

1. On the constituent record, select the Communications tab.
2. Click **Appeals**.
3. Under **Appeals**, click **Add**. The Add constituent appeal screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add Constituent Appeal Screen on page 180](#).

**Note:** You can also add an appeal mailing from the Communications tab. On the action bar, click **Add**.

4. For a constituent group or household, select which constituent—the group or household, or one of its members—receives the appeal.
5. In the **Appeal** field, search for and select the appeal to associate with the constituent.
6. If the appeal is associated with a mailing, in the **Mailing** field, select the appeal mailing the constituent receives.

7. In the **Date sent** field, select the date you send the appeal to the constituent.

8. In the **Comments** field, enter any additional information about the appeal.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Appeals tab.

### Add Constituent Appeal Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add constituent appeal screen. For information about how to access this screen, see **Add Appeal Mailings for a Constituent on page 179**.

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<tr>
<th>Screen item</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Constituent</strong></td>
<td>For a constituent household, this field appears. Select the constituent that receives the appeal.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Appeal</strong></td>
<td>Appeals are planned efforts your organization undertakes to contact constituents and generate gifts. They usually are bound by a time period and have a monetary goal. You can set up appeals such as direct mailings, phonathons, dinners, and auctions. Search for and select the appeal to add to the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Mailing</strong></td>
<td>If the appeal is associated with an appeal mailing, select the mailing the constituent receives.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Date sent</strong></td>
<td>Select the date you send the appeal to the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Comments</strong></td>
<td>Enter any additional information to associate with the appeal.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Edit an Appeal Mailing Record for a Constituent

You can edit an appeal mailing that was manually added for a constituent.

**Edit an appeal mailing record**

1. On the constituent record, select the Communications tab.

2. Click **Appeals**.

3. Under **Appeals**, select the appeal mailing to edit.

4. Click **Edit constituent appeal**. The Edit constituent appeal screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add constituent appeal screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add Constituent Appeal Screen on page 180**.

5. Edit the information as necessary.

**Note**: You can edit only appeal mailings that were manually added to the constituent record. You cannot edit an appeal mailing generated when the program runs a process.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Appeals tab.
Edit Responses Received from a Constituent Communication

If you include a response card in a communication, you can track the responses received from the constituent. For example, if you ask whether a constituent is interested in volunteer work at your organization and the constituent returns the completed response card, you can enter the response on the Communications tab for the constituent.

**Edit the responses for a constituent communication**

1. On the constituent record, select the Communications tab.
2. Click Appeals.
3. In the grid, select the communication with the responses to enter or edit.
4. Click Edit responses. The Edit responses screen appears.
5. Enter information about each response received from the communication.
   a. In the Date column, enter the date you receive the response.
   b. In the Category column, select the category for the response such as Volunteer Interest. Your organization configures response categories in Administration.
   c. Select the constituent’s response or response code, such as Yes.
6. Click Save. You return to the Communications tab.
   
   In the grid, the Has responses column displays “Yes”. In the Details window, the Responses field displays the responses received.

Delete an Appeal Mailing Record from a Constituent

You can delete an appeal mailing record that was manually added for a constituent.

**Delete an appeal from a constituent**

1. On the constituent record, select the Communications tab.
2. Click Appeals.
3. In the grid, select the appeal to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the appeal.

**Note:** You can delete only appeal mailings that were manually added to the constituent record. You cannot delete an appeal mailing generated when the program runs a process.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Communications tab.
Preferences

From a constituent record, you can manage the communication preferences for the constituent. Communication preferences help ensure your organization communicates with constituents in ways they prefer. Select the Communications tab and then click Preferences.

On the Preferences tab, the Solicit codes and Mail preferences grids display the communication preferences set up for the constituent. From these grids, you can manage the communication preferences of the constituent.

Solicit Codes

Solicit codes allow constituents to globally opt out of solicitations and communications. For example, for constituents who do not want to receive email of any type, you can configure a “Do not email” solicit code and assign it to the Communications tab of their constituent records. When you run a marketing effort, you can exclude constituents based on solicit codes. For example, you can exclude constituents with a "Do not email" solicit code from all email blasts or constituents with a "Do not call" solicit code from all telemarketing efforts.

From a constituent record, you can manage the constituent’s solicit codes. Select the Communications tab and then click Preferences. In the Solicit codes grid, you can view the solicit codes assigned to the constituent. For each solicit code, you can view its duration and any comments entered.

Note: To define more nuanced rules for solicitations and communications, use mail preferences or constituent attributes. For example, you can set mail preferences for a constituent who wants to receive appeals by mail, but receipts by email. You can create even more precise mail preferences, for example, a constituent wants to receive invitations to sporting events, but not auctions. For custom rules that cannot be configured through mail preferences, create constituent attributes. For example, if a constituent does not want the calendar that is typically mailed with the holiday appeal, you can create an attribute for “Include no calendar.”

Assign Solicit Codes to a Constituent

From a constituent record, you can assign solicit codes to the constituent. Select the Communications tab and then click Preferences.

> Add a solicit code for a constituent

1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click Preferences.
2. Under **Solicit codes**, click **Add** on the action bar. The Assign solicit code screen appears.

3. Select the solicit code exclusion to assign to the constituent. For example, if the constituents requests to not receive email from your organization, select Do not email. When you run an email communications process and select to exclude constituents with this solicit code, the program automatically removes the constituent from the process.

4. In the **Start date** field, enter the date the solicit code begins.

5. To assign the solicit code to the constituent only temporarily, in the **End date** field, enter the date the solicit code ends. If the solicit code does not have an end date, such as to permanently assign the solicit code to the constituent, leave this field blank.

6. In the **Comments** field, enter any notes about the constituent's solicit code as necessary.

7. Click **Save**. You return to the Preferences tab.

## Edit a Solicit Code for a Constituent

From a constituent record, you can edit the solicit codes assigned to the constituent. Select the Communications tab and then click **Preferences**.

> **Edit a solicit code for a constituent**

1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click **Preferences**.

2. Under **Solicit codes**, select the solicit code to edit.

3. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit solicit code screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Assign solicit code screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Assign Solicit Codes to a Constituent on page 182**.

4. Edit the information as necessary.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the Preferences tab.

## Delete a Solicit Code from a Constituent

From a constituent record, you can delete solicit codes from the constituent, such as if it is no longer applicable. Select the Communications tab. Then click **Preferences**.

> **Delete a solicit code from a constituent**

1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click **Preferences**.

2. Under **Solicit codes**, select the solicit code to delete.

3. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the solicit code.

4. Click **Yes**. You return to the Preferences tab.
Mail Preferences

To respect a constituent’s communication preferences, you can use constituents’ mail preferences. For example, a constituent may request to receive appeal mailings at the primary home address and revenue acknowledgments at the primary email address. From a constituent record, you can manage the constituent’s communications preferences. Select the Communications tab and then select Preferences.

Under Mail preferences, you can view the mail preferences assigned to the constituent. For each preference, you can view its applicable criteria and whether to send communications that meet the criteria to the constituent. If the Send column displays Yes, the preferred channel, or delivery method, and address type appear. You can also view any comments entered about the preference.

You can filter the preferences that appear by mail type. For example, if a constituent requests to receive communications of multiple types through multiple channels, the grid may display numerous preferences. To view only preferences that apply to a specific mail type, click Filter on the action bar, select the applicable mail type, and click Apply.

From the grid, you can add and manage the communication preferences for the constituent. You can set preferences separately for each mail type. If a constituent has one preferred channel for all communications, you can also set one preference for all mail types.

Assign Mail Preferences to a Constituent

From a constituent record, you can assign communication preferences to the constituent. Select the Communications tab and then click Preferences.

Tip: While you can set preferences separately for each mail type, if a constituent has one preferred channel for all communications, you can also set one preference for all mail types. For information about how to set a preference for all mail types, see Set a Constituent Mail Preference for All Mail Types on page 186.

> Add a mail preference to a constituent

1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click Preferences.
2. Under Mail preferences, click Add on the action bar. The Add a mail preference screen appears.
3. In the Mail type field, select the type of communication to which the preference applies.
4. Select any additional criteria of the communication to which the preference applies, such as category.

Note: You cannot add multiple preferences for the same mail criteria. However, you can add multiple preferences for the same mail type.

5. Under Preference, select whether to send communications of the selected criteria to the constituent.
If you select **Send**, select the preferred channel and address type to use and whether to exclude the constituent from a communication when the preferred channel is unavailable.

- For a constituent household or group, select whether to send to the constituent or to a member of the group or household. If a member of the group or household is the contact for a mail preference, that constituent cannot be removed from the group.

- For an individual constituent or a constituent household, if you select Mail, select whether to send to a seasonal address when applicable.

- For an organization constituent, if you select Mail, select whether to send to the primary contact at the organization or the primary address of the organization itself.

6. In the **Comments** field, enter any notes about the preference as necessary.

7. Click **Save**. You return to the Preferences tab.

## Add a Mail Preference Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add a mail preference screen.

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<th>Screen Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Mail criteria</td>
<td>Select the mail type and criteria to which the preference applies.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Preference</td>
<td>Select whether to send communications of the selected criteria to the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Send to</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Send</strong>, for a constituent group or household, select whether to send communications to the constituent group or household or to a member. If a member of the group or household is the contact for a mail preference, that constituent cannot be removed from the group.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Send by</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Send</strong>, select the preferred channel to use to communicate with the constituent, such as Mail or Email.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>If you select Email, you can send only communications with an email output format to the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Send to contact(s)</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Send</strong>, for an organization, select which contacts at the organization receive communications.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Selected address</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Send</strong>, select the type of address to receive communications, such as Primary Address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Send to seasonal address when valid</td>
<td>If you select to send by Mail, for an individual or a constituent household, select whether to send communications to a seasonal address when applicable.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>If Channel is unavailable, do not include in communication</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Send</strong>, select whether to exclude the constituent from a communication when the preferred channel is unavailable.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>If you do not select this checkbox, the constituent may receive communication through another channel when the preferred channel is unavailable.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comments</td>
<td>Enter any additional information about the communication preference.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Edit Mail Preferences for a Constituent
From a constituent record, you can edit the constituent’s communication preferences. Select the Communications tab and then click Preferences.

➢ Edit a mail preference for a constituent
1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click Preferences.
2. Under Mail preferences, select the preference to edit.
3. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit mail preference screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a mail preference screen.
4. Edit the information as necessary.
5. Click Save. You return to the Preferences tab.

Delete Mail Preferences from a Constituent
From a constituent's record, you can delete a mail preference from the constituent, such as if it no longer applies. Select the Communications tab and then select Preferences.

➢ Delete a mail preference from a constituent
1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click Preferences.
2. Under Mail preferences, select the preference to delete.
3. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the preference.
4. Click Yes. You return to the Preferences tab.

Set a Constituent Mail Preference for All Mail Types
Rather than set mail preferences separately for each mail type, you can set mail preferences for all mail types for a constituent. When you set a mail preference for all mail types, the program replaces all existing mail preferences with this preference.

➢ Set a mail preference for all mail types of a constituent
1. On the constituent’s record, select the Communications tab. Then click Preferences.
2. Under Mail preferences, click Set all mail types on the action bar. The Set all mail preferences screen appears.
3. Select whether to send communications to the constituent.

   If you select **Send**, select the preferred channel and address type to use and whether to exclude the constituent from a communication when the preferred channel is unavailable.

   - For a constituent household or group, select whether to send to the constituent or to a member of the group or household. If a member of the group or household is the contact for a mail preference, that constituent cannot be removed from the group.

   - For an individual constituent or a constituent household, if you select Mail, select whether to send to a seasonal address when applicable.

   - For an organization constituent, if you select Mail, select whether to send to the primary contact at the organization or the primary address of the organization itself.

4. In the **Comments** field, enter any notes about the mail preference as necessary.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the Preferences tab.

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**Accounts**

To view bank or financial institution account information about a constituent, from the Revenue tab select the Accounts tab.

Under **Financial accounts**, you can view the accounts associated with the constituent. For each account, you can view its financial institution, routing and account numbers, account type, and electronic funds transfer (EFT) status.
To ease monetary transactions between your organization and the constituent, you can add and manage these accounts from the grid. For example, a constituent may have an account with a particular bank and ask you to automatically withdraw funds each month to apply toward a recurring gift.

**Note:** You set up your organization’s bank accounts from the Manage Bank Accounts page in Treasury. After you set up a bank account, you can select a specific bank account to process your organization’s financial transactions, such as transactions included in a direct debit transmission file. For information about how to manage bank accounts, see the Treasury Guide.

If a constituent has a bank account with “Europe (SEPA)” as the banking system,

**Add Financial Accounts for a Constituent**

You can add the financial accounts a constituent uses to support your organization, such as to use direct debit to withdraw payments for a recurring gift.

**Add a financial account**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the financial account to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. From the Revenue tab, select the Accounts tab.
3. Under Financial accounts, click Add on the action bar. The Add financial account screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Financial Account Screen on page 188.
4. Enter a unique name to help identify the account, such as in acknowledgement letters.
5. In the Financial institution field, click the search button. The Financial Institution Search screen appears so you can find and select the financial institution to associate with the constituent.
   
   If the search results do not return the applicable institution, you can add it from the search screen. For information about how to add a financial institution, see Add Constituent Financial Institutions on page 24.
6. In the Account number field, enter the identification number for the account.
7. In the Account type field, select the type of account, such as Savings.
8. In the EFT status field, select the electronic funds transfer (EFT) status of the account. For example, for an account outside of the United States, select Inactive. For an account in the United States, to include the financial account in the next prenotification process, select Prenotify.
9. Click Save. You return to the Accounts tab.

**Add Financial Account Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Add financial account screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add Financial Accounts for a Constituent on page 188.
**Screen Item** | **Description**
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Name on account | Enter a unique name to identify the constituent’s account, such as in acknowledgements.
Financial institution | Click the search button and use the Financial Institution Search screen to select the branch of the financial institution associated with the constituent.
| Before you can select a financial institution, it must exist in your database. We recommend you add financial institutions with the Financial Institutions configuration task. If the search results do not return the institution or branch you want, you can also add the institution from the Financial Institution Search screen. For information about how to add an institution, see Add Constituent Financial Institutions on page 24.
Branch | This field displays the branch name entered for the selected financial institution.
Routing number | This field displays the routing number entered for the selected financial institution. In most cases, the financial institution provides the routing number to use.
Account number | Enter the constituent’s account number, formatted as you want it to appear throughout the program.
Account type | Select the type of account the constituent has with the financial institution, such as Savings.
EFT status | For an account in the United States, select the electronic funds transfer (EFT) status of the account. EFT is a general banking system by which your organization automatically withdraws revenue from the constituent’s bank account, such as for recurring gift payments. When you first add a financial account, select Prenotify to include the account when your organization next runs a prenotification process.
| For an account outside of the United States, select Inactive.

**Edit a Financial Account for a Constituent**

After you add a financial account for a constituent, you can edit its information as necessary.

➢ **Edit a financial account**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the financial account to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. From the Revenue tab, select the Accounts tab.
3. Under Financial accounts, select the account to edit.
4. On the action bar, click Edit. The Edit financial account screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add financial account screen. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Financial Account Screen on page 188.
5. Edit the information as necessary.
6. Click Save. You return to the Accounts tab.
Delete a Financial Account for a Constituent

After you add a financial account for a constituent, you can delete it as necessary.

1. Open the record of the constituent with the financial account to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. From the Revenue tab, select the Accounts tab.
3. Under Financial accounts, select the account to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to delete the account.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Accounts tab.

Constituent Attributes

You can use attributes to store specialized information about constituents when no field or tab exists for that information. Attributes help track constituent information that best meets your organization's needs. For example, you can use attributes to record hobbies, dietary preferences, special requests, or advocacy activities. To view a constituent's attributes, select the Attributes tab.

Under Attributes, you can view attributes assigned to the constituent. For each attribute, you can view its value, group, valid date range, and any comments about the constituent attribute. You can also manage the constituent's attributes.

Note: Your organization sets up constituent attributes in Administration. For information about how to create and manage attribute categories, see the Administration Guide.

Add Attributes to a Constituent

From the Attributes tab of a constituent record, you can assign attributes to record special information about the constituent. You can add an unlimited number of attributes to the constituent. If necessary, you can assign the same attribute multiple times to the constituent to build a comprehensive constituent record.

1. Open the record of the constituent with the attribute to add. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Select the Attributes tab.
3. Under Attributes, click Add on the action bar. The Add constituent attribute screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add Constituent Attribute Screen on page 191.
4. In the **Category** field, select the type of attribute to assign to the constituent. Your organization sets up constituent attribute categories in *Administration*.

5. Enter or select the value of the attribute category to assign to the constituent.

6. If the attribute applies to the constituent for a finite duration, select the start and end dates of the constituent attribute.

