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Your weekly dose of support!

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Support Announcements

iPass Support

Our offices will be closed on Monday, May 29, 2017, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

Support requests still may be logged, and will be responded to in the order in which they are received, by using one of the below methods:

Email: <u>support@harriscomputer.com</u> **eSupport:** support.harriscomputer.com

Normal operations will resume on Tuesday, May 30, 2017.

iPass Releases & Updates

Patch Release - 7.0.20170517_sync

A patch release went out May 17 and included corrections for scheduling and SIF SSDR. Please refer to the Release Notes for full details. iPass Help > iPass Patch Release Notes > Patch Release Notes - 7.0.20170517_sync.

iPass Tips & Tricks

Queries Available for Download

The following queries are helpful this time of year. They are available to download from iPass Help > My Queries > Query Files for Download:

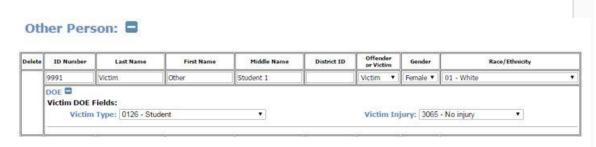
- Access to Future Student Schedules This query report shows a list of all
 iPass users and the teacher names that have access to view future student
 schedules. When you have District Configuration set to show Current and Prior
 Schedules only, this is helpful to see who has access to see the future
 schedules.
- Access to Future Teacher Schedules This query report shows a list of all iPass users and the teacher names that have access to view future teacher schedules.
- <u>Next Year Homeroom</u> This query report shows Students with Next Year's Homeroom, Teacher's Name, and Next Year's Grade Level.
- <u>NEW: Student Grades All Terms</u> This query report shows Student's Term and Final Grades for the entire year.

MA EPIMS – SIF Job Types

The Support Team has posted recommendations for selecting the "SIF Job Type" based on the Career record Job Type used for Legacy EPIMS Job Classifications (WA07). This information is posted in iPass Help > SIF > Help > SIF Job Type Codes.

MA SIF SSDR - Important Update

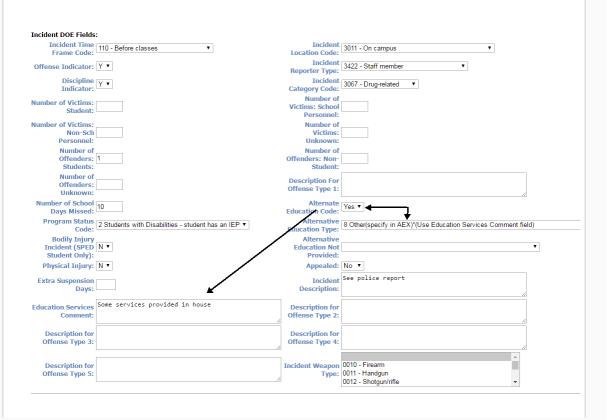
When reporting nameless victims, you need to fill out the Victim DOE Fields. After entering the "nameless" victim, click on the DOE + symbol to open up the Victim DOE fields and fill in the Victim Type and Victim Injury.

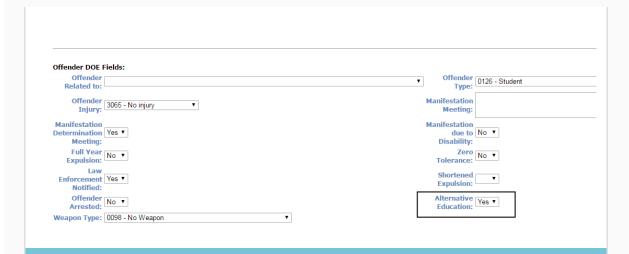


For more detail, go to iPass Help > SIF > Help > <u>SIF SSDR: Reporting Victims Without Identifying Name</u>.

iPass FAQs

- Q. MA SIF SSDR: Why am I receiving the "SSDR6545 Educational Services code (AE) is required" error when Education Services Indicator (AEINC) equals Y?
- A. There is an additional Alternative Education field in the SIF Offender DOE Field section that may not be selected. Both the Alternative Education Code field under the Incident DOE fields AND the Alternative Education field under Offender DOE fields must be selected with matching codes. The additional Offender DOE fields will display below the Incident Offender fields when "Is this student an Offender of Victim?" at the top of the Behavior Record is set to Offender.





Upcoming Events & Workshops

Pennsylvania User Group Meetings

Laura Patton, iPass Support Manager, will be holding User Group Meetings for our Pennsylvania sites next month:

iPass Pennsylvania User Group Meeting – Charter Schools

June 8, 2017

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (light refreshments will be provided) Bethlehem Harris Schools Solutions Office

1660 Valley Center Parkway

Suite 500

Bethlehem, PA 18017

iPass Pennsylvania User Group Meeting – Public Schools

June 12, 2017

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (light refreshments will be provided)

Bethel Park Harris Schools Solutions Office

1008 Progress Court

Bethel Park, PA 15102

Topics will include:

- End-of-the-Year Procedures Review steps for setting up the new school year (2017-2018), finishing the current school year (2016-2017), and rolling the database over to the new school year.
- Round table discussion Opportunity to share how each site is using iPass and what features are available.

 Q&A Session – Opportunity to find out anything you need to know or wanted to ask.

To register for this free event, send an email to Laura Patton at lpatton@harriscomputer.com with the name of all iPass users who plan to attend.

Summer – Elementary Scheduling Workshop

We are finalizing the details for the summer iPass Elementary Scheduling Workshop. Keep an eye out in our weekly emails for an announcement of the date and time of this one-day workshop.

This workshop will be pertinent for the person(s) responsible for creating and maintaining the master schedule and students schedules at the elementary level. The Elementary Scheduling Workshop will cover:

- Rolling over last year's schedule
- Changing teacher/room assignments for 2017-2018
- Assigning homerooms to students
- Assigning homerooms to teachers
- Setting up the elementary Quick Scheduler
- Mass loading students into courses

Cost: \$250 per person

iPass Add Ons

Harris School Solutions Now Offering Edsby Platform!

Great news! We've partnered with Edsby to offer their cuttingedge social learning and analytics system to you across several of our solutions! Click here to find out more.



Add online registration.

Currently, iPass is offering a FREE license to the online registration tool, *EZSchoolEnroll*.



With EZSchoolEnroll, you can:

- Centralize registration.
- Collect important DOE language survey information.
- Save clerical time by enabling parents to add/remove/update their contact and emergency contact information.
- Verify data before bringing it into your SIS.
- Fully integrate it all with iPass!

Schedule your EZSchoolEnroll demo today!

EZSchoolEnroll

Enhance iPass with better communication.

School Rush! is the real-time, classroom-level communication app that increases parent engagement by up to 90%.



With School Rush!, you can:

- Make getting involved easier for parents.
- Organize events, activities, assignments, and more into an integrated calendar.
- View analytics on parent interactions to see what's working.
- Fully integrate with iPass!

Schedule your School Rush! demo today!

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Professional Services

Does your school district need professional development in iPass?

Do you have new initiatives that may require the purchase of a third-party software product? Meet with a Harris Professional Services expert and see how iPass can meet your needs. Harris offers several third-party products that are designed to integrate with iPass, including *EZSchoolEnroll* and *School Rush!*.

<u>Click here</u> to schedule an appointment for a complimentary business review.

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