

Axon Records and Standards September 2024 release notes

These release notes describe all user-facing changes that will be included in the next Axon Records and Standards releases, along with advance notice of major upcoming features, updates, and applications.

There are two releases scheduled for September:

- September 4, 2024
- September 17, 2024

Releases begin rolling out at 11 AM Pacific time and may continue through the following day. We do not expect any downtime during these updates. Please note that availability is subject to change. Depending on the complexity and amount of items included in a release, some items in these notes may not be available until two days after the release.

Additional help documentation for Axon Records and Standards is located at axon.com/help. Do you have feedback about Axon's release notes? Submit it [here](#).

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Records preview release

This section includes information about upcoming features and updates that are available for testing in training environments. These are beta features, and all functionality may not be fully present or completely reliable.

Case Management

The following feature will be available on **September 4, 2024**. Contact your Axon representative to have it activated in your agency's training environment.

- Case Task inboxes now have a new tabbed interface to help you manage tasks more efficiently. The inbox organizes tasks as follows:
 - **To Do** (default): Tasks that need your immediate action
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Records general release

This section includes information about upcoming features and updates that are available in all production environments.

Report Writer

The following update will be applied to the production environments of all agencies on **September 17, 2024**.

- When searching to add a person to a report, you'll now see flag names displayed on profile cards. Previously, a flag was indicated by a simple alert icon.

- Now, if you have a report open in multiple browser tabs and attempt to edit it, you'll see a warning message. This message alerts you that you must close all other tabs the report is open in before continuing to work on the report.

New Name
▼ ACTIONS

Search for existing person

LAST NAME Smith		FIRST NAME J		
DOB	ALIAS	ID (SSN, DL, ETC.)	RACE	SEX
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Select an existing person to add to the report

4 MNIs found.

Smith, Jim

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+ NEW PERSON

Search

The following feature will be available for all agencies to use in their production environments on **September 4, 2024**. Contact your Axon representative to have it activated for your agency.

- Now, when you export a CSV file of search results, each report within an event will appear on its own row. The Event ID, Report ID, and all other report details appear in each report's row.

The following feature will be available for all agencies to use in their production environments on **September 4, 2024**:

- Now, in People Search, you can use the **Match Preferences > Include old profile versions** filter to search for information from old, merged profiles. This helps you find historical data that isn't shown in the current profile.

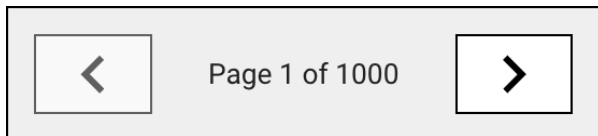
- To view complete information from old profiles, open a profile from the search results and select **Actions > View merged duplicates**.
- For example, you believe a person used to be named Barney Stinson but their name has changed. To find this person, you can use this filter and search for their old last name. Your search results show this person's current profile, in which their name is Barney Smith. However, in the highlighted portion of the search result, you can see that your search "matched on" their old last name of Stinson.

Profiles

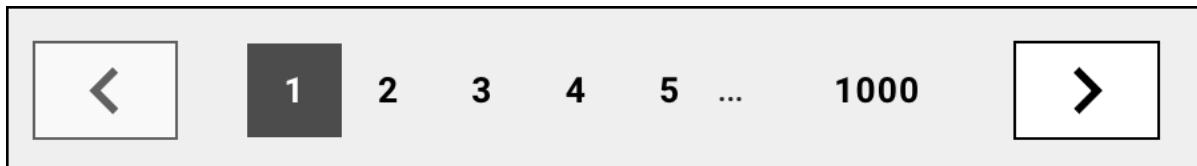
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The following feature will be available for all agencies to use in their production environments on **September 4, 2024**. Contact your Axon representative or [Axon Support](#) to have it activated for your agency.

- Case documentation, including case tasks, case documents, and case summaries, now appear as clickable links on search results in People, Organization, and Vehicle Search. In a future update, this functionality will be extended to Incidents and Events Search. Case documentation also now appears in the Associations section of Person, Organization, and Vehicle profiles.

- To ensure data privacy and security, only authorized users can open these links and view the documentation. This authorization is based on unit inbox privileges: users can only see case documentation for the units they have access to. If a user who does not have the required unit privileges tries to open one of these links, they will see a message informing them that they have insufficient privileges.
- Your agency can be configured instead so that these links only appear for users who have the required unit privileges to view the documents. For example, if a user has Homicide inbox privileges, they will see case documentation links for Homicide cases. They won't see case documentation links for Robbery cases, or for any other unit they don't have privileges for.
 - Contact your Axon representative to have this feature activated for your agency.