7. In the **Comments** field, enter any additional information to record about the constituent attribute.

8. Click **Save**. You return to the Attributes tab.

### Add Constituent Attribute Screen

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| **Category** | Select the type of attribute to assign to the constituent, such as Office hours, Dietary preference, or Responsibilities.  
When you edit a constituent attribute, you cannot edit this field.  
Your organization defines attribute categories in *Administration*. For information about how to manage attribute categories, see the *Administration Guide*. |
| **Value** | Enter or select a value for the attribute category. For example, for a category of Dietary preference, enter "Vegetarian" or "Lactose intolerant".  
Your organization defines attribute categories and their values in *Administration*. Depending on the configuration, this field may provide a drop-down menu; accept free-form text, a number, or date; and so on. For information about how to manage attribute categories and values, see the *Administration Guide*. |
| **Start date** and **End date** | If the attribute or attribute value applies to the constituent for a finite duration, enter the start and end dates of the duration. |
| **Comment** | Enter any additional information to record about the value. |

### Edit a Constituent Attribute

After you add an attribute to a constituent, you can edit it as necessary. When you edit a constituent attribute, you cannot edit the attribute category.

**Edit a constituent attribute**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the attribute to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.
2. Select the Attributes tab.
3. Under **Attributes**, select the attribute to edit.
4. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit constituent attribute screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add constituent attribute screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add Constituent Attribute Screen on page 191**.

5. Edit the information as necessary.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Attributes tab.

**Delete a Constituent Attribute**

After you add an attribute to a constituent, you can delete it as necessary.

▶ **Delete a constituent attribute**

1. Open the record of the constituent with the attribute to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see **Constituent Search on page 52**.

2. Select the Attributes tab.

3. Under **Attributes**, select the attribute to delete.

4. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the attribute.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the Attributes tab.

**Smart Fields**

Smart fields help provide application users quick access to specific information that otherwise would require time and the configuration of queries and reports to view. For example, your system administrator may create a smart field to display the total giving of a constituent. To display information about a constituent generated from a smart field created in **Administration**, select the Smart Fields tab.

Under **Smart Fields**, you can view the names of the smart fields and the value and value group of each. To ensure the information in the grid is current, click **Refresh List** on the action bar.

For information about how to create and manage smart fields, see the **Administration Guide**.

**Tributes**

A constituent tribute is a form of recognition. With tributes, you can indicate that your organization should recognize a donation in relation, or tribute, of someone other than the donor. Examples of tributes include “In memory of”, “In honor of”, or “On behalf of”. To view all tributes made by the constituent and all tributes for which the constituent is the acknowledgee, from the Revenue tab select the Tributes tab.

Under **Tributes**, you can view the text, type, and date of each tribute associated with the constituent. You can also view whether each tribute is active and whether the constituent is the tributee or the acknowledgee. To ensure the information in the grid is current, click **Refresh** on the action bar.

To view detailed information about the tribute, such as its acknowledgees and revenue received, click...
its name under Tributes. The record of the tribute appears. For information about the items on this record, see Tribute Record on page 268.

From the grid, you can add and edit tributes associated with the constituent. For information about how to manage tributes, see Tribute Information on page 264.

**Constituent History**

From the constituent record, you can view an audit of the changes made to the record. From a constituent, click the History tab.

Under History, you can view the changes and revisions made to the constituent record. For each change, you can view the date and time of the change, the action performed, the field affected, the field values before and after the action, and the user or process that performed the change. In the Application column, you can also view the application from which the change was made. For changes made through regular use of the program, “Blackbaud App Server” appears. To make sure the grid displays the latest information, click Refresh List on the action bar.

To help find a specific change, you can filter the history information that appears. On the action bar, select the criteria of the information to view, and click Apply. You can select to view historical information by a specific user and of a specific action. In the Show field, you can select to view changes made during a specific time frame, such as Last 30 days, Last 6 months, or Last year. If you select “Specific date range”, enter the time period in the Start date and End date fields. To remove the selected filters and display all history information, click Reset on the action bar.

You can also go to the Origin tab to see information about where this constituent record came from—whether it was through a direct marketing acquisition list or from a volunteer fair, for example. For more information, see Constituent Origin on page 193.

**Constituent Origin**

Constituent origin information tracks the source for the constituent record. If a constituent comes to your organization to be a volunteer, you might assign the constituent a source of Volunteer. If a constituent is added at the same time revenue is added (a new constituent gives a donation, for example) or if a constituent has no source information and revenue is added (an existing constituent with no revenue history gives a donation, for example), a default constituent source code may be assigned which is tied to the revenue.

To view or edit constituent origin information from a constituent, click History under More information. On the Origin tab, click Edit. You can edit or select a constituent source. The date the record was added is not editable.

Origination information is also available in Query so you can analyze your data and measure how effective your constituent sources are.
Online Information

When a constituent registers through a web form, an **Online Info** tab appears on the constituent record. To view the constituent's online activity, click the tab.

The **Online Info Summary** subtab includes the constituent's user name on your website, the date the constituent registered on your website, and the date and time the constituent last logged in to the website. Click **Edit** to update the email address used as the constituent's user name.

**Note:** Changing a patron's username does not automatically update the email address on their constituent record. When you update the username, you should also update the email address on the Contact tab. This is important because if there is a mismatch, when a patron clicks the Forgot Password link, the reminder email is sent to the email address on the Contact tab, not the username email.

In addition, the **Web Traffic** tab tracks more online activity for the constituent on your website.

Under **Top five pages visited**, you can view the web pages that a constituent visits most often while logged in. In the **View** field, you select whether to view pages for this week, last week, this month, last month, this year, last year, or the entire time the constituent has been registered on your site. The grid displays the number of visits to each page. To open a page in a web browser, click its name in the grid.

Under **Last pages visited**, you can view the most recent pages the constituent visited while logged in. In the **View** field, you select whether to display five, 10, or 25 pages. The grid displays the date of the most recent visit for each page. To open a page in a web browser, click its name in the grid.

Under **Visit summary**, a bar graph displays how frequently the constituent logs in to your website during a selected interval. In the **View visits per** field, you select the time interval to view.

Employment History

You can track employment history for constituents which includes job title, job category, and career level information. For organization constituents, it offers a view of all employees, past and present. For individual constituents, it offers a work history. You can use the employment history information as an added dimension in cultivation and solicitation. For example, you might hold a special networking event for individuals with jobs in similar categories.

Items are added to the employment automatically when an individual and organization constituent have a relationship which includes any employment information (job title, job category, or career level). When you create an organization relationship for an individual, for example, if you include a job title, the item is automatically added to the employment history. You can also manually add items to the employment history. For organization constituents, you can add new job information for individuals who already have a relationship with the organization. For individual constituents, you can add current or previous jobs with organizations the individual already has a relationship with.

**Note:** The easiest way to add employment history items for individuals and organization with no established relationship is to add those relationships on the Relationships tab and include the employment information. For past jobs and employees, you can use the start and end dates on the relationship. Those relationships will automatically appear in the employment history. For more information, see Add Individual Relationships for an Organization Constituent on page 119 and Add Organization Relationships for an Individual Constituent on page 126.
When you view the employment history, you can exclude inactive items. Employment information with an end date prior to the current date is considered inactive.

Add Employment History

You can add employment information from the Relationships tab of an individual or an organization. For organization constituents, you can add new job information for individuals who already have a relationship with the organization. For individual constituents, you can add current or previous jobs with organizations the individual already has a relationship with.

**Note:** For individuals and organization with no established relationship, you can add the relationship on the Relationships tab and include the employment information. Those relationships will automatically appear in the employment history. For more information, see Add Individual Relationships for an Organization Constituent on page 119 and Add Organization Relationships for an Individual Constituent on page 126.

➢ **Add employment information to an individual (with an existing organization relationship)**

1. From Constituents, open an individual record. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. On the Relationships tab, make sure a relationship with the organization already exists.

4. In the Relationship field, select the organization relationship.
**Tip:** If no organization relationships exists, or the one you want is not available, add the organization relationship from the Relationships tab and include the employment information.

5. Enter information about the employment, such as job title or category, career level, schedule, department, division, responsibilities, and start and end dates.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Employment history page.

**Add employment information to an organization (with an existing individual relationship)**

1. From *Constituents*, open an organization record. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.

2. On the Relationships tab, ensure a relationship with the individual already exists.


4. In the *Relationship* field, select the individual relationship.

   **Tip:** If no individual relationships exists, or the one you want is not available, you can add the individual relationship from the Relationships tab and include the employment information.

5. Enter information about the employment, such as job title or category, career level, schedule, department, division, responsibilities, and start and end dates.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Employment history page.
Edit Employment History

You can edit employment information from the Relationships tab of an individual or an organization. If an employee was promoted or changed jobs at the organization, you should edit the employment information to add an end date to old job or title and add a new employment history item for the new job or title, which gives you a more complete view of the constituent’s employment history over time.

1. From Constituents, open a constituent record. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. On the Relationships tab of an organization or individual constituent, under Employment history, select an employment information item and click Edit. The Edit employment information screen appears.

3. Edit the job title or category, career level, schedule, department, division, responsibilities, and start and end dates. To hide the employment relationship on your Blackbaud Internet Solutions website, select Is private.

4. Click Save. You return to the Employment history page.

Delete Employment History

If necessary, you can delete the relationship from the Relationships tab of the constituent. However, if an employee was promoted or changed jobs, rather than deleting the old item, you should edit the employment information to add an end date to old job or title, which makes that item inactive. You can then add a new employment history item for the new job or title. This gives you a more complete view of the constituent’s employment history over time.

To delete an item from the employment history, on the Relationship tab select the item from the Employment history list and click Delete. When you delete an item from the employment history, the relationship with that organization or individual is not also removed from the Relationships tab.

Constituent Data Review

On the Constituent Data Review page, you can view an audit of the changes made to the contact information of constituents in your database. To access the Constituent Data Review page, from Constituents, click Constituent data review.
Note: On the Constituencies tab of a constituent record, you can assign fundraisers to maintain your organization’s relationship with the constituent. For information about how to assign a relationship manager to a constituent, see Add Constituent Relationship Managers on page 105.

If your organization assigns relationship managers to constituents, the Recent changes grid displays the changes made to the constituents to which you are assigned as the relationship manager. To also view the changes made to constituents not assigned to relationship managers, select Include unassigned on the action bar and click Apply. In the grid, you can view the name of the constituent associated with the change, the type of contact information changed, the user who made the change, and the date of the change. You can also view whether the change was the addition of new contact information or the edit of existing information. To make sure the grid displays the latest information, click Refresh List on the action bar.

To help find a specific change, you can filter the information that appears. On the action bar, select the criteria of the changes to view, and click Apply. You can select to changes of a specific type of contact information, the user who made the change, or the date range of the change. To remove the selected filters and display all change information, click Reset on the action bar.

To view additional information about a change, select its row under Recent changes. Beneath the row, contact information for the constituent, before and after the change, appear. To view additional information about the constituent associated with a change, such as to correct an edit, click the constituent’s name under Recent changes. The constituent record appears.

View Constituent Record History

To view the selected record’s entire change history from the Constituent Data Review page, select the change under Recent changes and click View record history. The view changes from Recent changes to Record history. To return to Recent changes, click Return to recent changes. What appears in the Recent changes view is determined by the Date filter.
Rollback a Constituent Data Change

From the Constituent Data Review page, you can undo any change listed under Recent changes or Record history.

Rollback a selected constituent data change

1. From the Constituent Data Review page, under Recent changes or Record history, select the change entry to roll back to its original state.

   The action bar displays a rollback action based on the selected change. For example, for a change to a constituent address, Revert address to previous values appears; for the addition of a new email address, Delete email address appears.

2. Click the rollback action. The appropriate screen appears.

3. In the Reason field, select the reason code that explains the rollback.

   Note: To configure reason codes for constituent rollbacks from Constituents, click Reason codes under Configuration.

4. Click Save. You return to the Constituent Data Review page.

   Warning: When you edit a rollback, you do not roll back only that particular change; you roll back to a specific point in time. This means you also undo any other changes made to the record between the time of the original change and the rollback.

   Note: To restore a rolled back change, select the change in the grid and select the appropriate button. For example, if you mistakenly delete a new email address, to restore the change, select the deleted email change in the grid and click Re-add deleted email address; to restore a mistakenly rolled back address change, select the rolled back address in the grid and click Revert address to previous values.

Delete Address/Phone number/Email Address Screen

In the Reason field, enter a reason code to explain the reversion.

Note: To configure reason codes for constituent rollbacks from Constituents, click Reason codes under Configuration.

Duplicate Constituents

When you add a new individual or organization constituent, the program automatically compares it to existing records to verify that it does not already exist in the database. If the program finds other constituents with similar name and address information, the Possible duplicate matches screen appears and displays all possible matching records. From this screen you can decide whether to create a new constituent or to update an existing record with new information.
Resolve duplicate constituents from the Add an Individual or Add an Organization screen

1. From the Add an Individual or Add an Organization screen, enter information for a new constituent. When you click **Save**, the program automatically runs a duplicate check to find any existing constituents that may match this new constituent. If it finds a match, the program flags automatically displays the Possible duplicate matches screen so you can decide whether to create a new constituent or to update the existing constituent with new information.

The **Incoming constituent data** column displays information from the new record.

The **Potential Matches** column on the right lists all existing constituents in the database that are possible matches, ranked from the highest to lowest match confidence score. The percentage represents the degree of similarity between the first names, last/organization names, middle names, suffixes, titles, addresses, and zip codes. For more information about the match confidence score, see the *Administration Guide*.

When you select a constituent in the **Potential matches** column, its information appears in the middle column so you can compare the incoming and existing records side-by-side. Black fields are exact matches. Red fields are similar but need careful review. After you compare the records, you can do one of the following:

- If you decide the incoming constituent is not a duplicate, click **Add this as a new record**. The screen displays the name and contact information for the new record. Click **Save** to create a new record, or if you change your mind, you can click **Don't add this as a new record** to return to the previous screen.
• If you decide the incoming constituent does match an existing constituent, click **Confirm this record as a match.** Additional options appear. You can evaluate each red field and decide what to do with the incoming data: If you select to add or update a field, it appears green in the existing constituent column. If you select to ignore a field, it appears stricken through in the incoming constituent column.

  a. To discard all new or conflicting data from the incoming constituent, click **Ignore all.**

  b. To automatically apply the constituent update rules click **Use my organization's rules.** For example, when you click **Use my organization's rules,** the program automatically adds the incoming phone number to the existing record. As a reference, the list of update rules appears in the **Tips** column. For information about constituent update rules, see the **Administration Guide.**

  c. To add the name as an alias to the existing constituent, click **Add as alias.** To add the address, email, or phone number as primary or secondary on the existing constituent (rather than replace the existing value), click **Add** and select **Add as primary** or **Add as secondary.** If the incoming constituent has information that is blank on the existing constituent, you can click **Add** to add that data to the existing record.

  **Note:** If the existing constituent has multiple addresses, phone numbers, or emails, use the drop-down to select which one to display.

  **Note:** Click **more** to view the history of changes for each field on the address, phone number, or email.

  d. To discard the incoming value (neither add a new value nor update the existing value), click **Ignore.**

  e. To replace the existing name, address, email, or phone number with the incoming value, click **Update existing** and select whether to update all fields or to select individual fields to update. If you select **Update all name/address/email/phone number fields,** the program moves all fields of that type to the existing constituent. If you select **Select fields to update,** the **Ignore** and **Update current** options appear so you can handle each field individually.
2. Click **Save** to save your changes to the existing record, or if you change your mind, you can click **View other potential matches** to return to the previous screen.

**Prospect Management**

For information about prospects and prospect management, see the *Prospects Guide*.

**Fundraiser Management**

For information about fundraisers and prospect management, see the *Prospects Guide*. 

Individual Constituents

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Individual constituent records maintain information about the people in your database, such as the donors and solicitors associated with your organization. When you add an individual constituent, you can also track relationships the constituents have with other people and organizations in your database.

Add Individual Constituents

When you add an individual constituent record, you enter personal and primary contact and business information for the individual.

You can also add a spouse or partner relationship for the individual and create a household for the couple.

Tip: For information about bulk updates through a batch, see Add or Update Multiple Constituents through Batch Entry on page 208.
Add an individual constituent

To avoid duplicate constituents, we recommend you first search your database for the constituent before you add a new individual.

1. From Constituents, click **Add an individual**. The Add an individual screen appears.

![Add an individual screen](image)

2. Select the Individual tab.

3. Under **Personal**, enter the name of the constituent as it should appear throughout the database, including any title or suffix.

4. In the **Marital status** field, select whether the individual is married, single, or divorced.

5. In the **Birth date** field, enter the individual’s date of birth. If you are unsure of the exact birth date, enter a “fuzzy” date such as 10/1941. If the date contains a year, the constituent’s age is calculated and displayed.

6. In the **Gender** field, select whether the individual is a male or female. If you are unsure of the constituent’s gender, select “Unknown”.

7. Under **Primary contact**, select the type of address to use as the primary address for the individual, such as Home or Business, and enter the address information.

   If the constituent requests that you not send mail to the address, select **Do not send mail to this address**. In the **Reason** field, select why the constituent does not want to receive mail at the address.

8. With **Data Tune-Up**, you can use an address validation service to verify the address entered exists. When you use the address validation service, the program updates missing or incomplete information such as the Zip code, standardizes the street address, and updates the Coding Accuracy Support System (CASS) certified information.
To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select **Omit from validation**.

To run the address validation process for the address now, click **Validate**. The program updates the address fields accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click **Yes**.

