Apricot Modifying Forms



Meet Your Trainer

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Learning Objective

Review best practices making changes to existing Forms in Apricot so that Administrators can make informed decisions when updating the system design.



Agenda

Adding New Fields Removing Fields Replacing Fields **Testing Your Design**

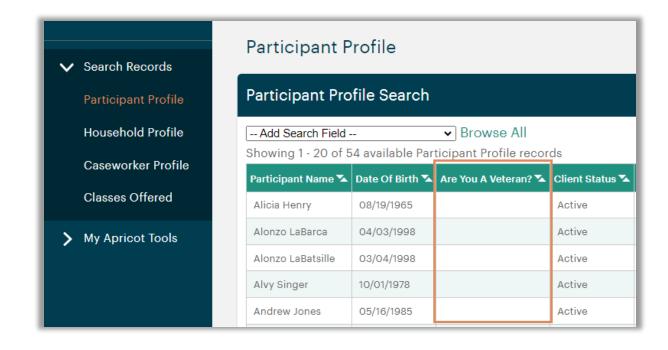


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 - Must publish changes to use



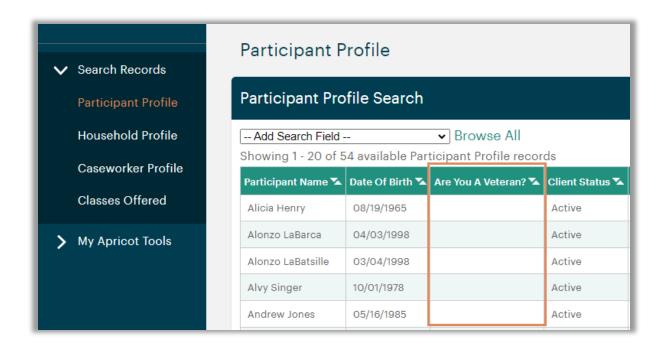


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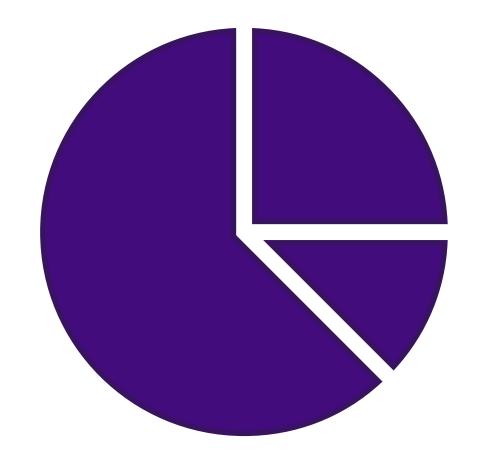


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- Fields will be unanswered for existing records
 - Update manually
 - Use Import Tool
 - Report on the field from publish date forward