Records resolved Issues

This section includes information about upcoming bug fixes and resolved issues that will be released to all production environments.

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NIBRS

This section includes information about upcoming updates and bug fixes for NIBRS validation rules, errors, and submissions.

Arkansas Agencies

The following update has been applied to the production environments of all agencies:

- The **Ethnicity** field is now required on Arrestee, Offenders, and Victim roles for persons associated with a NIBRS offense.

Ohio Agencies

The following update has been applied to the production environments of all agencies:

- A validation rule was implemented to prevent users from adding duplicate Ohio Revised Code (ORC) offenses. This update also removes the guardrail on non-NIBRS offenses.

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Search

Note

The update in this section will only be applied for agencies using the new search experience. Contact your Axon representative to have this new experience activated for your agency.

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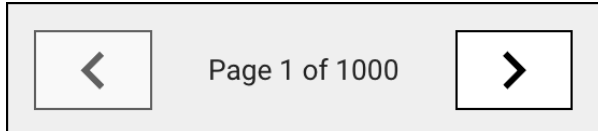
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Records DataStore

This section includes information about upcoming changes to the Records DataStore.

Upcoming deprecations

The following columns will be deprecated from `axon.Cases` on **September 17, 2024**. To access this data, perform a Join between `axon.Cases` and `axon.Incidents`.

- `UCRDisposition`
- `ClearanceDate`
- `ClearedExceptionally`

The following fields in `axon.MissingPersons` view will be deprecated on **October 1, 2024**.

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| • <code>LocationExternalId</code> | • <code>PantsSkirtBrand</code> |
| • <code>PossibleDestinationLocationExternalId</code> | • <code>SocksBrand</code> |
| • <code>CautionCode</code> | • <code>SocksColor</code> |
| • <code>LastContactedAt</code> | • <code>UnderwearBrand</code> |
| • <code>Location</code> | • <code>UnderwearColor</code> |
| • <code>PossibleDestination</code> | • <code>UnderwearSize</code> |
| • <code>CityOfBirth</code> | • <code>BodyPiercingBrand</code> |
| • <code>StateOfBirth</code> | • <code>GlassesBrand</code> |
| • <code>PrimaryAggressor</code> | • <code>GlassesColor</code> |
| • <code>AvailableIdentifyingDocumentsPhoto</code> | • <code>HotDeskPersonNotified</code> |
| • <code>Clothing</code> | • <code>HotDeskDate</code> |
| • <code>CoatJacketVestBrand</code> | • <code>ReportCreatedAt_Indexed_UTC</code> |
| • <code>ShirtBlouseBrand</code> | • <code>ReportUpdatedAt_Indexed_UTC</code> |
| • <code>ShirtBlouseSize</code> | |

September updates

There are no updates for the Records DataStore this month.

Standards DataStore

This section includes information about upcoming changes to the Standards DataStore.

Upcoming deprecations

There are no upcoming deprecations scheduled for Axon Standards.

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Change log

The table below contains a log of all changes made to these release notes.

Date	Product	Description of change
29 August 2024	Records & Standards	Initial notes created
30 August 2024	Records & Standards	Case Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added resolved issue for case information. Added preview of evidence categorization and tagging. Added preview of case task due date changes.
03 September 2024	Records & Standards	Case Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The new tabbed interface feature was moved to Preview. Report Writer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Release date for profile flags update changed.
16 September 2024	Standards	Report Writer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updated the profile flags feature to apply to both Records and Standards.
17 September 2024	Records & Standards	Case Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed the feature for adding roles to entities because it won't be available until a later release.
18 September 2024	Records & Standards	Case Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed the categorizing and tagging digital evidence preview feature because it won't be available until a later release.
25 September 2024	Records	Property Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed the Recovered By feature because it won't be available until a later release. Records DataStore <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed the Call for Service views update because these views won't be available in the Records DataStore until a later release. Standards DataStore <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed the Standards Cases views update because these views won't be available in the Standards DataStore until a later release.
26 September 2024	Records & Standards	Case Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed update for changing case task due dates because it won't be available until a later release.

If you have any questions about the information in this release, contact your Axon representative or Software Support.

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Sincerely,

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