9. In the **Phone type** field, select the type of phone number to use as the primary number for the individual, such as Home or Cell Phone. In the **Phone number** field, enter the phone number to use to contact the constituent.

10. In the **Email type** field, select the type of email address to use as the primary email address for the individual. In the **Email address** field, enter the email address to use to contact the constituent.

11. Under **Primary contact source**, select the information source for the contact information, such as “Family member.” Sources are used to help you track additional information about the reasons contact information is added or changed. The information source appears next to the new or updated contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent.

**Note:** If the program automatically creates a record, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates a record with data from a payment form that you create in **Web**, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.

12. To add information about a household member for the individual, select the Household tab.

**Tip:** Households group multiple constituents who live together at the same address. On the Household tab, you can enter information about the individual’s spouse, partner, or other household member. When you add a new individual, you can add only one household member. On the constituent record, you can add additional household members on the Household tab.
Note: If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click Add in the Related individual field to add the constituent.

a. In the Related individual field, search for the individual to add as a spouse or household member. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can click Add on the Constituent Search screen.

b. When you save the new individual constituent, the program automatically generates or updates a record of the constituent household with the individual. To copy the primary contact information of the individual constituent to the record of the household member, select Copy individual’s primary contact information to the household.

c. Under Relationship, select the relationships the individual constituent and the household member have with each other, such as Husband and Wife.

d. In the Start date field, enter the date the relationship started, or enter the date you enter the relationship to your database.

e. If the household member is the spouse or partner of the individual constituent, select This is the spouse relationship.

f. To copy the primary contact information of the individual constituent to the spouse or household member’s record, select Copy individual’s primary contact information to spouse.

13. To add information about a relationship the individual has with an organization, select the Business tab.

Tip: If you know the organization is not already a constituent, click Add in the Related organization field to add the constituent.
a. In the **Related organization** field, search for the organization to add as a business for the individual. If the organization is not already a constituent in the database, you can click **Add** on the Constituent Search screen.

b. Under **Primary business relationship**, select the relationships the individual constituent and the organization have with each other, such as Employee and Employer.

c. In the **Start date** field, enter the date the relationship started, or enter the date you enter the relationship to your database.

d. In the **End date** field, enter the date the relationship ends, such if the individual resigns from the organization. If the relationship is for an undetermined duration, leave this field blank.

e. If the individual constituent is a contact for the organization, select **Individual is a contact** and select the contact type. If the individual is the primary contact for the organization, select **Primary contact**.

f. If the organization matches the donations of the individual constituent, select **This organization will match individual's contributions**.

g. Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the individual. If you select to apply recognition credit to a constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

h. If the organization is the employer of the individual, you can enter employment related information, such as the job title, category, or career level of the employee.

14. Click **Save**.

*Note:* When you click **Save**, the program automatically uses the name and address entered for the constituent to verify the constituent does not already exist in the database. If the program finds another individual constituent with the same last name and address information, the duplicate search screen appears.

The record of the new individual constituent appears.

**Add an Individual from a Constituent**

Most of the time when you add a constituent, you want to capture as much information about the constituent as you can. However, when you add an individual relationship to an individual constituent, you may not have as much information. For example, if you know one of your board members plays golf with “Bob Smith” every weekend, you may want to capture that relationship on your board member’s constituent record. When you add relationships such as spouses or children, you only need the basic name information as the contact information will be copied from the primary constituent. With the **Add** button on the Add relationship form and the Add household members form, you can quickly add a new constituent.

> **Add an individual from a constituent**

1. From the Relationships tab of a constituent record, click **Add, Individual** or from the Members tab of a household, click **Add**.
2. On the Add relationship or Add household members form, instead of searching for a constituent, click the **Add** button in the **Related constituent** field.

**Note:** If you are unsure whether the individual is already a constituent, you should first search for the constituent.

3. On the Add individual form, enter the basic biographical information for the constituent. Only last name is required.

4. Click **Save**. You return to the Add relationship or Add household members form where you can continue to enter information about the relationship.

### Add or Update Multiple Constituents through Batch Entry

With **Batch entry**, you can add or update multiple records quickly, without the need to open each separate record. There are two ways to use **Batch entry** to enter data:

- With **Import** and **Batch entry**, you can quickly add information into your database. With **Import**, you can create a process to import information from as a comma-separated value (*.csv) file saved from another program such as Microsoft Excel. You base the import process on a batch template, which contains the fields necessary to add or update the information. With the import process, you can generate a batch that contains the new or updated information. From **Batch entry**, you can then validate and commit the batch file to add or update your records.

For example, you have a list of names and addresses of new constituents that you need to import into the database. After you save this information in a *.csv file, you can import the file into a batch template that contains the fields necessary for the constituent information.

- If you do not have an import file but want to add or update multiple records quickly, you can create a batch of the new or updated information. With a batch, the program lists the fields included in the selected batch template in a spreadsheet so you can efficiently enter information in the database.

**Note:** For information about **Batch entry** or **Import**, see the **Batch and Import Guide**.

To add or update constituent information, the following batch types are available:

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<td>Constituent batch</td>
<td>Adds constituent records based on information included in the import file or batch.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Constituent update batch</td>
<td>Updates and adds constituent records based on information included in the import file or batch.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**From Import**, the import process can compare a record ID included in the import file to primary and alternate lookup IDs. During the import process, if the program finds a match in the database, it updates the information in the matched record; if the program fails to find a match, it creates a new record; if the program encounters a possible duplicate record during the process, such as if the record ID in the import file matches the primary lookup ID on one record and the alternate lookup ID on another record, it generates an exception. After the import process completes, you can validate the batch to determine how to handle any potential exceptions before you commit the information.
Add an Individual Screen

The Add an individual screen contains three tabs on which you can enter data.

Individual Tab

The table below explains the items on the Individual tab of the Add an individual screen.

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<td><strong>Last name, First name, Middle name</strong></td>
<td>Enter the name of the individual exactly as it should appear throughout your database such as on pages and reports.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Title and Title 2</strong></td>
<td>Select a title for the individual such as Mr., Mrs., or Ms. You can select a second title if necessary such as &quot;Reverend Dr.&quot;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Suffix and Suffix 2</strong></td>
<td>Select a suffix for the individual such as Sr. or M.D., as necessary. You can select a second suffix if necessary, such as &quot;III Esq.&quot;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Nickname</strong></td>
<td>Enter a nickname for the individual as necessary. When you search for individual constituents, you can select to include nicknames in the search criteria.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Maiden name</strong></td>
<td>Enter a maiden name for the individual as necessary. On the constituent record, the maiden name entered appears as an alias on the Names tab. When you search for individual constituents, you can select to include maiden names in the search criteria.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Marital status</strong></td>
<td>Select whether the individual constituent is single, married, or divorced.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Birth date and Age</strong></td>
<td>Enter the individual’s date of birth, such as 10/10/1941. If you are unsure of the exact birth date, you can enter a “fuzzy” date, such as the month and year or the year only. If the date contains a year, the constituent’s age is calculated and displayed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Gender</strong></td>
<td>Select whether the individual is a male or female. If you are unsure of the individual’s gender, select Unknown.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Address type</strong></td>
<td>Select the type of address to use as the primary contact for the individual, such as Home or School Residence. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional addresses on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
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<td>Screen Item</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Country</td>
<td>Select the country of the individual’s primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Address</td>
<td>Enter the primary street address or post office box for the individual.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>City</td>
<td>Enter the city or town for the individual’s primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ZIP</td>
<td>Enter the Zip code for the individual’s primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Omit from validation</td>
<td>With Data Tune-Up, you can run an address validation process to verify addresses entered in the database exist. When you run the address validation process, the program automatically updates missing or incomplete address information and standardizes street addresses. To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Validate</td>
<td>To run the address validation process to verify the address entered exists, click this button. The address validation process verifies the address, and the program automatically updates the address accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click Yes.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Do not send mail to this address</td>
<td>If the individual requests that you not send mail to the primary address, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reason</td>
<td>If you select Do not send mail to this address, select why the constituent requests to not receive mail at the primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phone type</td>
<td>Select the type of phone number to use as the primary contact for the individual, such as Home or Business. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary phone number information. On the constituent record, you can add additional phone numbers on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phone number</td>
<td>Enter the primary phone number for the individual. If phone formatting is enabled, the program applies the phone format associated with the selected country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country, see the Administration Guide. If phone formatting is disabled, you can manually enter the phone number as it should appear.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Email type</td>
<td>Select the type of email address to use as the primary contact for the individual, such as Personal or Business. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary email address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional email addresses on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Email address</td>
<td>Enter the primary email address for the individual. On the constituent record, the primary email address becomes a link that you can click to quickly send an email to the individual.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Information source
Select the information source for the contact information, such as “Family member.” Sources are used to help you track additional information about the reasons contact information is added or changed. The information source appears next to the new or updated contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent.

If the program automatically creates a record, it selects a default information source and may disable the field. For example, if the program creates a record with data from a payment form that you create in Web, you cannot edit the default “Web Forms” information source.

### Household Tab
The table below explains the items on the Household tab of the Add an individual screen.

<table>
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<th>Screen Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Full name</strong></td>
<td>Search for the individual to add as a spouse or household member. To quickly find the constituent, enter the name of the constituent and press <strong>TAB</strong>. If the program matches the name to a constituent in the database, the constituent’s name appears in the field. If the program matches the name to multiple constituents, the Individual Search screen appears and displays the matched constituents in the <strong>Results</strong> grid. Select the correct constituent or start a new search. If the individual is not already a constituent in the database, you can add the constituent from the search screen. If you know the individual is not already a constituent, click <strong>Add</strong> in this field to add the constituent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Copy Individual’s primary contact information to Household Member</strong></td>
<td>When you save the new individual constituent, the program automatically generates or updates a record of the constituent household with the individual. To copy the primary contact information of the individual constituent to the record of the household, select this checkbox. On the constituent record, the primary contact information appears on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Individual is the</strong></td>
<td>Select the relationship the individual has with the household member, such as Husband, Wife, or Partner.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Spouse is the</strong></td>
<td>Select the relationship the household member has with the individual, such as Husband, Wife, or Partner.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Start date</strong></td>
<td>Enter the date the relationship between the individual and household member began such as the wedding date of a spouse relationship, or enter the date you enter the relationship into your database.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Screen Item | Description
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**This is the spouse relationship for Individual** | If the household member is the spouse or partner of the individual, select this checkbox.

**Copy Individual’s primary contact information to Spouse/Household Member** | To copy the primary contact information of the new individual constituent to the record of the new constituent household member or spouse, select this checkbox. On the constituent record, the primary contact information appears on the Contact tab.

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### Business Tab

The table below explains the items on the Business tab of the Add an individual screen.

| Screen Item | Description |
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**Organization name** | Search for the organization to add as a business for the individual.

To quickly find the constituent, enter the name of the organization and press **TAB**. If the program matches the name to an organization in the database, the organization’s name appears in the field. If the program matches the name to multiple organizations, the Organization Search screen appears and displays the matched organizations in the **Results** grid. Select the correct organization or start a new search.

If the organization is not already a constituent in the database, you can add the constituent from the search screen.

If you know the organization is not already a constituent, click **Add** in his field to add the constituent.

**Individual is the** | Select the relationship the individual has with the organization, such as Employee.

**Organization is the** | Select the relationship the organization has with the individual, such as Employer.

**Start date** | Enter the date the relationship between the individual and organization began such as the date the organization hires the individual, or enter the date you enter the relationship into your database.

**End date** | Enter the date the relationship between the individual and organization ends, such as the date the individual resigns from the organization. If the relationship is for an undetermined duration, leave this field blank.

**Individual is a contact** | If the individual is a contact for the organization, select this checkbox.

**Contact type** | If you select **Individual is a contact**, select the type of contact of the individual for the organization, such as Corporate Donations.
### Screen Item | Description
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**Primary contact** | If you select **Individual is a contact**, this checkbox is enabled. If the individual is the primary contact for the organization, select this checkbox. When you run communications processes that include the organization, the primary contact receives the communication.

**This organization will match individual’s contributions** | If the organization is a matching gift company that matches donations made by the individual, select this checkbox.

**Recognition credits** | Under **Recognition credits**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the individual for revenue from the organization, or to the organization for revenue from the individual. If you select to apply recognition credit to either constituent, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit the constituent receives.

**Employment information** | If the organization is the employer of the individual, enter employment related information such as job title, category, and career level.

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### Add A Household Member

From this screen you can add information about other members of this individual’s household. For example, if you have information about the individual’s son, you can enter it here.

Once you save the record, household member information displays on the new constituent’s Relationships tab. In addition, a constituent record is created for the household member. The household member's constituent record includes the reciprocal relation information.

### Individual Constituent Record

When you add an individual to the database, the program automatically creates a record of the constituent. From the constituent record, you can view and manage information about the individual. You can add personal and address information about the constituent, as well as name formats.

You can also mark a constituent as inactive. To access a constituent record, search the database for the individual. For information about Constituent Search, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).

At the top of the record, profile information about the individual appears in a series of summary tiles. To minimize all of the tiles on a record, click **Show less**. To expand all the tiles, click **Show more**. Above the summary tiles, the record type, Lookup ID, deceased status, inactive status, and any active constituencies are always visible.

Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. Additionally you can rearrange tiles to customize the view. To add or remove tiles from the view, click **Customize summary**. The Customize summary tiles screen appears. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see [Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48](#).
From the constituent record, you can view and manage contact and detail information about the individual. You can also view and manage the name formats, nicknames, and aliases to use with the individual. To help you navigate through this information, the constituent household record contains multiple tabs. Tiles and tabs are linked. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tiles and tabs are automatically updated. Depending on your system role and security rights, you can perform additional tasks to manage information about the individual from the constituent record.

**Link an Individual Constituent to an Application User**

You can link an application user's login name to a corresponding constituent record so you can view information about the user's activities as a constituent.

From the individual constituent's record, click **Edit link to user** under **Tasks**. On the Edit link to user screen, select **Constituent is linked to** and search for the application user to link to the constituent. To return to the constituent record, click **Save**.

**Add a Spouse for an Individual Constituent**

From an individual constituent record, you can add a spouse or partner relationship for the constituent.

> **Note:** After you add a spouse relationship, the **Remove spouse** task appears so you can dissolve the relationship as necessary. For information about how to remove a spouse, see [Remove a Spouse from an Individual Constituent on page 215](#).

You can add only one spouse or partner to an individual constituent. From the Relationship tab, you can view the constituent record for the spouse or partner.

1. **Add a spouse or partner for an individual constituent**
   
   1. Open the constituent record of the individual for which to add the spouse relationship. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
   2. Under **Tasks**, click **Add spouse**. The Add a spouse screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see [Add Spouse Screen on page 215](#).
   3. In the **Spouse** field, search for and select the constituent to add as a spouse or partner relationship. To add the spouse or partner as a new constituent, click **Add**.
   4. Under **Relationship**, select the relationships the individual and the spouse or partner have with each other, such as Husband and Wife.
   5. In the **Start date** field, enter the date the relationship started or the date you enter the relationship to your database.
   6. Click **Save**. You return to the individual constituent record. On the Relationships tab, the new spouse relationship appears.
Add Spouse Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add spouse screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Add a Spouse for an Individual Constituent on page 214.

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<td>Spouse</td>
<td>Search for and select the constituent to add as a spouse or partner relationship. To add the spouse or partner as a new constituent, click Add.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Individual is the</td>
<td>Select the relationship the individual has with the spouse or partner, such as Husband, Wife, or Partner.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spouse is the</td>
<td>Select the relationship the spouse or partner has with the individual, such as Husband, Wife, or Partner.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Start date</td>
<td>Enter the date the relationship between the individual and the spouse or partner began such as the wedding date, or enter the date you enter the relationship into your database.</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Remove a Spouse from an Individual Constituent

If a constituent has a spouse relationship, you can remove the relationship such as due to divorce. After you remove a spouse relationship, it no longer appears on the Relationships tab on the individual’s constituent record. If the constituent household does not remain intact, you can also dissolve the household.

If you dissolve the household at the time you remove the spouse, you must select a reason for the change. Before you can update the household’s status, a user with the appropriate security permissions must define reasons in the Dissolved Reason code table in Administration.

For information about how to add reason codes, see the Administration Guide.

Note: After you remove a spouse relationship, the Add spouse task appears on the constituent record so you can add a spouse relationship as necessary. For information about how to add a spouse, see Add a Spouse for an Individual Constituent on page 214.

> Remove a spouse relationship for an individual constituent

1. Open the constituent record of the individual for which to remove the spouse relationship. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

3. Select the new relationships for the constituent and the former spouse, such as ex-husband and ex-wife, and the date the spouse relationship ended.

4. If the constituent and spouse are members of a household, select whether to dissolve the household. If you select **Dissolve the household**, select the reason to dissolve the household, such as divorce. For information about the items on this screen, see [Remove Spouse Screen on page 216](#).

**Note:** You must include a reason when you dissolve a household. For information about how to add codes to the Dissolved Reason code table, see the *Administration Guide*.

5. Click **Save**. The Update contact information page appears. On this page, you can manage the contact information for each constituent previously in the spouse relationship. For information about this page, see [Update Contact Information Page on page 217](#).