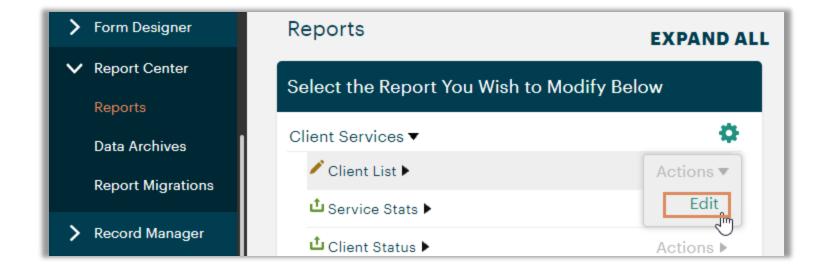


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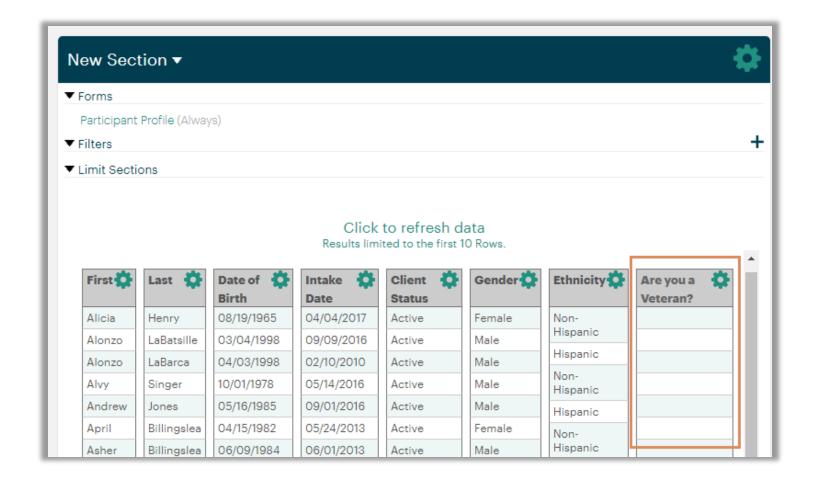


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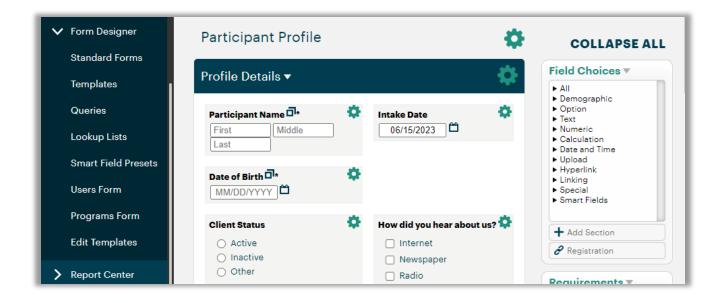
- Does NOT impact existing reports
- Edit report to include new field
- Existing records will have blank values





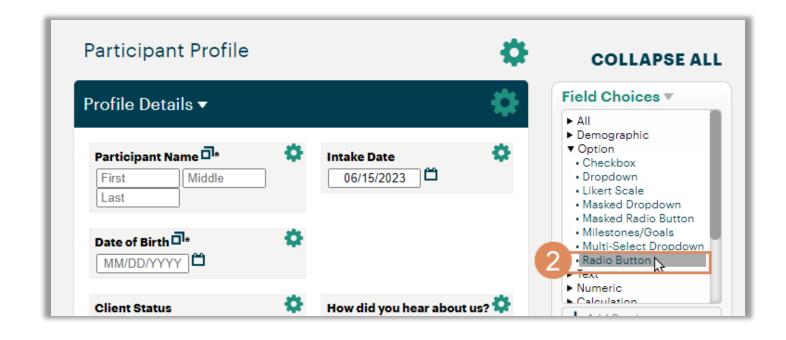
<u>Steps</u>

Open the Form in the Edit View



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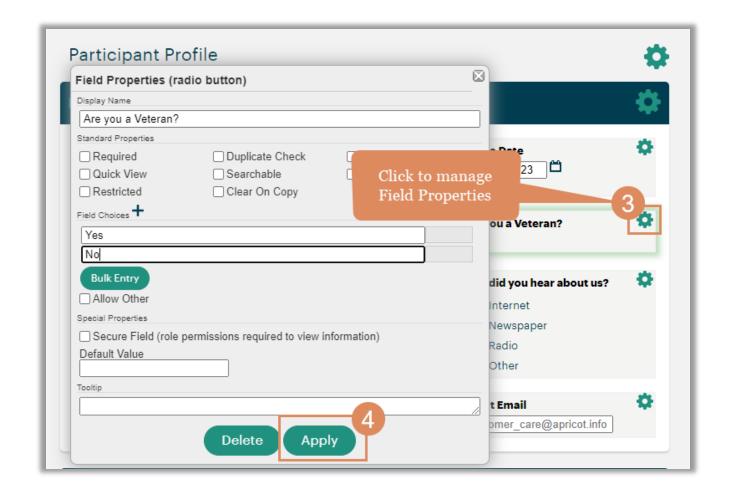
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- Choose the appropriate Field Choice





