

LASER 1.3.0 Future Enhancements

Automatic Backup

LASER 1.3.0 does not include an automatic backup of the database. It is strongly recommended that users select 'YES' when presented with the decision message asking if they would prefer to backup their data. This message will be presented each time a user exits the application and will include the location in which the backup files are being stored. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

User Guide (v1.3.0)

When upgrading to LASER 1.3.0 the updated User Guide will not be installed with the application as with prior releases. To obtain the most current version of the LASER User Guide please visit the following QTSO webpage: <https://www.qtso.com/laser.html>. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

Print Assessment Report

1. When the maximum number of characters allowed (75) is entered for the Facility Name, the Facility ID and State Code will not appear in the report header. The display format is as follows: Facility Name – Facility ID – State Code.

Facility information may be viewed on the Facility screen, Patient screen OR within each individual assessment for verification of the Facility ID and State Code as needed. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

2. Items which have been marked as 'not assessed' will be displayed on the LASER Print Assessment Report however there will NOT be a clear differentiation between items which have been marked 'YES'; display of these items will be identical.

To verify responses which were marked as 'not assessed' open the assessment using the 'view only' option. An LTCH Assessment Print report may also be requested via CASPER to obtain details regarding the assessment items submitted for a select Assessment ID. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

Assessment Event Tracking Report

When an assessment is deleted from LASER, the Assessment Event Tracking Report does not list the event to indicate that it was deleted. Once deleted the history of the record is also deleted; prior associated events would no longer be available.

Users are not required to delete assessments from LASER. It is recommended that users maintain assessments in the LASER database for internal record keeping purposes. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

Import Status Report

In the event that a duplicate patient is found during the import process the user will receive a message indicating which criteria set was used to complete the matching process. This functionality is working properly in identifying duplicate patients however, the import status report is stating a criteria set one match (SSN, Date of Birth, Facility ID, Last Name, First Name, Gender, State ID) versus criteria set four (SSN, Date of Birth, Gender, State ID). This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.

508 Accessibility Information (Patient Screen)

When 508 accessibility features are enabled users have the option to select Alt + J to display an informational pop-up message which describes the Patient screen. The pop-up message displayed identifies the action to add a patient assessment using the incorrect short-cut key. The message instructs users to 'Use Alt + O' to add a patient rather than the correct short-cut of 'Alt + E.'

Screen readers, such as JAWS, will announce the short-cut correctly when focus is placed on the 'Add Assessment' button on the Patient screen; a 508 user would not be required to complete a workaround as this is an error in the informational pop-up message only. This item will be corrected in the next release of LASER.