### Remove Spouse Screen

The table below explains the items on the Remove spouse screen. For information about how to access this screen, see [Remove a Spouse from an Individual Constituent on page 215](#).

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<td>Constituent is the</td>
<td>Select the constituent’s new affiliation to the spouse, such as Ex-Husband.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spouse is the</td>
<td>Select the spouse’s new affiliation to the constituent, such as Ex-Wife.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>End date</td>
<td>Enter the date the relationship ended, such as the date of the divorce or the day you remove the relationship.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dissolve the household</td>
<td>To dissolve the constituent household, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reason</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Dissolve the household</strong>, enter the reason to dissolve the household such as Divorce.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Update Contact Information Page

After you remove a spouse relationship from an individual constituent, the Update Contact Information page appears. From this page, you can update contact information for each constituent previously in the spouse relationship.

On the Update contact information page, a tab appears for each constituent previously in the spouse relationship. To update a constituent’s contact information or write a letter to a constituent, select the constituent’s tab. For information about how to manage constituent contact information, see Contact Information on page 69.

To view the record of an individual constituent, select the constituent’s tab and click Go to Constituent under Tasks. For information about the items on the constituent record, see Individual Constituent Record on page 213.

Mark an Individual Constituent as Deceased

When an individual constituent passes away, you can mark the constituent as deceased. When you mark a constituent as deceased, you can enter information such as the deceased date. The program automatically retains the information about deceased constituents but excludes them from constituent searches. To search for a deceased constituent, you must first select Include deceased on the Constituent Search screen.

After you mark a constituent as deceased, you can edit the deceased date or confirmation information as necessary from the Personal Info tab.

**Note:** If you use Blackbaud’s DeceasedRecordFinder service and your system administrator configures the Life Changes options in Constituents, the program automatically marks deceased constituents as deceased and updates their constituent records.

**Note:** Your system administrator may configure the Life Changes options so you can edit information about a deceased constituent from the Deceasing Options page.

If you accidentally or incorrectly mark a constituent as deceased, you can make a constituent marked as deceased active again.

> Mark a constituent as deceased

1. Open the record of the individual constituent to mark as deceased. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. On the Personal Info tab, click Mark deceased. The Mark individual deceased screen appears.
3. In the Deceased date field, enter the date the constituent passed away. If you are unsure of the exact date, enter a fuzzy date such as the month and year or year only. If you do not know the date, leave the field blank.
4. In the Confirmation field, select how your organization confirms the constituent passed away, such as a death certificate or relative.
5. In the Source field, select how your organization first learns the constituent passed away, such as an obituary. Your system administrator determines the options for this field.
6. **Click Save.**
   - If your system administrator configures the Life Changes options to enable users to edit information about deceased constituents, the Deasing Options page appears. For information about the Deasing Options page, see [Deasing Options Page on page 30](#).
   - If your system administrator does not configure the Life Changes options to enable users to edit information about deceased constituents, you return to the constituent record. The **Status** field displays Deceased.

> **Mark a deceased constituent as active**

1. Open the record of the deceased constituent to mark as active. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).

   **Tip:** To search for a deceased constituent, select **Include deceased** on the Constituent Search screen.

2. Under **Tasks**, click **Undo mark deceased**. A message appears to ask whether to no longer mark the constituent as deceased.

3. Click **Yes**. You return to the constituent record. The **Status** field no longer displays Deceased.

   If your system administrator configures the program to automatically mark deceased constituents as inactive, you must manually mark them as active again. For information about how to mark a constituent as active, see [Mark a Constituent as Inactive or Active on page 88](#).

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**Marriage Options**

Depending on the options your system administrator configures in **Constituents**, the Marriage Options page appears when you add a spouse to a constituent. On this page, you can review the contact information, names, and household recognition options for the constituents and manage it as needed.

**Note:** In **Constituents**, your system administrator selects the information that appears on the Marriage Options page. If no information is selected by your system administrator, the Marriage Options page does not appear.

You can manage constituent information that appears on the tabs on the Marriage Options page.

**Contact Information Tab**

On the Contact Information tab, all contact information for the two constituents appears. You can update this information as necessary. For example, you can copy address and phone information from one spouse to the other or from one spouse to the household.

**Interactions Tab**

On the Interactions tab, all specific communication activities and actions between your organization and the constituent appear. You can update this information as necessary. These can include meetings, telephone calls, email messages, and mailings. For example, if the deceased constituent has a pending telephone call interaction with your organization, you can remove it from their record.

**Personal Information Tab**
On the Personal Information tab, all name formats used for the constituents appear. You can update this information as necessary. For example, you can copy names from one spouse to the other.

**Household Recognition Tab**

On the Household Recognition tab, you can view the household recognition options. You can update this information as necessary. For example, you can indicate whether to recognize the household members for revenue from the household.

**Tributes Tab**

On the Tributes tab, all tributes associated with the constituent appear. With tributes, you recognize a donation to your organization in relation or tribute to someone else. For example, after a constituent is marked as deceased, you can create a tribute “In memory of...” to recognize the deceased constituent.
### Organization Constituents

Organization constituent records track important information about the companies, businesses, foundations, and other organizations in your database. When you add an organization constituent, you add details and primary contact information about the organization.

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Organization Search

Before you add an organization constituent record, we recommend you first search the database for the organization to avoid duplicate constituents. After you add an organization constituent, you can use the search screen to later find the constituent.

When you search for a constituent, you can make the search broad or specific, depending on the criteria selected. With a large database, we recommend you enter detailed information to find the records you need. For searches that return more than 100 constituents, only the first 100 appear.

#### Search for an organization constituent

1. From Constituents, click **Organization search**. The Organization Search screen appears.

2. Enter the search criteria to use, such as name and address information, to find the constituent record. To match the search criteria exactly as entered, select **Match all criteria exactly**.

**Tip:** If you do not select **Match all criteria exactly**, you can use “wildcard” characters in place of parts of search criteria, such as if you are unsure of an exact spelling. To replace a group of characters, use an asterisk (*) or percent sign (%). To replace a single character, use a question mark.
(?) or an underscore (_). For example, to return all organizations with a name that ends with “son”, enter “*son” or “%son”. To find an organization name of Smith or Smyth, enter “Sm?th” or “Sm_th”.

3. To use additional search criteria, click Show advanced search options. Under Advanced search options, select the criteria options to include. For example, select whether to include aliases and only primary addresses in the search.

4. Click Search. The program searches the database for organization constituents that match the search criteria entered. In the Results grid, the constituents that match the criteria appear. Depending on the search criteria you enter, the search may return one constituent or many.

5. Under Results, click the name of the constituent record to open. The record appears.

If the constituent you want does not appear under Results, click Add on the action bar. The Add an organization screen appears so you can add the constituent to the database. For information about how to add an organization constituent, see Add Organization Constituents on page 223.

**Organization Search Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Organization Search screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Organization Search on page 220.

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<td><strong>Organization name</strong></td>
<td>Enter the name of the organization to find. You can enter an entire name or only the beginning letters. For example, if you enter “Sm”, all organizations that begin with Sm appear. Names are not case-sensitive, so you can enter Smith, smith, or SMITH to return organizations named Smith.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Lookup ID</strong></td>
<td>Enter the primary identifier used at your organization. You can enter the entire ID or only the beginning digits. For example, if you enter “1”, all lookup IDs that begin with the number 1 appear.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Parent org name</strong></td>
<td>To find a subsidiary organization, enter the name of its parent organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Parent lookup ID</strong></td>
<td>To find a subsidiary organization, enter the lookup ID of its parent organization.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Country</strong></td>
<td>Select the country of the organization to find.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Address</strong></td>
<td>Enter the street address or post office box of the constituent to find, such as 7930 Baker Street. To search only by street name, use a wildcard character in place of the street number, such as “*Baker Street” or “%Baker Street”.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>City</strong></td>
<td>Enter the city or town of the constituent to find.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>State</strong></td>
<td>Select the state of the constituent to find.</td>
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<td><strong>ZIP/Postal code</strong></td>
<td>Enter the Zip code of the constituent to find.</td>
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<td>Industry</td>
<td>Select the industry of the organization to find. Such as Education or Healthcare.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Match all criteria exactly</td>
<td>To use search criteria exactly as entered, select this checkbox. If you select this checkbox, wildcard characters do not work and instead return only the literal characters. Similarly, beginning characters return only those characters entered.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Check aliases</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include aliases from the Names tab of constituent records in your search, select this checkbox and enter the alias in the name fields.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Check merged constituents</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include constituents merged from a duplicate constituent check, select this checkbox.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Check alternate lookup IDs</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include alternate lookup IDs in your search, select this checkbox and enter the alternate lookup ID in the Lookup ID field.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Only search parent orgs</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include only the parent organizations in your search, select this checkbox and enter the primary address information in the address fields. When you select this checkbox, the search does not return organizations marked as the subsidiary of another organization.</td>
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<td>Only search primary addrs</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include only the primary addresses from the Contact tab of the constituent records in your search, select this checkbox and enter the primary address information in the address fields.</td>
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<td>Include inactive</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include constituents marked as inactive in the search, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Include fuzzy search on name</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To return constituents with names that sound like the search criteria entered, select this checkbox. For example, if you select this checkbox and enter a name of &quot;Smith&quot;, the program includes constituents named &quot;Smyth&quot; in the results.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Only search primary orgs</td>
<td>When you click Show advanced search options, this checkbox appears. To include only the organizations marked as the primary organization, such as a main office or headquarters, in your search, select this checkbox and enter the primary address information in the address fields.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Results</td>
<td>When you click Search, this grid displays the constituents that match the search criteria entered. For searches that return more than 100 constituents, only the first 100 appear.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Add</td>
<td>To add a new organization, such as if the constituent you want does not appear in the search results, click this button on the action bar of the Results grid. The Add an organization screen appears so you can add the constituent to the database. For information about how to add an organization constituent, see Add Organization Constituents on page 223.</td>
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Add Organization Constituents

Organization constituent records track important information about the companies, businesses, foundations, and other organizations in your database. When you add an organization constituent, you add details and primary contact information about the organization.

Add an organization constituent

To avoid duplicate constituents, we recommend you first search your database for the constituent before you add a new organization. For information about how to search for an organization constituent, see Organization Search on page 220.

1. From Constituents, click Add an organization. The Add an organization screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Add an Organization Screen on page 225.

2. Under Organization details, enter the name of the organization and select its type of industry, such as Health care or Education.

3. If the organization is a subsidiary of another organization, in the Parent org field, search for and select the organization that owns and controls the new organization. For information about the Organization Search screen, see Organization Search Screen on page 221.

4. In the No. of employees field, enter the number of people employed at the organization.
5. If the organization is a parent organization of other organizations, in the **No. of subsidiary orgs** field, enter the number of subsidiaries the organization owns and controls.

6. In the **Website** field, enter the address to the organization's corporate website.

7. If the location entered is a main headquarters or office of operation for the organization, select **This is a primary organization**.

8. To add an image for the organization such as the company logo:
   a. In the **Image** field, click **Choose file**. The Open screen appears.
   b. Browse to and select the image file to use with the constituent.
   c. Click **Open**. You return to the Add an organization screen. In the **Image** field, the selected image appears.

   To remove the image selected for a constituent, click **Clear file**.

9. Under **Primary contact information**, select the type of address to use as the primary address for the contact, such as Business, and enter the address information.

   If the contact or organization requests that you not send mail to the address, select **Do not send mail to this address**. In the **Reason** field, select why the constituent does not want to receive mail at the address.

10. With **Data Tune-Up**, you can use an address validation service to verify the address entered exists. When you use the address validation service, the program updates missing or incomplete information such as the Zip code and standardizes the street address.

    To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select **Omit from validation**.

    To run the address validation process for the address now, click **Validate**. The program updates the address fields accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click **Yes**. For information about how to validate a single address, see **Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1**.

11. In the **Phone type** field, select the type of phone number to use as the primary number for the organization, such as Business. In the **Phone number** field, enter the phone number to use to contact the constituent.

12. In the **Email type** field, select the type of email address to use as the primary email address for the organization. In the **Email address** field, enter the email address to use to contact the constituent.

13. Under **Organization contact source**, select the information source for the contact information, such as “Company’s website.” Sources are used to help you track additional information about the reasons contact information is added or changed. The information source appears next to the new or updated contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent.

14. Click **Save**.

   **Note**: When you click **Save**, the program automatically uses the name and address entered for the constituent to verify the constituent does not already exist in the database. If the program finds another individual constituen with the same last name and address information, the duplicate search screen appears.
The record of the new organization constituent appears. For information about the organization constituent record, see Organization Constituent Record on page 227.

Add an Organization Screen

The table below explains the items on the Add an organization screen.

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<td>Name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the organization, exactly as it should appear throughout the program.</td>
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<td>Industry</td>
<td>Select the organization’s type of industry such as Health care or Education.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Parent org</td>
<td>If the organization is the subsidiary of another organization, click the binoculars. The Organization Search screen appears so you can find and select the organization that owns and controls the new organization.</td>
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<tr>
<td>No. of employees</td>
<td>Enter the number of people employed at the organization.</td>
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<tr>
<td>No. of subsidiary orgs</td>
<td>If the organization is the parent organization of another organization, enter the number of companies the organization owns and controls.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Website</td>
<td>Enter the address to the organization’s corporate website. On the constituent record, the address entered appears as a link to the organization’s website.</td>
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<td>This is a primary organization</td>
<td>If the location entered is the main headquarters or office of operation for the organization, select this checkbox.</td>
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<td>When you search for an organization, you can select to include only primary organizations in the search results.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Image</td>
<td>To add an image for the organization such as the company logo, click Choose file. The Open screen appears so you can browse to and select the image file to use.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>To remove an image associated with the constituent, click Clear file.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Address type</td>
<td>Select the type of address to use as the primary contact for the organization, such as Business.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional addresses on the Contact tab.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Country</td>
<td>Select the country of the organization’s primary address.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Address</td>
<td>Enter the primary street address or post office box for the organization.</td>
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<td>City</td>
<td>Enter the city or town for the organization’s primary address.</td>
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<td>ZIP</td>
<td>Enter the Zip code for the organization’s primary address.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Validate</td>
<td>To run the address validation process to verify the address entered exists, click this button. The address validation process verifies the address, and the program automatically updates the address accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click <strong>Yes</strong>. For information about how to validate a single address, see <a href="#">Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1</a>.</td>
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<td>Do not send mail to this address</td>
<td>If the organization or contact requests that you not send mail to the primary address, select this checkbox.</td>
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<td>Reason</td>
<td>If you select <strong>Do not send mail to this address</strong>, select why the constituent requests to not receive mail at the primary address.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Phone type</td>
<td>Select the type of phone number to use as the primary contact for the organization, such as Business. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary phone number information. On the constituent record, you can add additional phone numbers on the Contact tab.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Phone number</td>
<td>Enter the primary phone number for the organization. If phone formatting is enabled, the program applies the phone format associated with the selected country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country, see the <em>Administration Guide</em>. If phone formatting is enabled, the program applies the phone format associated with the selected country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country, see the Administration section of the help file. If phone formatting is disabled, you can enter the phone number as it should appear.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Email type</td>
<td>Select the type of email address to use as the primary contact for the organization, such as Business. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary email address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional email addresses on the Contact tab.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Email address</td>
<td>Enter the primary email address for the organization. On the constituent record, the primary email address becomes a link that you can click to quickly send an email to the organization.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Information source</td>
<td>Select the information source for the contact information, such as “Company's website.” Sources are used to help you track additional information about the reasons contact information is added or changed. The information source appears next to the new or updated contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent.</td>
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Organization Constituent Record

When you add an organization to the database, the program automatically creates a record of the constituent. From the constituent record, you can view and manage information about the organization. You can add additional information about the organization, such as matching gift conditions and aliases. You can also mark a constituent as inactive. To access an organization constituent record, search the database for the organization. For information about Organization Search, see Organization Search on page 220.

At the top of the record, profile information about the organization appears in a series of summary tiles. To minimize all of the tiles on a record, click Show less. To expand all the tiles, click Show more. Above the summary tiles, the record type, Lookup ID, inactive status, and any active constituencies are always visible.

Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. Additionally you can rearrange tiles to customize the view. To add or remove tiles from the view, click Customize summary. The Customize summary tiles screen appears. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48.

From the constituent record, you can view and manage information about the organization. You can also view and manage the name formats and aliases to use with the organization. To help you navigate through this information, the constituent record also contains multiple tabs. Tiles and tabs are linked. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tabs and tiles are automatically updated.

Depending on your system role and security rights, you can perform additional tasks to manage information about the organization from the constituent record.

Corporate Structure Information

When you add an organization relationship to an organization constituent, such as parent corporation or subsidiary or corporate peer organization, you create a corporate structure that strengthens your ability to gather information. You can track these relationships with customized hierarchical summaries that display how relationships connect within the corporate structure. Summaries include information such as organization and employee giving, primary contacts, organization size, and pending giving. You can view corporate summaries from the Corporate structure section of the Corporate Info tab of an organization constituent record.

Under Corporate structure, you can view a hierarchical representation of how the organization relationships of the constituent are related, based on parent and subsidiary relationships. To view a list of the subsidiary relationships of a parent organization, click the arrow next to the parent organization. To view corporate peer organizations, click the arrow next to Peers.