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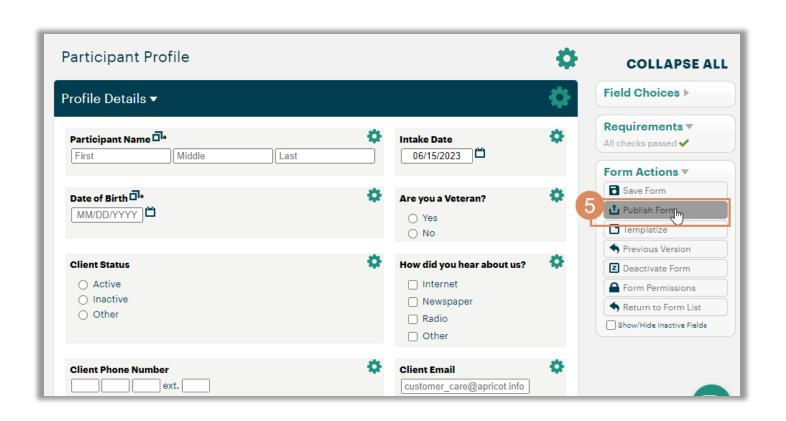
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- Choose the appropriate Field Choice
- Manage the Field Properties
- Click Apply





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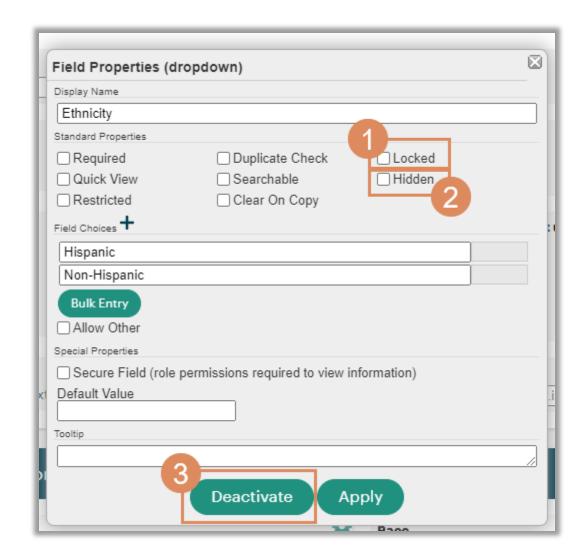
- Open the Form in the Edit View
- Choose the appropriate Field Choice
- Manage the Field Properties
- Click Apply
- Publish Changes





3 options:

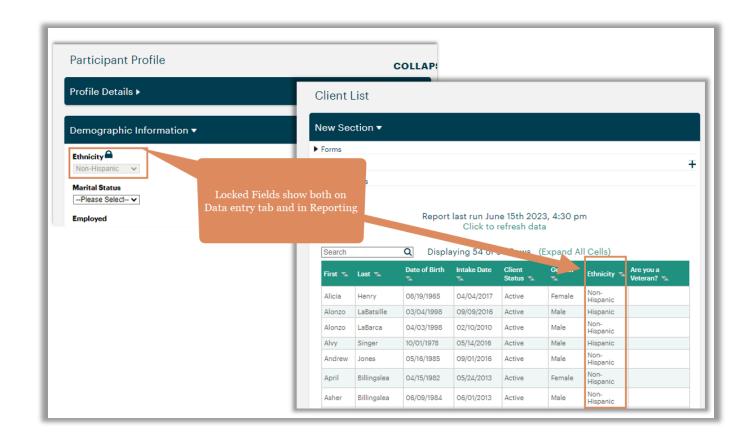
- Lock
- Hide
- Deactivate





When to use each option:

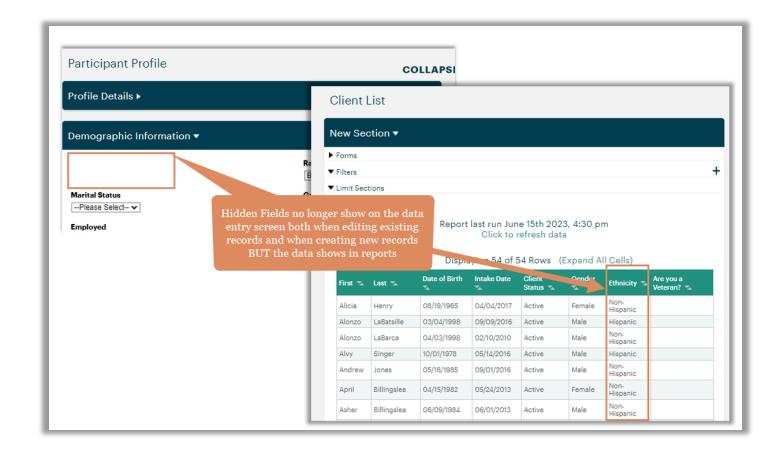
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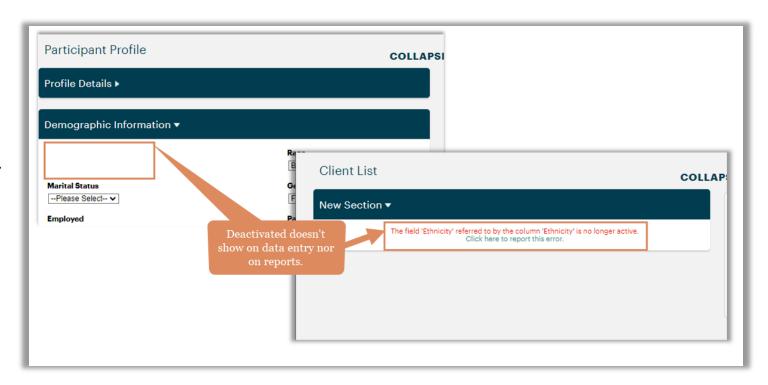
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- Hide shows on reports only





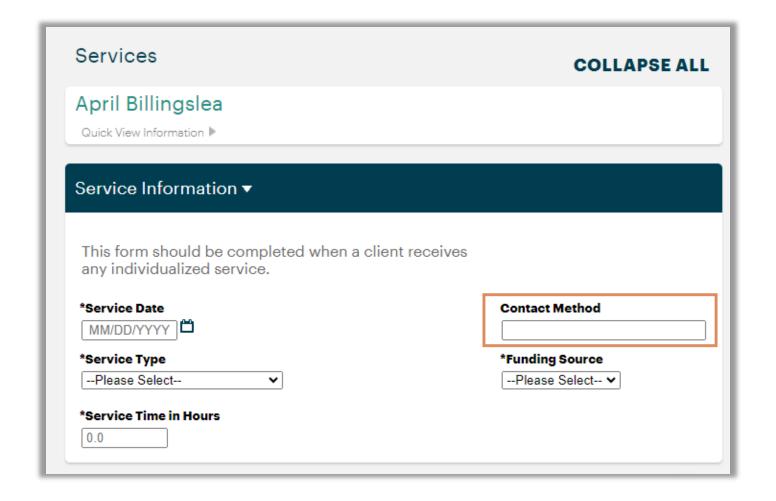
When to use each option:

- Lock shows on data entry & reports
- Hide shows on reports only
- Deactivate **not** visible on data entry nor reports
 - Remove field from reports first