In the grid, you can view information about each organization in the hierarchy, such as primary contact and number of employee constituents. From the grid, you can select the organizations to appear in the corporate structure. For information about how to edit the organization included in the hierarchy, see Edit Corporate Structure Selections on page 228.

Note: If you do not specify a parent for an organization, the organization assumes the role of the parent in its hierarchy. To assign a parent relationship to an organization, edit the Parent org field on
the Organization tab of the constituent record. For information about how to edit the **Parent org** field, see [Edit Details for an Organization Constituent on page 107](#).

To filter the items that appear in the grid, you can select the time frame of the corporate information to view. On the action bar, in the **Show** field, select the date range to view, such as Last 12 Months, and click **Apply**. To remove the filter and display all corporate information again, click **Reset** on the action bar.

**Tip:** To help ensure accurate results in your corporate summaries, your organization can manage the corporate relationship types in **Administration**. For example, to include those related to an organization as an employee or owner in the employee totals within corporate summaries, you must add Employee and Owner as corporate relationship types. When you view employee data in a corporate summary, those with the designated relationship types appear in the employee totals. For information about how to manage corporate relationship types, see the Administration section of the help file.

**Tip:** To help ensure accurate results in your corporate summaries, your organization can manage the corporate relationship types in **Administration**. For example, to include those related to an organization as an employee or owner in the employee totals within corporate summaries, you must add Employee and Owner as corporate relationship types. When you view employee data in a corporate summary, those with the designated relationship types appear in the employee totals. For information about how to manage corporate relationship types, see the Administration Guide.

Under **Summary**, the giving history for the organizations selected in the **Corporate structure** hierarchy appears. The **Combined giving** field displays the total giving of the selected organizations and their employee contributions. To view additional information about the selected organizations in the corporate structure, click **Go to** on the action bar and select the type of information to view: **Revenue**, **Employee information**, or **Prospect plans**. The Corporate Information page appears and displays information about the selected organizations. For information about the items on this page, see [Corporate Information on page 229](#).

### Edit Corporate Structure Selections

On the Corporate Info tab of an organization constituent, you can view summary information an organization and its related parent or subsidiary companies. You can select the organizations from the corporate structure to include in summary information.

**Edit corporate structure selections**

1. Open the record of the organization constituent with the structure selections to edit. For information about how to open an organization constituent record, see [Organization Search on page 220](#).
2. Select the Corporate Info tab.
4. Select the organizations to include in corporate summaries. To remove an organization from the summary information, deselect its checkbox.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the Corporate Info tab. Under **Summary**, only information about the selected organization appears.

**Corporate Information**

To view additional information about organizations selected in the Corporate structure hierarchy, access the Corporate Info tab.

On this tab, you can view detail information about the revenue or employees of the selected organizations. To access the Corporate Information page from the record, select the organizations to view, click **Go to** on the action bar, and select **Revenue** or **Employee information**.

To help you navigate through this information, the Corporate Information page contains multiple tabs.

**Revenue**

To view detail information about the revenue of the selected organizations such as pledge payments, employee giving, and membership fees, select the Revenue tab on the Corporate Information page.

On this tab, you can select the type of revenue information to view. The bar chart displays the selected revenue information for the organizations selected to appear in summary information.

- To view information about all gifts, including pledges and recurring gifts related to gifts received from the selected organizations, select **Gifts**.
- To view information about all revenue types, including gifts and event registration fees received from the selected organizations, select **All revenue**.
- To view information about the lifetime giving of the selected organizations and their employees, select **Giving summary**.
- To view information about the combined recognition of the selected organizations and their employees, select **Recognition summary**.

You can filter the information that appears by date range. For example, you can select to view only information about revenue received during the last 30 days. In the **Show** field, select the criteria of the revenue to view and click **Apply**. To remove the filter and display information about all revenue received, click **Reset**.

To change the organizations included in summary information, click **Change Selections**. For information about how to edit the structure selections, see [Edit Corporate Structure Selections on page 228](#).

**Employee Information**

To view general information about each organization in the structure and their employees, such as organization size and volunteer totals, select the Employee Information tab on the Corporate Information page.

On this tab, you can select whether to view organization or individual employee summary information. The bar chart displays the selected information for the organizations selected to appear in summary information.
• To view information about the selected organizations such as organization size and employee giving, select **Organization summary**. For employees who are alumni of an academic institution affiliated with your organization, alumni information also appears.

**Note:** When you select **Organization summary**, the organization size appears as a number range. If the organization experiences sizable growth, we recommend you edit the number of employees entered on the organization record. For information about how to edit the organization record, see [Edit Details for an Organization Constituent on page 107](#).

• To view information about each organization employee who is also a constituent in your database, select **Individual summary**. Constituent information such as last gift date and pending and completed interactions appears.

You can filter the information that applies to a specific date range. For example, you can select to view only summary information about the last 30 days. In the **Show** field, select the criteria of the data to view and click **Apply**. To remove the filter and display all summary information, click **Reset**.

To change the organizations included in summary information, click **Change Selections**. For information about how to edit the structure selections, see [Edit Corporate Structure Selections on page 228](#).
Constituent Groups and Households

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At your organization, you may find it important to track constituent groups and households. For example, a group of constituents may form a giving circle to pool fund together to donate to your organization in a joint effort. Constituent groups help you track the activities and giving of everyone included in the group. Constituent groups also help your organization recognize revenue received as coming from the group rather than an individual. Before you can add a constituent group to the database, your organization must configure the types of groups it uses.

Households help you track the activities and giving of everyone who lives under one roof. Constituent households also help your organization avoid the creation of duplicate mail for constituents who share an address. When you add an individual relationship for an individual constituent and the related individual is a spouse or shares a household with the constituent, the program automatically creates a record of the constituent household. You can configure whether and how constituent households receive recognition credit for revenue donated by members of the household. When a household
member donates to your organization, these configuration settings determine whether you recognize the household, the member, all other household members, or a combination of all three.

Add Constituent Groups

Your organization may find it important to track groups of constituents. For example, multiple constituents may pool their funds together to donate to your organization in a joint effort or you may have a group of constituents who serve on a committee for your organization. You can add the constituent group to your database. When you add a constituent group, you can enter information about the group and select the members of the group. Each member of the group must be a constituent in your database.

**Note:** You can add a group without adding individual group members. However, the first individual constituent you add to the group will be marked as the primary group member.

If you want to add a group of constituents as a committee, you can use Add a committee to add a group with a constituency of “Committee” or you can add a group and manually assign it the “Committee” constituency. When you add a committee, you can indicate whether or not the committee can coordinate events or solicit revenue, which regular groups cannot do.

**Note:** Before you can add a constituent group, you must define its group type in the database.

**Add a constituent group**

1. From Constituents, click Add a group. The Add a group screen appears. Or, to add a group as a committee, click Add a committee. The Add a committee screen appears.

   For information about the items on either screen, see Add a Group Screen on page 235.

**Note:** Committees are groups with a constituency of Committee. You can add a group and assign it the committee constituency, or you can click Add a committee to add a group that already has the constituency.
2. Select the Details tab.
3. Enter a unique name and description to help identify the group.
4. In the Primary contact field, search for and select the constituent who acts as the main contact for the group.

**Note:** You can add a group without adding individual group members. However, the first individual constituent you add to the group will be marked as the primary group member.

5. In the Group type field, select the type of the constituent group.
6. If the selected group type can be a donor, the Group gives anonymously checkbox is enabled. If the group requests to donate anonymously, select this checkbox.
7. If you add the group as a committee, select whether the committee can coordinate events, solicit revenue, or set committee goals.
8. Under Group member data, select whether summaries about the group should include all constituent information about its members or only constituent information as of a specific date, such as when the group formed. If you select Consolidate member data as of, select the date in the field.
9. Under Group primary contact information, to use the address information entered for the primary contact, click Copy from primary contact. Otherwise, select the type of address to use as the primary address for the group and enter the information.
If the group or contact requests that you not send mail to the address, select **Do not send mail to this address** and select the reason why the group does not want to receive mail at the address.

10. With **Data Tune-Up**, you can use an address validation service to verify the address entered exists. When you use the address validation service, the program updates missing or incomplete information such as the Zip code, and standardizes the street address.

To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select **Omit from validation**.

To run the address validation process for the address now, click **Validate**. The program updates the address fields accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click **Yes**. For information about how to validate a single address, see **Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1**.

11. In the **Phone type** field, select the type of phone number to use as the primary number for the group. In the **Phone number** field, enter the phone number to use to contact the group.

If the group requests that you not call the number, select **Do not call this phone number** and select the reason to explain why the number is not to be used, such as Donor preference.

12. In the **Email type** field, select the type of email address to use as the primary email address for the group. In the **Email address** field, enter the email address to use to contact the group.

If the group requests that you not send email to the address, select **Do not send email to this address**.

13. If the group has a website, in the **Website** field, enter its complete web address.

14. In **Information source**, select the source for the group’s contact information to indicate how you received the information.

**Note:** Sources help you track additional information about the reasons for new or changed contact information. The information source appears next to the new or updated contact information on the Contact tab of the constituent.

15. To add information about the members of the group, select the Members tab.

16. You can mark **Add members individually** to add group members one at a time or you can mark **Add members using a selection** to add multiple constituents at once.

**Note:** You can add many members at one time using a selection; however, you can only remove members from a group one at a time.

17. Under **Current members**, the primary contact automatically appears. To add an additional member to the group, search for and select the constituents to add as members.

18. To add additional members to the group based on the relationships of a current member:
   a. Under **Current members**, select the constituent with the relationship to add. Under **Find additional constituents**, the relationships of the selected constituent appear. To view the relationships of a constituent under **Find additional constituents**, click the plus sign next to the constituent.
   b. Under **Find additional constituents**, select the constituents to add as members.
   c. Click **Add selected**. Under **Current members**, the selected constituents appear.
**Note:** To remove a constituent from the **Current members** box, delete the row for the constituent.

19. Click **Save**. The record of the constituent group appears. For information about the items on a constituent group record, see **Constituent Group Record on page 238**.

**Add a Group Screen**

The Add a group screen contains two tabs on which you can enter data.

**Details Tab**

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<td>Name</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Enter a description to help identify the group.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Primary contact</td>
<td>Search for and select the constituent who acts as the main contact for the group. When you add a constituent as the primary contact, the constituent is automatically added to the Members tab. You can add a group without adding individual group members. However, the first individual constituent you add to the group will be marked as the primary group member.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group type</td>
<td>Select the type of the group, such as Giving circle or Family foundation. Your organization configures the available group types.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group gives anonymously</td>
<td>If the group requests to donate anonymously, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can coordinate events</td>
<td>If you add the group as a committee, select whether the group can be assigned as an event coordinator. If you select this checkbox, you can assign event tasks to the group or its members.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can solicit revenue and set fundraising goals</td>
<td>If you add the group as a committee, select whether the group can be assigned as a solicitor. If you select this checkbox, you can set fundraising goals and calculate revenue totals for money the group helps raise.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can set committee goals</td>
<td>If you add the group as a committee, select whether the group can set non-monetary committee goals.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group member data</td>
<td>Select whether summary information about the group should include all constituent information about the group’s members or only constituent information as of a specific date, such as when the group formed.</td>
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If you select **Consolidate member data as of**, select the date in the field.
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<td><strong>Copy from primary contact</strong></td>
<td>To use the address, telephone, and email information of the primary contact as the contact information for the group, click this button.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Address type</strong></td>
<td>Select the type of address to use as the primary contact for the group. When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional addresses on the Contact tab.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Country</strong></td>
<td>Select the country of the group's primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Address</strong></td>
<td>Enter the primary street address or post office box for the group.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>City</strong></td>
<td>Enter the city or town for the group's primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ZIP</strong></td>
<td>Enter the Zip code for the group’s primary address.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Omit from validation</strong></td>
<td>With <em>Data Tune-Up</em>, you can run an address validation process to verify addresses entered in the database exist. When you run the address validation process, the program automatically updates missing or incomplete address information and standardizes street addresses. To not include the address entered when your organization runs the address validation process, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Validate</strong></td>
<td>To run the address validation process to verify the address entered exists, click this button. The address validation process verifies the address, and the program automatically updates the address accordingly. If the program cannot validate the address, a message appears to ask whether to search for the address. To select the address from the address validation results, click Yes. For information about how to validate a single address, see Validate an Address for a Constituent on page 1.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Do not send mail to this address</strong></td>
<td>If the group requests that you not send mail to the primary address, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Reason</strong></td>
<td>If you select <em>Do not send mail to this address</em>, select why the group requests to not receive mail at the primary address.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Screen Item | Description
---|---
**Phone type** | Select the type of phone number to use as the primary contact for the group, such as Home or Business.
When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary phone number information. On the constituent record, you can add additional phone numbers on the Contact tab.

**Phone number** | Enter the primary phone number for the group.
If phone formatting is enabled, the program applies the phone format associated with the selected country. For information about how to assign a phone format to a country, see the Administration Guide.
If phone formatting is disabled, you can manually enter the phone number as it should appear.

**Do not call this phone number** | If the household requests that you not call the number, select this checkbox.

**Reason** | If you select Do not call this phone number, this field is enabled. Select why the group requests to not receive calls at the number, such as “Donor preference.” If a phone number is no longer valid and you enter a end date for it, you may also set the number to “Do not call” with a reason of “No longer in service.”

**Email type** | Select the type of email address to use as the primary contact for the group, such as Personal or Business.
When you add a new constituent, you can add only the primary email address information. On the constituent record, you can add additional email addresses on the Contact tab.

**Email address** | Enter the primary email address for the group. On the constituent record, the primary email address becomes a link that you can click to quickly send an email to the individual.

**Do not send email to this address** | If the household requests that you send email to this email address, select this checkbox.

**Website** | If the group has a website, enter the web address. On the constituent record, the web address appears as a link to the website.

**Information source** | You can select a source for the group’s address information to indicate where or how you received the information. Sources are used to help you track additional information about the reasons contact information is added or changed.

### Members Tab
The table below explains the items on the Members tab of the Add a group screen.
**Screen Item** | **Description**
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Current members | This box displays the constituents added to the group. When you first add a group, the constituent selected to be the primary contact automatically appears. To add a constituent to the group, search for and select the constituent to add as a member.
To remove a member from the group, select and delete the row.

Find additional constituents | This box displays the relationships of the constituent selected under **Current members**. To view the relationships of a related constituent, click the arrow next to the constituent. To add related constituents to the group, select the constituents to add and click **Add selected**.

Add members using a selection | Below the Current members section, you can also mark **Add members using a selection**, which enables you to pick a selection of constituents to add to the group at once. You cannot undo the addition of group members using a selection.

**Constituent Group Record**

When you add a constituent group to the database, the program automatically creates a record of the group. From the record, you can view and manage information about the group. You can add member and address information about the group, as well as name formats. To access a constituent group record, search the database for the group.

At the top of the record, profile information about the group appears in a series of summary tiles. To temporarily minimize all of the tiles on a record, click **Show less**. To expand all the tiles, click **Show more**. Above the summary tiles, the record type, Lookup ID, inactive status, and any active constituencies are always visible.

Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. Additionally you can rearrange tiles to customize the view. To add or remove tiles from the view, click **Customize summary**. The Customize summary tiles screen appears. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see **Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48**.

If the group is a committee for your organization, you can assign a constituency of “Committee“ to the group. If you added the group using **Add a committee**, the group automatically has a constituency of “Committee.” To view the group record as a committee, from the group, click **Committee under View as**. For more information, see **Committees on page 248**.

From the constituent record, you can view and manage contact and detail information about the group. You can also view and manage the name formats and aliases to use with the group. To help you navigate through this information, the constituent group record contains multiple tabs. Tiles and tabs are linked. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tabs and tiles are automatically updated.

Depending on your system role and security rights, you can perform additional tasks to manage information about the group from the constituent record.
Edit a Constituent Group

After you add a constituent group, you can edit its details, such as its name and whether it gives anonymously, as necessary.

Note: You can view an audit of the edits made to a constituent’s record. From a constituent record, under More information, click History. The Constituent History page for the record appears. For information about the items on the Constituent History page, see Constituent History on page 193.

Edit a group

1. Open the record of the constituent group to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Under Tasks, click Edit group. The Edit group screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Edit Group Screen on page 239.

Tip: To access the Edit group screen, you can also click the picture on the constituent record and click Edit.

Note: When a group is a committee, you can edit the committee from the Committee page. From a group with a constituency of Committee, click Committee under View as. On the Committee page, click Edit committee under Tasks.

3. Edit the detail information as necessary.
4. Click Save. You return to the constituent record.

Edit Group Screen

The table below explains the items on the Edit group screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Edit a Constituent Group on page 239.