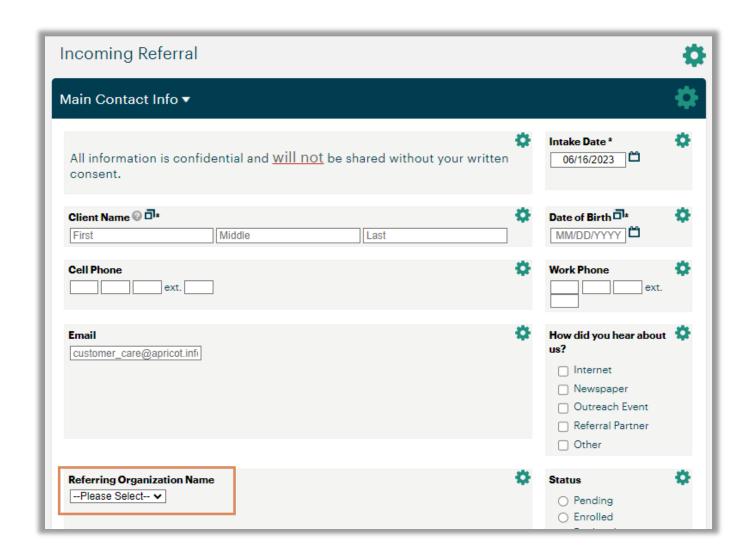


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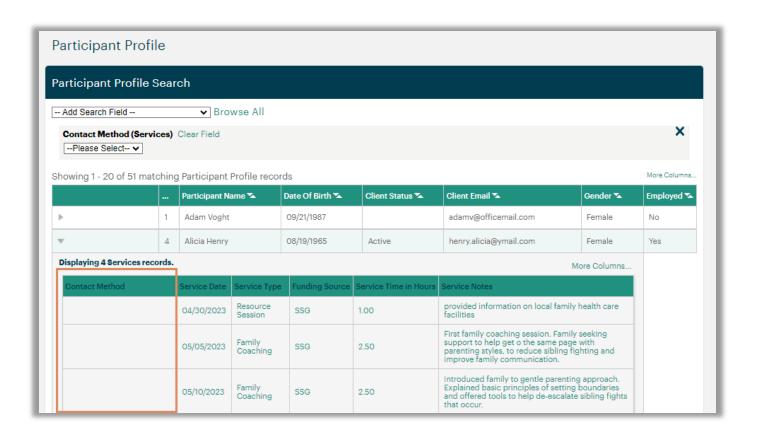


- Change formatting of field
- Replace with more optimal Fields



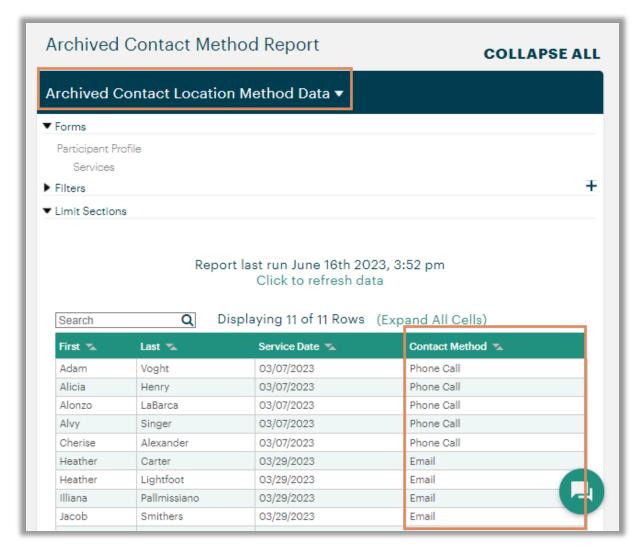


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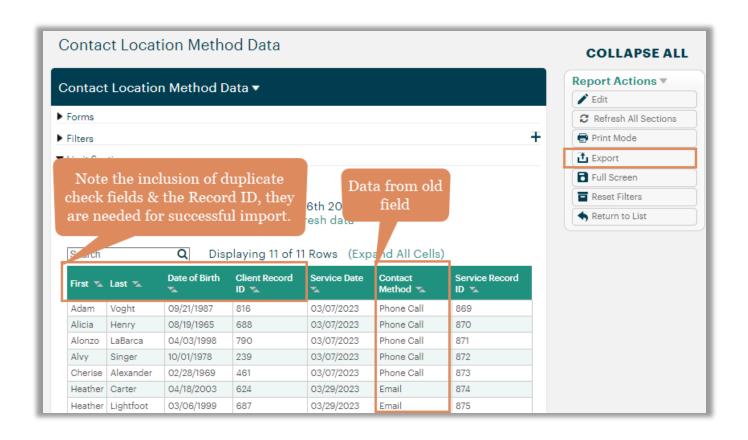




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OR

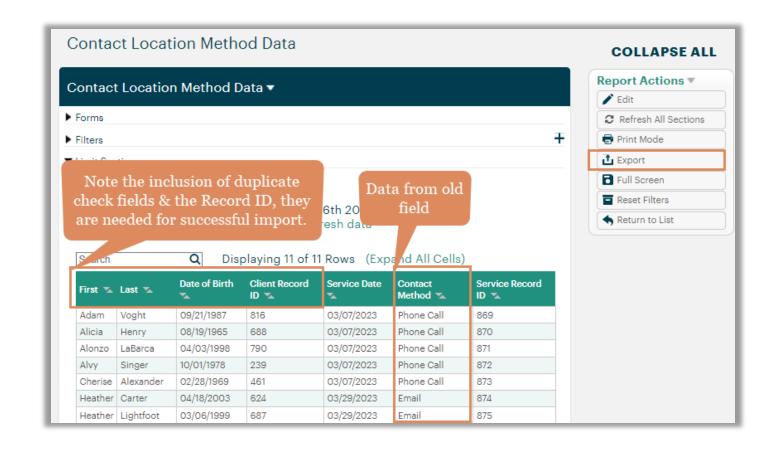
- Run a Report to export existing data to Excel.
 - Use Import Tool to upload existing data into new field.