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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the constituent group exactly as it should appear throughout your database such as on pages and reports.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Enter a description to help identify the group.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Website</td>
<td>If the group has a website, enter its web address. On the constituent group record, the web address appears as a link to the website.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group type</td>
<td>Select the type of the group, such as Giving circle or Family foundation. Your organization determines the available group types.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group gives anonymously</td>
<td>If the group requests to donate anonymously, select this checkbox.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Screen Item</td>
<td>Description</td>
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<td>-----------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can coordinate events</td>
<td>For a committee, select whether the group can be assigned as an event coordinator. If you select this checkbox, you can assign event tasks to the group or its members.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can solicit revenue and set fundraising goals</td>
<td>For a committee, select whether the group can be assigned as a solicitor. If you select this checkbox, you can set fundraising goals and calculate revenue totals for money the group helps raise.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Can set committee goals</td>
<td>For a committee, select whether the group can set non-monetary committee goals.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Image</td>
<td>This field displays an image associated with the household, such as a picture of the household. To add an image for the household, click Choose file. The Open screen appears so you can browse to and select the image file to use. To remove an image associated with the household, click Clear file.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group member data</td>
<td>Select whether summary information about the group should include all constituent information about the group’s members or only constituent information as of a specific date, such as when the group formed. If you select Consolidate member data as of, select the date in the field.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Constituent Household Record**

When you add an individual relationship for an individual constituent and the related individual is a spouse or shares a household with the constituent, the program automatically creates a record of the constituent household. From the record, you can view and manage information about the constituent household. You can add member and address information about the household, as well as name formats. To access a constituent household record, search the database for the household. For information about Constituent Search, see Constituent Search on page 52.

At the top of the record, profile information about the household appears in a series of summary tiles. To temporarily minimize all of the tiles on a record, click Show less. To expand all the tiles, click Show more. Above the summary tiles, the record type, Lookup ID, inactive status, and any active constituencies are always visible.

Each application user can configure which tiles are visible for each record type. Additionally you can rearrange tiles to customize the view. To add or remove tiles from the view, click Customize summary. The Customize summary tiles screen appears. For information about how to customize summary tiles, see Customize summary tiles for a constituent record type on page 48.

From the constituent record, you can view and manage contact and detail information about the household. You can also view and manage the name formats and aliases to use with the household. To help you navigate through this information, the constituent household record contains multiple tabs. Tiles and tabs are linked. When you click a link on a tile, the related tab opens. When you add or edit constituent information in a tile or tab, the related tabs and tiles are automatically updated.
Depending on your system role and security rights, you can perform additional tasks to manage information about the household from the constituent record.

**Edit a Constituent Household**

After you add a household, you can edit its details, such as its name and whether it give anonymously, as necessary.

*Note:* You can view an audit of the edits made to a constituent record. From the constituent record, click **History** under **More information**. The Constituent History page for the record appears. For information about the items on the Constituent History page, see Constituent History on page 193.

> **Edit a household**

1. Open the record of the constituent household to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Under **Tasks**, click **Edit household**. The Edit household screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see Edit Household Screen on page 241.

*Tip:* To access the Edit household screen, you can also click the picture on the constituent record and click **Edit**.

3. Edit the information as necessary.
4. Click **Save**. You return to the constituent record.

**Edit Household Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Edit household screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Edit a Constituent Household on page 241.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Use standard Household name</strong></td>
<td>To use the default name format for households to name the household, select this option.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Screen Item | Description
---|---
**Custom name** | To use a custom name for the household, select this option and enter the name exactly as it should appear throughout the program such as on pages and reports.

**Description** | Enter a description to help identify the household.

**Website** | If the household has a personal website or blog, enter its web address. On the constituent household record, the web address appears as a link to the website.

**Image** | This field displays an image associated with the household, such as a picture of the household. To add an image for the household, click **Choose file**. The Open screen appears so you can browse to and select the image file to use.

To remove an image associated with the household, click **Clear file**.

**Household gives anonymously** | If the household requests to donate anonymously, select this checkbox.

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**Define Recognition Options for a Constituent Household**

For a specific constituent household, you can override the default household recognition options configured in *Administration*.

#### Define household recognition options

1. Open the record of the constituent household with the recognition options to define. For information about how to open a constituent record, see *Constituent Search on page 52*.

2. Under **Tasks**, click **Define household recognition options**. The Define household recognition options screen appears. For information about the items on this screen, see *Define Household Recognition Options Screen on page 244*.
3. Under **Household revenue**, select whether household members receive recognition credit when your organization receives revenue from the household. If you select **Members**, select whether to apply recognition credit to all members or only specific members of the household.

   If you select **Specified members**, define the members to receive recognition credit.
   a. Click **Edit specified members**. The Define household recognition screen appears.
   b. Under **Member**, select the members to receive recognition credit for revenue from the household.
   c. For each member, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.
   d. Click **OK**. You return to the Define household recognition options screen.

4. Under **Member revenue**, select whether to apply recognition credit to the household or its members when your organization receives revenue from a member of the household.

   If you select **Household**, select the type of recognition credit the household receives.
   If you select **Other members**, select whether to apply recognition credit to all members or only specified members of the household.

   If you select **Specified members**, define the members to receive recognition credit.
   a. Click **Edit specified members**. The Define household member recognition screen appears.
b. In the For gifts from field, select the member of the household with revenue for which to define recognition credit.

c. Under Member, select the members to receive recognition credit for revenue from the selected member.

d. For each member, specify the type and percentage of recognition credit to apply.

e. Click Save. You return to the Define household recognition options screen.

5. Click Save. You return to the constituent record.

Define Household Recognition Options Screen

The table below explains the items on the Define household recognition options screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Define Recognition Options for a Constituent Household on page 242.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Screen Item</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Household revenue</td>
<td>To apply recognition credit to household members for revenue received from the household, select Members and select whether to apply recognition credit to all members or only specific members. If you select Specified members, click Edit specified members. On the Define household recognition screen, select the members to receive recognition credit and the type and percentage of recognition credit each receives.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Dissolve or Reinstate a Constituent Household

When a member leaves and the household does not remain intact, such as in the case of divorce, you can dissolve a household. When you dissolve a household, the program marks it as inactive so you can assign its members to other households if necessary. After you dissolve a household, you can view its previous members on the Members tab of its record.

**Note:** You can reinstate a dissolved household, such as if you dissolve the household in error. When you reinstate a household, its status changes from Dissolved to Active. Unless currently members of another household or marked as inactive or deceased, all previous members of the household are automatically reinstated. To reinstate a dissolved household from its record, click **Reinstate household** under Tasks. When a message appears to ask whether to reinstate the household, click Yes.

### Add a Constituent to a Group or Household

From a constituent record, you can add the constituent to a constituent group or household.

**Note:** You can add an individual constituent or a constituent household to a constituent group or household. You can add an organization constituent or a constituent group to a constituent group only.

**Add an individual constituent or a constituent household to a group or household**

1. Open the record of the constituent to add to a constituent group or household. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Under **Tasks**, click **Add Constituent to a group or household**. The Add constituent to group or household screen appears.
3. Search for and select the constituent group or household to which to add the constituent.
4. If you add the constituent to a household and recognize members for revenue from other members, the **Recognize for household gifts** checkbox is enabled. To recognize the constituent for revenue received from other members, select this checkbox.

**Note:** Your organization can configure recognition options for households to specify whether household members receive recognition credit for revenue from other members. For information about how to configure recognition credit for households, see Household Settings on page 26.

5. Click **Save**. The record of the selected constituent group or household appears.

> **Add an organization constituent or a constituent group to a group**

1. Open the record of the constituent to add to a constituent group. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Under **Tasks**, click **Add Constituent to group**. The Add constituent to group screen appears.

3. Search for and select the group to which to add the constituent. For information about the Constituent Search screen, see Constituent Search on page 52.

4. Click **Save**. The record of the selected constituent group appears.

> **Dissolve a household**

1. Open the record of the constituent household to dissolve. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.

2. Under **Tasks**, click **Dissolve household**. The Dissolve household screen appears.

3. In the **Date** field, select the date the household dissolved.

4. In the **Reason** field, select the cause of the dissolution.

**Note:** You must select a reason when you dissolve a household. For information about how to add codes to the Dissolved Reason code table, see the Administration Guide.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the constituent household record. In the summary, a status of **Dissolved** appears. When you search for the household, you must select **Include inactive** on the Search screen for the household to appear in the results.

**Manage Previous Members of a Group or Household**

If you select to maintain members’ history with a constituent group or household, you can view the previous members of the group or household. From the record of the constituent group or household, click **Previous group members** or **Previous household members** under **More information**. The Previous Members page for the constituent group or household appears.

Under **Previous group members** or **Previous household members**, you can view the members removed from the constituent group or household. For each previous member, you can also view the member’s relationship with the primary contact, the dates the member’s relationship with the group or household started and ended, and any comments entered about the member’s removal.
To view the constituent record of a previous member, click the member’s name in the grid. From the grid, you manage the previous members of the constituent group or household.

**Edit a Previous Group Member**

When you remove a member from a constituent group or household and select to maintain the member’s history with the group or household, you can edit the end date or comments entered during the member’s removal.

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the previous membership to edit. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Under More information, click Previous group members or Previous household members. The Previous Members page for the constituent group or household appears.
3. Select the membership to edit and click Edit. The Edit membership screen appears.
4. Edit the end date or comments as necessary.
5. Click Save. You return to the Previous Members page.

**Reinstate a Previous Member**

When you remove a member from a constituent group or household and select to maintain the member’s history with the group or household, you can later reinstate the member.

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the previous membership to reinstate. For information about how to open a constituent record, see Constituent Search on page 52.
2. Under More information, click Previous group members or Previous household members. The Previous Members page for the constituent group or household appears.
3. Select the membership to reinstate.
4. On the action bar, click Reinstate as group member or Reinstate as household member. A message appears to ask whether to reinstate the member.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Previous Members page.

**Delete a Previous Member**

When you remove a member from a constituent group or household and select to maintain the member’s history with the group or household, you can delete the previous membership. When you
delete a previous member from a constituent group or household, you no longer maintain the member’s history with the group or household.

**Delete a previous member from a constituent group or household**

1. Open the record of the constituent group or household with the previous membership to delete. For information about how to open a constituent record, see [Constituent Search on page 52](#).
2. Under More information, click Previous group members or Previous household members. The Previous Members page for the constituent group or household appears.
3. Select the membership to delete.
4. On the action bar, click Delete. A message appears to ask whether to no longer maintain the member’s history with the group or household.
5. Click Yes. You return to the Previous Members page.

**Committees**

To add a committee to the database, you can add a group as the committee or add the Committee constituency to a group. For a committee, you can select whether the group can coordinate events, solicit revenue, or set committee goals—things regular constituent groups cannot do. The Committee record includes basic group information, such as the group summary and group members, as well as committee-specific information such as goals and event tasks.

**Edit Committee**

When a group is a committee, you can edit the committee from the Committee page. From a group with a constituency of “Committee,” click Edit committee under Tasks. For more information, see [Edit Group Screen on page 239](#).

**Goals**

Committees can set fundraising goals or committee goals.

- Fundraising goals are monetary goals, set by committees that can solicit revenue. To specify that a committee can solicit revenue, when you add or edit the committee, select Can solicit revenue and set fundraising goals.
- Committee goals are unit-based, non-monetary goals, such as to recruit a specific number of new members or to achieve a specific number of letters written to change legislation. Committee goals are for committees that can set committee goals. To specify that a committee can set unit-based goals, when you add or edit the committee, select Can set committee goals

After you create these goals, you can use key performance indicators (KPIs) to help track their progress. For information about KPIs, see the [Reports and KPIs Guide](#).
Fundraising Goals

Fundraising goals exist only if the committee can solicit revenue. To specify that a committee can solicit revenue, when you add or edit the committee, select **Can solicit revenue and set fundraising goals**. With fundraising goals, you can track the committee's progress toward raising a specified amount. On the Committee tab of the Committee record, select the Fundraising Goals tab to manage the fundraising goals of the committee.

Under **Fundraising goals**, you can add and manage the monetary goals of the committee. For each goal, you can create a key performance indicator (KPI) to track its progress. When you select a goal with a KPI, the KPI appears. When the group is listed as a solicitor on revenue, the program automatically tracks the sum of the revenue as progress toward the goal.

**Add a fundraising goal**

1. On the record of a group with a constituency of Committee, select the Committee tab, and then select the Fundraising Goals subtab.

   **Note:** The Fundraising Goals tab appears for committees that can solicit revenue. To specify that a committee can solicit revenue, when you add or edit the committee, select **Can solicit revenue and set fundraising goals**.

2. Under **Fundraising goals**, click **Add goal**. The Add a goal screen appears.
3. Enter a unique name to help identify the goal.
4. In the **Goal** field, enter the monetary amount the committee should raise.
5. Select the start and end dates for the period of time the group should work to accomplish the goal.
6. Enter a description for the fundraising goal.
7. Click **Save**. You return to the Fundraising Goals tab.

**Edit a fundraising goal**

1. On the record of a group with a constituency of Committee, select the Committee tab and then the Fundraising Goals subtab.
2. Under **Fundraising goals**, select the goal to edit.
3. On the action bar, click **Edit goal**. The Edit goal screen appears.
4. Edit the information about the goal.

   **Note:** You cannot manually edit the progress toward the goal. When the group is listed as a solicitor on revenue, the program automatically tracks the sum of the revenue as progress toward the goal.
5. Click **Save**. You return to the Fundraising Goals tab.
Delete a fundraising goal
You can delete a fundraising goal for a committee, such as if it no longer applies. When you delete a fundraising goal, you do not affect the revenue counted toward the goal. However, the goal and its progress no longer appear on the Committee Fundraising and Giving report for the committee.
To delete a fundraising goal, from the constituent record of the committee, select the Committee tab and then the Fundraising Goals subtab. Under Fundraising goals, select the goal you want to delete and click Delete on the action bar. When a message appears to ask whether to delete the goal, click Yes.

Committee Goals
Committees can have goals that are not monetary in nature, such as a goal for a total number of letters in a letter-writing campaign. Committee goals exist only if the committee can set non-monetary committee goals. To specify that a committee can set unit-based goals, when you add or edit the committee, select Can set committee goals.
On the Committee Goals tab within the Committee tab, you can manage the non-monetary goals of the committee.

Add a committee goal
1. On the record of a group with a constituency of Committee, select the Committee tab, and then select the Committee Goals subtab.

   Note: The Committee Goals tab appears for committees that can set committee goals. To specify that a committee can set these goals, when you add or edit the committee, select Can set committee goals.

2. Under Committee goals, click Add goal on the action bar. The Add a goal screen appears.
3. Enter a unique name to help identify the goal, such as “New volunteer recruitment.”
4. In the Goal field, enter the value the committee should achieve. For example, for volunteer recruitment, a goal could be 100.
5. Select the type of goal to set for the committee, such as Advocacy or Volunteer recruitment.
6. Select the start and end dates for the period of time the group should work to accomplish the goal.
7. Enter a description for the committee goal.
8. Click Save. You return to the Committee Goals tab.

Edit a committee goal
1. On the record of a group with a constituency of Committee, click Committee under View as. The Committee page appears.
2. Select the Committee Goals tab.
3. Under Committee goals, select the goal to edit.
4. On the action bar, click **Edit goal**. The Edit goal screen appears.

5. Edit the information as necessary.

   **Note:** To update the progress toward the goal, select the goal on the Committee Goals tab and click **Update progress** on the action bar.

6. Click **Save**. You return to the Committee Goals tab.

**Update progress toward a committee goal**

On the Committee record, you can update the committee’s progress toward a committee goal. On the Committee Goals tab within the Committee tab, select the goal and click **Update progress** on the action bar. On the Update goal progress screen, enter the new value to indicate the committee’s progress, such as the number of letters for a letter-writing campaign.

**Delete a committee goal**

You can delete a committee goal for a committee, such as if it no longer applies. When you remove a goal, its progress no longer appears on the Committee Fundraising and Giving report for the committee.

To delete a committee goal, from the constituent record of the committee, select the Committee tab and then the Committee Goals subtab. Under **Committee goals**, select the goal and click **Delete** on the action bar. When a message appears to ask whether to delete the goal, click **Yes**.

**Events**

The Events tab appears within the Committee tab for committees that can manage events. To specify that a committee can manage events, when you add or edit the committee, select **Can coordinate events**. On the Events tab within the Committee tab, you can add the events that the committee helps coordinate.

**Note:** On an event record, you can add the committee as a coordinator on the Tasks/Coordinators tab.

**Add a Committee as an Event Coordinator**

If a committee helps coordinate or plan an event, you can add the event to the committee. When you add an event to a committee, the committee appears as an event coordinator on the Tasks/Coordinators tab on the event record and an event summary appears on the Events tab within the Committee tab of the Committee record.

From the Committee record, you can add a committee as the coordinator of an existing event. On the Events tab within the Committee tab, click **Add** under **Events**. On the Add committee as event coordinator screen, search for the event to assign to the committee as a coordinator and select whether the committee is the primary coordinator for the event. To return to the Events tab, click **Save**.
Remove an Event from a Committee

If a committee is no longer a coordinator for an event, you can delete the event from the committee. When you delete the event from the committee, you do not delete the event from the database. You only remove it from the committee.

To remove a event, from the Committee record, select the event on the Events tab within the Committee tab and click **Delete** on the action bar. When a message appears to ask whether to delete the event, click **Yes**.
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Special recognition programs and levels, which you define, can be awarded to constituents for accumulating recognition credits totaling minimum level amounts.

Note: Recognition programs and levels are based on recognition credits for qualified transactions, not on the actual revenue transactions. If a constituent makes a donation and the spouse receives recognition credit, the spouse may be eligible for the recognition program and level even though the payment is from another constituent.

Recognition programs have levels with a required minimum gift amount. The recognition level is achieved after one or more gifts from the constituent total the minimum amount. For example, a recognition program may have multiple levels. If Mark Adamson gave one or more gifts totaling $1500, he would qualify for the Bronze Level. If he gave another gift of $1500, bringing his total giving to $3000, he would qualify for the Silver Level.

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<td>Bronze Level</td>
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<td>Silver Level</td>
<td>$2500</td>
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<tr>
<td>Gold Level</td>
<td>$5000</td>
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Note: When you set up the levels for the recognition program, you determine what types of revenue, such as event registrations or donations, are included in the calculations.

Recognition Programs: The Big Picture

1. Create a recognition program.

First, you must create a recognition program and levels. For details, see Recognition Programs on page...
2. Configure a constituent recognition process.

Next, you must configure a constituent recognition process to automatically assign constituents into specific recognition programs and levels based on their giving. For details, see Constituent Recognition Process Tasks on page 261.

3. Run the recognition process.

Then, you can run the constituent recognition process. You can do this manually or you can set up the process to run automatically. For details, see Run a constituent recognition process on page 262.

4. Report or query on constituents.

After the recognition process runs, you can query or report to see which constituents are in the different programs and levels. Be sure to let them know and thank them!

Programs and Levels

Recognition programs and levels are based on recognition credits for qualified transactions, not on the actual revenue transactions. If a constituent makes a donation and the spouse receives recognition credit, the spouse may be eligible for the recognition program and level even though the payment is from another constituent.

Recognition programs include levels that define requirements for awarding recognition levels for constituents. For example, recognition program levels require a minimum amount for inclusion. The recognition program and level is achieved after the sum of qualifying recognition credits is calculated.

**Note:** You run a recognition business process to calculate recognition credit amount totals and assign the appropriate recognition levels for constituents. For information about this process, see Constituent Recognition Process Tasks on page 261.

When you create a recognition program, on the Program tab, you enter basic information for the program, such as name and expiration. On the Recognition Criteria tab, you select recognition criteria requirements for the program. This includes a maximum gift amount. Constituents in the program cannot donate a single gift more than the maximum amount for recognition in the program. For example, the maximum gift amount for the program is $10,000 and a constituent donates a single gift of $15,000. The constituent does not receive recognition in the program.

After you create a recognition program, you create recognition levels for the program. Recognition levels further define revenue requirements for a constituent, based on minimum amounts per level.
Constituents who donate and receive recognition credit for less than the minimum amount will not be awarded that recognition program and level. For example, for the President’s Club recognition program, a total gift amount of $1000 with recognition credit earns the Bronze level, $2500 earns the Silver level, and $5000 earns the Gold level.

Recognition Programs

With recognition programs, you can evaluate and recognize giving from your constituents. You can create different recognition programs, such as an annual donor wall. When your organization no longer uses a recognition program, you can mark it inactive. To view and manage your recognition programs, from Constituents, click Recognition programs. The Recognition Programs page appears.

▸ Add a recognition program

1. From Constituents, click Recognition programs. The Recognition Programs page appears.
2. Under Recognition programs, click Add. The Add a recognition program screen appears.
3. Enter a name and description for the recognition program.

4. Select the type of constituent giving recognized by the program, such as Annual giving or Lifetime giving.

   Your selection affects other fields on the screen. If you select Lifetime giving, the expiration and cutoff information is disabled.

5. In Limit program to, select the types of constituents eligible for the program. For example, if the program applies to individuals only, select Individuals. You must select at least one type.

6. For the Expiration date, select the date to use to calculate the expiration for the recognition program.

   - To expire the program on December 31, select "End of calendar year."
   - To expire the program on the last day of the fiscal year, select "End of fiscal year."

7. To establish a cutoff date for the program expiration date, select the checkbox.

8. Enter the month and day for the cutoff day. This provides additional recognition time for constituents in the program near the expiration date. For example, you enter 09/01 for the cutoff
date. When a constituent joins on or after September 1, the recognition program expires December 31 of the next calendar year.

9. Select the Recognition Criteria tab.

![Add a recognition program]

10. Select the date when the program should begin to recognize transactions and the corresponding recognition credits.

11. Enter the maximum amount to recognize with the program. For an annual program with lower levels that you use to cultivate and encourage newer donors, you might not want to include gifts over $5000. The larger amounts from donors may be recognized in a different way, more personal way by your organization. If a constituent gives more than one gift, he might be qualified for a level in a recognition program only if the gift does not exceed the maximum recognition amount.

12. In Filter designations by, to recognize revenue toward only specific designations, search for and select the applicable designations.

13. Under Transaction and application types, select the types of revenue transactions and
applications to recognize with the program.

*Note:* Recognition programs and levels are based on recognition credits for qualified transactions, not on revenue transaction amounts.

14. You can include or exclude recognition credit types. To include a new recognition credit type, for **Available recognition credit types**, click the button. You can then select the credit types to include.

15. To include an unspecified recognition credit type, select the **Include recognition credits without specified type** checkbox.

16. In the Additional revenue selection field, you can limit your results to transactions which match the criteria on the Recognition Criteria tab AND are included in a specified revenue selection.

17. Click **Save**.

**Edit recognition programs**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Recognition programs**. The Recognition Programs page appears.

2. Under **Recognition programs**, select the program to edit and click **Edit**. The Edit a recognition program screen appears.

3. Enter a name and description for the recognition program.

4. When you edit a recognition program, you cannot change the **Type**.
   
   The type of program affects other fields on the screen. If the **Type** is Lifetime giving, the expiration and cutoff information is disabled.

5. When you edit a recognition program, you cannot change the **Limit program to** options.

6. For annual programs, set the **Expiration date**.
   
   - To expire the program on December 31, select "End of calendar year."
   - To expire the program on the last day of the fiscal year, select "End of fiscal year."

7. To establish a cutoff date for the program expiration date, select the checkbox.

8. Enter the month and day for the cutoff day. This provides additional recognition time for constituents in the program near the expiration date. For example, you enter 09/01 for the cutoff date. When a constituent joins on or after September 1, the recognition program expires December 31 of the next calendar year.

9. To edit the recognition criteria for the program, go the Recognition Criteria tab of a recognition program page and click **Edit** under Recognition credit criteria or under Filter designations by. For more information, see **Edit recognition criteria or designations for a recognition program on page 258**.

10. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition Programs page.

**Edit recognition criteria or designations for a recognition program**

1. On the recognition program record, select the Recognition Criteria tab.

2. The Recognition Criteria tab applies to the overall recognition program, not the individual
recognition levels.

3. To edit the recognition criteria for the program to recognize, click **Edit** under **Recognition credit criteria**.

4. Enter the maximum amount to recognize with the program. For an annual program with lower levels that you use to cultivate and encourage newer donors, you might not want to include gifts over $5000. The larger amounts from donors may be recognized in a different way, more personal way by your organization. If a constituent gives more than one gift, he might be qualified for a level in a recognition program only if the gift does not exceed the maximum recognition amount.

5. In **Filter designations by**, to recognize revenue toward only specific designations, search for and select the applicable designations.

6. Under Transaction and application types, select the types of revenue transactions and applications to recognize with the program.

   Recognition programs and levels are based on recognition credits for qualified transactions, not on revenue transaction amounts.

7. You can include or exclude recognition credit types. To include a new recognition credit type, for **Available recognition credit types**, click the button. You can then select the credit types to include.

8. To include an unspecified recognition credit type, select the **Include recognition credits without specified type** checkbox.

9. In the Additional revenue selection field, you can limit your results to transactions which match the criteria on the Recognition Criteria tab AND are included in a specified revenue selection.

10. Click **Save**. You return to the Recognition Criteria tab.

11. To edit the designations for the program, click **Edit** under **Filter designations by**. The Edit designation filters screen appears.

12. Select the designations to use to recognize revenue recognition credits.

13. Click **Save**.

### Recognition Levels

Each recognition program includes recognition levels such as a Gold, Silver, and Bronze level. Each level is designated by a minimum gift amount.

> **Add a recognition level**

1. On the recognition program record, select the Recognition Levels tab.

2. Under **Recognition levels**, click **Add**. The Add a recognition level screen appears.
3. Enter a unique name and description to help identify the level.

4. To help categorize constituents within the level, select the tier of the program to associate with the level, such as Regular or Premiere.

   Note: Tiers are set up in the Membership > Reporting group code table in Administration. They can be associated with membership levels, as well as with recognition program levels.

5. In the Minimum recognition amount field, enter the minimum amount a constituent must donate for recognition at this level.

6. Click Save. The record of the recognition level appears.

> Edit basic recognition level information

1. On the Recognition Levels tab of a recognition program record, you can select a level and click Edit. The Edit recognition level screen appears.

2. You can edit the name and description for the level.
3. To help categorize constituents within the level, select the tier of the program to associate with the level, such as Regular or Premiere.

   **Note:** Tiers are set up in the Membership > Reporting group code table in Administration. They can be associated with membership levels, as well as with recognition program levels.

4. In the **Minimum recognition amount** field, enter the minimum amount a constituent must donate for recognition at this level.

5. Click **Save**. The record of the recognition level appears.

**Edit benefits and minimum amounts for a recognition level**

1. On the Recognition Levels tab of the recognition program record, click the name of the level to edit. The recognition level page appears.

2. To edit the benefits that constituents at the recognition level receive, on the Benefits tab, click **Edit**. The Edit benefits screen appears. You can add or change a benefit, quantity, unit value, or details. The **Total value** is automatically calculated with the **Quantity** number multiplied by the **Unit value** amount. For example, if you enter 2 in the **Quantity** column and $5 in the **Unit value** column, $10 defaults in the **Total value** column. This column is disabled and cannot be changed.

3. Click **Save**.

4. To edit the minimum recognition amounts for the level, on the Minimum Recognition Amounts tab for the level, select the amount and click **Edit**. The Edit recognition minimum amount screen appears. You can edit the **Minimum recognition amount** and, if applicable, the **Planned giving amount**.

5. Click **Save**.

**Recognized Donors**

On the Recognized Donors tab of each recognition program page, you can view a list of donors that have been awarded membership to the program.

**Constituent Recognition Process Tasks**

To automatically assign recognition levels to constituents, use constituent recognition processes. When you set up and run a constituent recognition process, the program calculates the sum of all qualifying recognition credit amounts for a constituent to assign the highest recognition level the constituent has achieved. The process runs based on recognition program criteria you select.

**Note:** Recognition programs and levels are based on recognition credits for qualified transactions, not on the actual revenue transactions. If a constituent makes a donation and the spouse receives recognition credit, the spouse may be eligible for the recognition program and level even though the payment is from another constituent.

To manage your constituent recognition processes, from Constituents, click **Constituent recognition processes**. The Constituent Recognition Processes page appears. For each process, you can view its name and the selection of recognition programs it includes.
Add constituent recognition process

1. From Constituents, click Constituent recognition processes. The Constituent Recognition Processes page appears.
3. Enter a name and description to help identify the process.
4. To use the process to assign levels for only specific recognition programs, in the Selected programs field, search for the selection of programs to include. You can also create a new Recognition Program query if the one you want does not exist.
5. In the Initial status field, select whether the recognition programs assigned to constituents from the process are considered active or pending. You should set this field to "Active." If you set the field to "Pending" and run the process, any constituents who qualify will be assigned recognition programs and levels with a status of "Pending." You would have to manually change these statuses on each constituent.
6. Click Save. You return to the Constituent Recognition Processes page.

Run a constituent recognition process

After you add or edit the constituent recognition process, you run the process to assign recognition programs and levels to constituents. When you run this process, the program calculates the sum of all qualifying recognition credit amounts for a constituent to assign the highest recognition level the constituent has achieved for that date.

Note: After you run a recognition process runs, if you re-run it, it will only "recalculate" recognition levels if new revenue/recognition credits have been added for a constituent.
1. From Constituents, click Constituent recognition processes. The Constituent Recognition Processes page appears. Select the process and click Start process. The Run constituent recognition process screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a constituent recognition process screen.

![Run constituent recognition process](image)

2. To use the process to assign levels for only specific recognition programs, in the Selected programs field, search for and select the selection of programs to include.

3. In the Initial status field, select whether the recognition programs assigned to constituents from the process are considered active or pending. You should set this field to "Active." If you set the field to "Pending" and run the process, any constituents who qualify will be assigned recognition programs and levels with a status of "Pending." You would have to manually change these statuses on each constituent.

4. To assign recognition programs and levels to constituents as of a specific date, select the date to use. You can enter the current date if you want to count recognition credits added for constituents today.

5. Click Start. After the process completes, you can view the process status information on the process page.
A constituent tribute is a form of constituent recognition. With tributes, you can indicate to recognize a donation to your organization in relation, or tribute, to someone else. Examples of tributes include In memory of, In honor of, In recognition of, or On behalf of. You can associate each revenue record with one or multiple tributes.

On the Tributes page, you can view the tributes in your database. To access this page, select Constituents, Tributes from the navigation bar. Under Tributes, you can view and manage constituent tributes. For each tribute in the grid, you can view its text, tributee, creation date, active status, and default designation.

To help find a specific tribute, you can filter the tributes that appear. On the action bar, select the criteria of the relationship to view and click Apply. You can select to view only tributes of a specific type or those created within a specific time frame. You can also select whether to display inactive tributes in the grid. To remove the filter criteria and view all active tributes in the grid, click Reset on the action bar.
From the grid, you can add and manage tributes and select to view additional information about a tribute or the constituent recognized by a tribute. From the Tributes page, you can also perform tasks to search for or manage tributes in your database.

Add Tributes

From the constituent record, you can add a tribute for a constituent.

Add a tribute

1. From Constituents, click Tributes. The Tributes page appears.

   Tip: You can also add a tribute for a constituent from the Tributes tab of a constituent record. For information about the Tributes tab, see Tributes on page 192.

2. Under Tributes, click Add on the action bar. The Add a tribute screen appears.

3. Select the type of tribute to add, such as “In honor of.”

4. In the Tributee field, search for and select the constituent to recognize with the tribute.

   Tip: You do not have to select a tributee. For example, if you add the tribute in memory of an individual related to the selected constituent, you do not need to create a new constituent record for the deceased individual. When you add a tribute from the Tributes tab of a constituent record, the constituent's name automatically appears in the Tributee field.

5. In the Name format field, select the name format to use to address the selected tributee.
6. In the **Tribute text** field, enter the message to use with the tribute. To use the selected tribute type, tributee, and name format to automatically generate the message, click **Create tribute text**.

7. In the **Default designation** field, click the binoculars and use the Designation Search screen to select the designation to which to apply revenue received through the tribute.

8. In the **Default tribute letter** field, select the tribute letter to send to the tributee when your organization receives revenue through the tribute. If you do not select a tributee, you cannot select a default letter.

9. Click **Save**. You return to the Tributes page.

**Add a Tribute Screen**

The table below explains the items on the Add a tribute screen. For information about how to access this screen, see **Add Tributes on page 265**.

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<td>Tributee</td>
<td>Search for and select the constituent to recognize with the tribute. For information about the search screen, see <strong>Constituent Search on page 52</strong>. When you add a tribute from the Tributes tab of a constituent record, the constituent’s name automatically appears in this field.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Name format</td>
<td>Select the name format to use to address the selected tributee.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tribute text</td>
<td>Enter the message to use to recognize the tributee with the tribute. To automatically generate the message based on the selected tribute type, tributee, and name format, click <strong>Create tribute text</strong>.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Default designation</td>
<td>Search for and select the designation to which to automatically apply revenue received through the tribute.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Default tribute letter</td>
<td>Select the tribute letter to send to the tributee when your organization receives revenue through the tribute. You can select a tribute letter only if you have selected a tributee.</td>
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**Edit a Tribute**

After you add a tribute for a constituent, you can edit it as necessary.

**Edit a tribute**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Tributes**. The Tributes page appears.
2. Under **Tributes**, select the tribute to edit.

3. On the action bar, click **Edit**. The Edit tribute screen appears. The items on this screen are the same as the Add a tribute screen. For information about the items on this screen, see **Add a Tribute Screen on page 266**.

4. Edit the information as necessary.

5. Click **Save**. You return to the Tributes tab.

### Delete a Tribute

After you add a constituent tribute, you can delete it from the Tributes page before users apply gifts to the tribute.

**Tip:** If gifts are applied to the tribute and you no longer want to use the tribute, you can make the tribute inactive. For more information, see **Mark a Tribute as Inactive or Active on page 267**.

#### Delete a constituent tribute

1. From **Constituents**, click **Tributes**. The Tributes page appears.

2. Under **Tributes**, select the tribute to delete.

3. On the action bar, click **Delete**. A message appears to ask whether to delete the tribute.

4. Click **Yes**. You return to the Tributes page. The tribute is deleted from the database. Under **Tributes**, the tribute no longer appears.

### Mark a Tribute as Inactive or Active

To retain information about a tribute that your organization no longer uses, you can make the tribute inactive in the database. Inactive tributes remain on the Tributes page for record keeping purposes, but users cannot apply future donations to the tribute. The program automatically excludes inactive tributes from tribute searches. To search for an inactive tribute, you must first select **Include inactive tributes** on the Tribute Search screen.