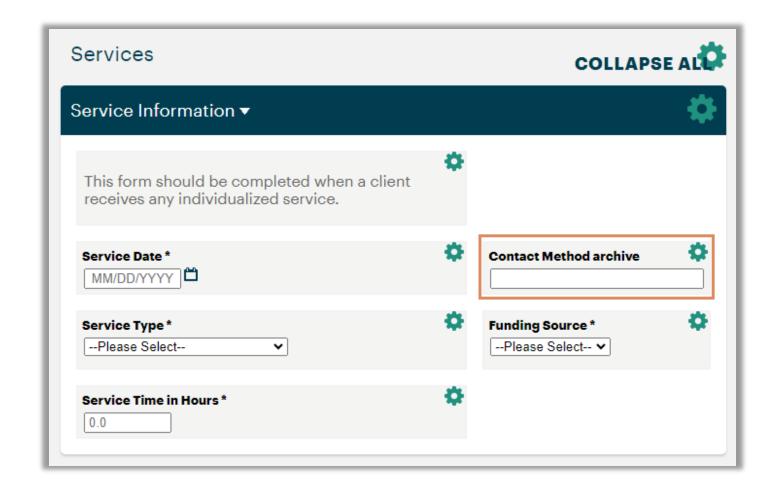
Steps to Replace Fields:

 Export current Data (optional)*



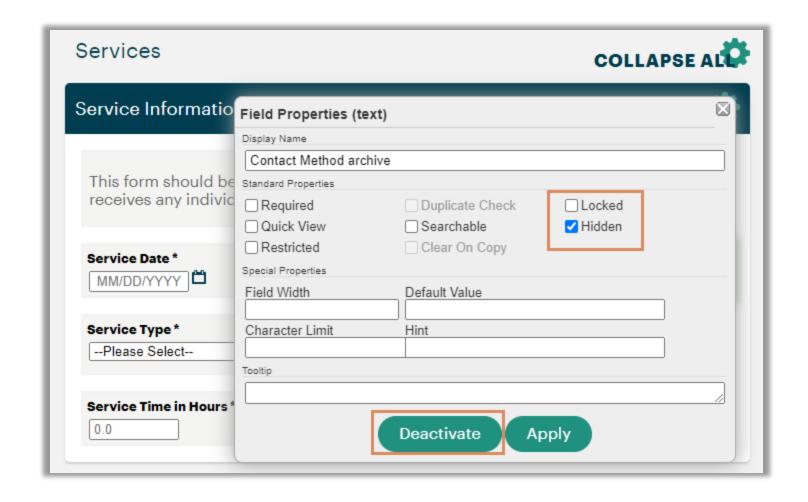


- Export current Data (optional)*
- 2. Rename the field you plan to remove.



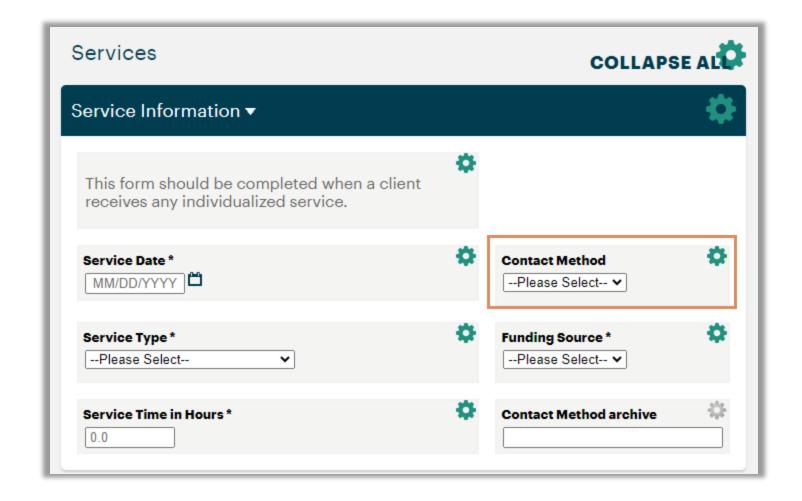


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- 3. Remove the old field (Lock, Hide, or Deactivate)



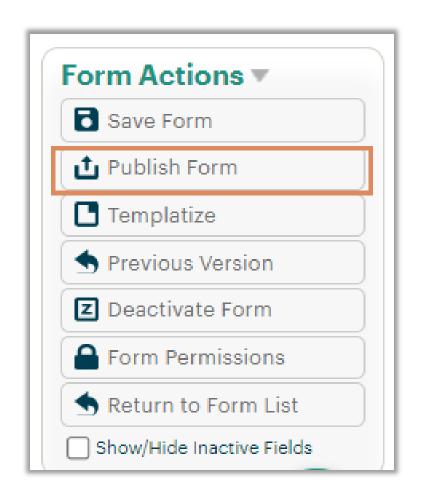


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- 4. Add new field



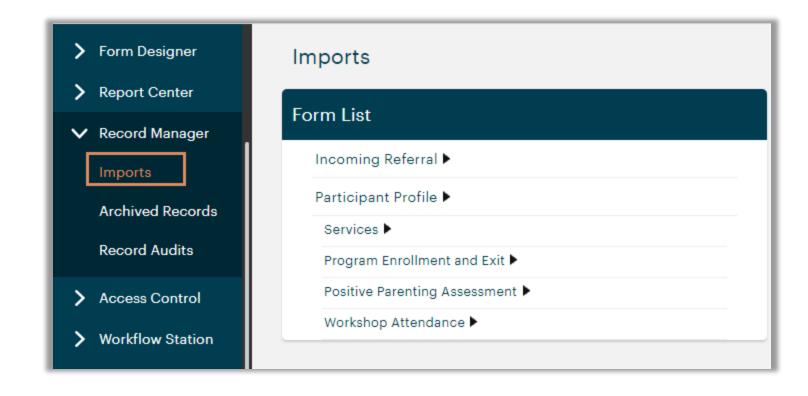


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- 5. Publish Form





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- 6. Import original records into new field (optional)*





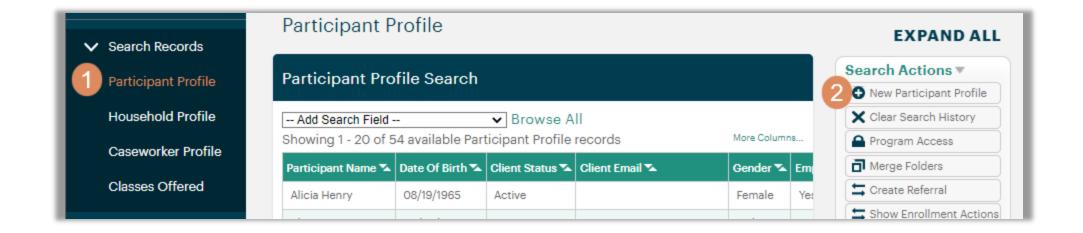
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Open Data Entry Tab

Create a Fake Record





Additional Resources



Additional Training Opportunities

- Knowledge Base How-To Articles (Search Chat or Visit Online)
- Bonterra Academy Free Webinars & Recordings
- <u>Foundations</u> Intensive, Multiday Courses to Cover Admin Basics
- Admin Labs 2 Hour Live Trainings on Specific Capabilities
- Private Training 1:1 Sessions with Training Expert in Your Apricot (End User & Admin Topics Available)



Build confidence & knowledge in our software!



Customer Support

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Q & A

- Ask questions about functionality covered in this training
- Ask trainer to redo a demo
- Ask real-life application questions
- Or sign off and we will see you in the next training!



Thank you for attending!

We hope to see you in future trainings.