After you mark a tribute as inactive, you can mark it as active again if necessary.

#### Mark a tribute as inactive

1. From **Constituents**, click **Tributes**. The Tributes page appears.
**Tip:** To mark a tribute as inactive from its record, click **Mark inactive** under **Tasks.** For information about the tribute record, see **Tribute Record on page 268.**

1. Under **Tributes**, select the tribute to mark as inactive.
2. On the action bar, click **Mark inactive**. A message appears to ask whether to mark the tribute as inactive.
3. Click **Yes**. You return to the Tributes page. To view the tribute in the grid, select **Include inactive tributes** on the action bar.

**Mark a tribute as active**

1. From **Constituents**, click **Tributes**. The Tributes page appears.

**Tip:** To mark a tribute as active from its record, click **Mark active** under **Tasks.** For information about the tribute record, see **Tribute Record on page 268.**

2. On the action bar, select **Include inactive tributes** and click **Apply**.
3. Under **Tributes**, select the tribute to mark as active.
4. On the action bar, click **Mark active**. A message appears to ask whether to mark the tribute as active.
5. Click **Yes**. You return to the Tributes page. In the **Is active** column, a check mark appears for the tribute.

**Go to Tributee**

From the Tributes page, you can access the constituent record of a tributee. The tributee is the constituent recognized by the tribute.

Under **Tributes**, click the name of the tributee. The tributee’s constituent record appears. To view or manage the tributes for the constituent, select the Tributes tab.

For information about the items on the record, see **Constituent Records on page 43.**

**Tribute Record**

To view information about the acknowledges or revenue associated with a tribute on the Tributes page, you can access its record. To view the record of a tribute from the Tributes page, click the tribute text under **Tributes.**

**Tip:** To find a specific tribute, you can perform a tribute search. From the Tributes page, select Tasks, Search for a tributes from the menu bar or click Search for a tribute under Tasks on the explorer bar. For information about how to search for a tribute, see **Tribute Search on page 270.**

From the tribute record, you can perform tasks to manage the tribute.

To help you navigate through the tribute information, the record has multiple tabs.
Acknow ledgees

Acknowledgees are the constituents to notify when a donation is made toward the tribute. To view or manage the acknowledgees of a tribute, select the Acknowledgees tab of the tribute record.

Under Acknowledgees, you can view the constituents to notify when your organization receives revenue toward the tribute and the tribute letter to use with each. From the grid, you can view and manage the acknowledgees associated with the tribute.

Edit Acknowledgees

From the Acknowledgees tab of a tribute record, you can add or edit acknowledgees associated with the tribute.

Edit acknowledgees for a tribute

1. Open the record of the tribute with the acknowledgees to edit. For information about how to open a tribute record, see Tribute Search on page 270.
2. Select the Acknowledgees tab.
4. In the Acknowledgee column, select each constituent to receive a letter when your organization receives a donation toward the tribute. To search for a constituent, click the binoculars and use the Constituent Search screen.
5. In the Tribute letter column, select the letter to send each acknowledgee.
6. Click Save. You return to the Acknowledgees tab. Under Acknowledgees, the selected constituents appear.

Go to an Acknowledgee

From the Acknowledgees tab of a tribute record, you can access the constituent record of an acknowledgee. The acknowledgee is a constituent to notify when your organization receives a donation toward the tribute.

To access an acknowledgee’s constituent record from the Acknowledgees tab, click the name of the acknowledgee under Acknowledgees. For information about the items on the record, see Constituent Records on page 43.
Revenue

To view the revenue received toward a tribute, select the Revenue tab of the tribute record.

Under Revenue, you can view the revenue transactions received toward the tribute. For each transaction, you can view the constituent and date of the transaction, its tribute amount, and its transaction type.

From the grid, you can access the record of a transaction to view additional information. For information about how to access the record of a tribute transaction, see Go to Transaction on page 270.

Go to Transaction

From the Revenue tab of a tribute record, you can access the revenue record of a donation made toward the tribute. Under Revenue, click the tribute amount. The revenue record appears.

For information about revenue records, see the Revenue Guide.

Tribute Search

After you add a tribute to the database, you can use the Tribute Search screen to access the tribute's record. When you search for a tribute record, you can make the search broad or specific, depending on the criteria you select. To get the results you need, we recommend you be selective in your search criteria and use detailed information such as tribute text, tributee, or acknowledgee.

➢ Search for a tribute

1. From the Tribute Search screen, enter the search criteria to use, such as tribute text and tributee information, to find the tribute record. To match the search criteria exactly as entered, select Match all criteria exactly.

   **Tip:** If you do not select Match all criteria exactly, you can use “wildcard” characters in place of parts of search criteria, such as if you are unsure of an exact spelling. To replace a group of characters, use an asterisk (*) or percent sign (%). To replace a single character, use a question mark (?) or an underscore (_). For example, to return all tributes that have tributees with a last name that ends with “son” such as Johnson and Williamson, enter “*son” or “%son” as the tributee last name. To find the last name of Smith or Smyth, enter “Sm?th” or “Sm_th”.

2. Click Search. The program searches the database for tributes that match the search criteria entered. Under Results, the tributes that match the criteria appear. Depending on the search criteria you enter, the search may return one tribute or many.

3. Under Results, click the text of the tribute to open.

   The tribute record opens. For information about the items on the record, see Tribute Record on page 268.
Tribute Search Screen

The table below explains the items on the Tribute Search screen. For information about how to access this screen, see Tribute Search on page 270.

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<td>Tribute type</td>
<td>Select the type of tribute to find, such as In honor of, In memory of, or In recognition of.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Date created</td>
<td>Select the date your organization added the tribute to the database.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Default designation</td>
<td>Enter the designation to which revenue received through the tribute automatically applies.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tributee last/org name and</td>
<td>Enter the name of the constituent recognized by the tribute. You can enter an entire name or only the beginning letters. For example, if you</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tributee first name</td>
<td>enter &quot;Sm&quot;, all names that begin with Sm appear, such as Smith and Small. Names are not case-sensitive, so you can enter Smith, Smith, or SMITH to return constituents named Smith.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tributee lookup id</td>
<td>Enter the lookup id of the constituent recognized by the tribute. You can enter the entire ID or only the beginning digits. For example, if you</td>
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<tr>
<td>Acknowledgee last/org name</td>
<td>Enter the name of the constituent notified when your organization receives a donation toward the tribute. You can enter an entire name or only the</td>
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<td>and Acknowledgee first name</td>
<td>beginning letters. For example, if you enter &quot;Sm&quot;, all names that begin with Sm appear, such as Smith and Small. Names are not case-sensitive, so you can enter Smith, Smith, or SMITH to return constituents named Smith.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Include inactive tributes</td>
<td>To include tributes marked as inactive in the search, select this checkbox.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Match all criteria exactly</td>
<td>To use search criteria exactly as entered, select this checkbox. If you select this checkbox, wildcard characters do not work and instead return only the</td>
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<tr>
<td>Results</td>
<td>When you click Search, this grid displays the tributes that match the search criteria entered. For searches that return more than 100 tributes, only the first 100 appear.</td>
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Add Tribute Letters

Your organization sends a tribute letter to acknowledgees when you receive donations toward a tribute. For example, when your organization receives a donation toward the tribute In memory of Alan Mendes, you send a tribute letter to his wife, Alice, to let her know Mary Frank sent a donation in memory of Alan. For information about acknowledgees, see Acknowledgees on page 269.
To add a tribute letter from the Tributes page, click **Add tribute letter** under **Tasks**. The Add a tribute letter screen appears. On this screen, you can enter a unique name and description to identify the letter and select the Microsoft Word template and output format to use to generate the letter.

You can also add a tribute letter from the Acknowledgements page in Revenue. For information about how to add a tribute acknowledgement letter, see the Communications Guide.

### Manage Tribute Types

From the Tributes page, to manage the types of tributes your organization uses, such as In honor of, In memory of, or In recognition of, click **Manage tribute types** under **Tasks**. The Tribute Type Table Entries page appears.

Under **Tribute Type table entries**, the options in the code table for the **Tribute type** field appear. For each table entry, you can view whether the tribute type is active. To display inactive tribute types in the field, on the action bar, click **Filter**, select **Include inactive?**, and click **Apply**. From the grid, you can add and manage the code table entries for the **Tribute type** field.

For information about how to manage code table entries, see the Administration Guide.
Constituent Reports

You can generate several reports for a constituent, such as a constituent profile report and reports about constituent tributes.

Constituent Profile Report

In a constituent profile report, you can select to include an assortment of detailed constituent information. A constituent profile can be helpful, such as to present a constituent summary to your board members or solicitors. To access the report from a constituent's record, click Constituent profile under Reports.

**Note:** To access the report from Constituents, click Constituent profile report under Reports. To access a constituent profile report from Analysis, click Constituent reports and then Constituent profile. The Constituent Search screen appears so you can search for the constituent to profile.

On the Constituent Profile page, You can select the information about the constituent to include in the report. The information available depends on the type of constituent selected, such as individual or household. You can also select which categories of information about the constituent to include in the profile. To update the report with the selected information, click View report.

**Note:** You cannot select a checkbox if its information category does not appear on the constituent record.
Constituent Recognition Credit Report

To view recognition credit information for a selected group of constituents, generate the Constituent Recognition Credit Report. For example, to prepare to create the Honor Roll list at the end of the month, run the Constituent Recognition Credit Report to correctly recognize constituents for the recognition type of Honor Roll.

For each constituent in the report with recognition credit, the Constituent Recognition Credit Report displays the constituent name, constituent type, and primary address. The report also displays a sub-report that lists the recognition type, the effective date, and the recognition amount associated with recognition credit. The sub-report also displays the donor name for the revenue associated with recognition credit.

When you run a Constituent Recognition Credit Report, filter by specific selections to narrow the data that appears in the report.
Filters for the Constituent Recognition Credit Report include:

- **Include** - To filter by a specific constituent query selection based on criteria you defined, click the binoculars to search for the selection. Depending on your security rights and system role, you can add and edit queries.
- **Date** - To narrow the results, select the date range for which to view constituent recognition credit information.
- **from** - To narrow the report by a specific date range, click the calendar icon to select a start date.
- **to** - To narrow the report by a specific date range, click the calendar icon to select an end date.
- **Recognition type** - Select a recognition credit type to filter the report. For example, select Spouse.

When you generate a report, you can use the toolbar buttons to modify how you view the report. The toolbar buttons are common to all reports.

For more information about the report toolbar, see the General Features Guide.

➤ **View the Constituent recognition credit report**

1. From Constituents, click Constituent recognition credit under Reports. The Constituent Recognition Credit Report screen appears.
2. Click Include and select the records to include. Select All records, Selected records, or Specific record. If you select Selected records or Specific record, in the field that appears, search for the constituent selection or record to include.
3. Enter the date range to filter the report.
   - In the Date field, select a date for which to view constituent recognition credit information.
   - If, in the Date field, you select Specific date, select the date for which to view constituent recognition credit information. The report will display information only for the selected date.
4. In the Recognition type field, select a recognition type to filter the report. For example, select Spouse.
5. Click View Report. The program generates and displays the report.
6. To close the report and return to the previous page, on the shell toolbar, click the Back button.

**Tribute Reports**

From the Tributes page, you can generate constituent tribute reports. A constituent tribute is a form of constituent recognition. With tributes, you can indicate whether to recognize a donation to your organization in relation (or tribute) to someone else.

**Constituent Tributes Report**

The Constituent Tributes Report displays the tributes associated with selected constituents. For each constituent, the name appears and whether the constituent is active or deceased. The report also
displays the constituent’s primary address and all tributes associated with the constituent. For each tribute, the report provides the tribute text, whether the tribute is active, the date the tribute was created, how the constituent is associated with the tribute (tributee or acknowledgee), and the total revenue applied to the tribute. From the report, you can click a constituent’s name to go to the constituent record and click the tribute text to go to the tribute record.

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To access the report from the Tributes page or Constituents, click Constituent tributes under Reports. The Constituent Tributes report page appears. At the top of the report, click Include and select whether to include all records, selected records, or a specific record. If you select Selected records, click search for and select the selection of records to use. If you select Specific record, search for and select the constituent. You can then select a tribute date and tribute type. After you define the parameters for the report, click View report.

Note: To access the Constituent Tributes Report from Analysis, click Tribute reports and then Constituent tributes.

You can print the report or save the report as an Excel spreadsheet or Acrobat PDF file.

Tribute Revenue Report

The Tribute Revenue Report displays the revenue records applied to selected tributes. For each tribute, the tribute text, tributee, whether the tribute is active or inactive, the date created, and the total revenue applied to the tribute appears. For each tribute, the report displays the donors for the tribute, revenue types, revenue dates, and revenue amounts. From the report, you can click a constituent’s name to go to the constituent record and click the revenue type to go to the revenue record.
The Tribute Revenue Report displays the revenue records applied to selected tributes. For each tribute, the tribute text, tributee, whether the tribute is active or inactive, the date created, and the total revenue applied to the tribute with and without Gift Aid appears. For each tribute, the report displays the donors for the tribute, revenue types, revenue dates, and revenue amounts with and without Gift Aid. From the report, you can click a constituent’s name to go to the constituent record and click the revenue type to go to the revenue record.

To access the report from the Tributes page, click **Tribute revenue** under **Reports**. The Tribute Revenue report page appears.

**Note:** To access the Tribute Revenue Report from Analysis, click **Tribute reports** and then **Tribute revenue**.

At the top of the report, click **Include** and select whether to include all records, selected records, or a specific record. If you select Selected records, search for and select the selection of tributes to include. If you select Specific record, search for and select the tribute. You can then select a date or date range and type of the tribute or appeal and designation of the revenue transaction. Once you define the parameters for the report, click **View report**.

You can print the report or save the report as an *Excel* spreadsheet or *Acrobat* PDF file.

### Industry Analysis Reports

The industry segmentation reports provide basic information about individuals or organizations grouped by industry, along with giving totals. You can use these reports to analyze giving trends by industry and target future solicitations.

### Individual Industry Segmentation Report

The Individual industry segmentation report provides basic information about constituents grouped by industry. The report includes a breakdown for comparison of constituent giving and organization. A
constituent could show up under different industries in the report, if the individual is associated with multiple organizations. You can use this report to analyze giving trends by industry and target future solicitations.

From Analysis, click Constituent reports, then Individual industry segmentation. Select whether to include all individuals or only selected individuals, and click View Report.

![Individual Industry Segmentation Report](image)

Organization Industry Segmentation Report

The Organization industry segmentation report provides basic information about organizations grouped by industry. The report includes a breakdown for comparison of organization size, giving, and number of employees who are also constituents. You can use this report to analyze giving trends by industry and target future solicitations.

From Analysis, click Constituent reports, then Industry segmentation. Select whether to include all organizations or only selected organizations, and click View Report.

![Organization Industry Segmentation Report](image)
Committee Fundraising and Giving Report

The Committee fundraising and giving report is available for committees that can solicit revenue. It provides revenue information about how much the committee has raised as a solicitor along with how much they have given themselves (as individual committee members and as the committee). In the giving summary for the group members, additional information about the group members is shown, such as group membership dates. If the committee has goals or helps coordinate events, that information is also included.

From the record of a group with a constituency of Committee, click Committee under View as. The Committee page appears. On this page, click Committee fundraising and giving report under Reports.

Recognition Program Reports

Recognition program reports analyze data about recognition programs. Use the Recognition Revenue Report to display revenue transaction details and use the Recognition Count Report to generate a list of constituents.

Recognition Revenue Report

The Recognition Revenue Report displays revenue transaction details for a recognition program in a time frame that you specify.

View the Recognition Revenue Report

1. From Constituents, click Recognition Programs. The Recognition Programs page appears.
2. Under Reports, click Recognition revenue. The Recognition Revenue report screen appears.
3. Select a recognition program to include in the report.
4. In the Date field, select a time period for the recognition revenue information.
   If you select Specific date, enter the date range for the report.
5. Click View report.
View the Recognition Statistics Comparison Report


2. In the This period field, select a current time period for the report.
   If you select “Specific date,” enter a start date and end date for the current time period.

3. In the Last period field, select a past time period for the report.
   If you select “Specific date,” enter a start date and end date for the past time period.

4. In the Program field, select a program to use for the report results.

5. In the Group by field, select to group report results by channel or activity. You must select a group option.

6. To refresh the data and view the report, click Refresh.

7. To close the report and return to the previous page, on the shell toolbar, click the Back button.

Recognition Count Report
To generate a list of constituents in a recognition program, generate the Recognition Count Report. You can select to group report results by recognition type or level.

View the Recognition Count Report

1. On the Recognition Programs page, click Recognition count under Reports. The Recognition Count report screen appears.
2. In the **Date** field, select a time period for the recognition count.
   If you select Specific date, enter a date range for the report.
3. Select the recognition program to include in the report.
4. In the **By** field, select whether to calculate the count by a monthly, quarterly, or yearly interval.
5. In the **Group by** field, select whether to display the results by recognition type or level.
6. To refresh the data and view the report, click **View report**.