



Athlos SPED Logs November 2021 Release Notes

Feature 1: Optional Benchmarks

WHAT:

Before this feature release, service tracking or progress monitoring logs with IEP goals that included benchmarks/objectives could not be submitted unless a benchmark was selected. With this release, users will be able to submit a service tracking or progress monitoring log without selecting a benchmark for the goal. If a benchmark is left unselected, the data will track for the overarching goal only.

FOR ADMINISTRATORS:

This is a permission that must be activated by the District Administrator. To allow providers to submit logs without a benchmark selected, click on “My Account” from the home page, then click on “Manage Account.” You will see a new tab: “Log Policies.” Click on this tab. Customizable log settings are now housed here. Checking the box next to “OPTIONAL BENCHMARK SELECTION” will activate this permission and allow users to submit logs without being forced to choose a benchmark.

Account Settings

General

Change Email

Change Password

Notifications

Log Policies

District Log Policies:

- 1. OPTIONAL BENCHMARK SELECTION**
 By default, the Athlos software requires users to select both a Goal and a Benchmark when filling out service logs and progress logs. Please check this box if you wish to make the benchmark selection optional and instead allow users to track at the Goal level only, as needed.
- 2. MULTIPLE BENCHMARK SELECTION**
 By default, the Athlos software only allows users to select 1 benchmark / objective selection per log. Would you prefer to allow teachers to log services for multiple benchmarks / objectives concurrently within the same service period? If you check this box, you agree to allow teachers to track benchmarks / objectives concurrently in service logs and progress monitoring sessions.
- 3. EDITABLE LOG WINDOW**
- 30 days +
Do you want to restrict log editing capabilities past a certain date after the session occurred. By default, Athlos allows service tracking and progress monitoring logs to be edited at any time. Enter in the number of days after a session occurs in which teachers should have the capability to edit that log information. No value or 0 will represent indefinite editing capability.

Update policies

FOR PROVIDERS:

If your administrator has turned on this permission, you will be able to submit logs as always. Simply deselect a benchmark if you do not wish to include it in your submission.

Feature 2: Logging Multiple Benchmarks

WHAT:

Before this feature release, the Athlos system defaulted to one benchmark selection per goal. With this release, providers can select multiple benchmarks per goal when creating service tracking or progress monitoring logs. This may be useful if an IEP goal contains benchmarks that are not mutually exclusive in a single session.

FOR ADMINISTRATORS:

This is a permission that must be activated by the District Administrator. To allow providers to submit logs with multiple benchmarks selected, click on “My Account” from the home page, then click on “Manage Account.” You will see a new tab: “Log Policies.” Click on this tab. Customizable log settings are now housed here. Checking the box next to “MULTIPLE BENCHMARK SELECTION” will activate this permission and allow users to submit logs with multiple benchmarks.

The screenshot shows the 'Account Settings' page with the 'Log Policies' tab selected. The page is titled 'District Log Policies:' and contains three main sections:

- 1. OPTIONAL BENCHMARK SELECTION**: A checkbox is checked, indicating that users are required to select both a Goal and a Benchmark when filling out service logs and progress logs. A note explains that checking this box allows users to track at the Goal level only, as needed.
- 2. MULTIPLE BENCHMARK SELECTION**: A checkbox is checked, indicating that users are allowed to select 1 benchmark / objective selection per log. A note explains that checking this box allows teachers to track benchmarks / objectives concurrently within the same service period.
- 3. EDITABLE LOG WINDOW**: A numeric input field is set to '30' days, with minus and plus buttons on either side. A note explains that this restricts log editing capabilities past a certain date after the session occurred.

At the bottom of the page, there is a blue button labeled 'Update policies'.

FOR PROVIDERS:

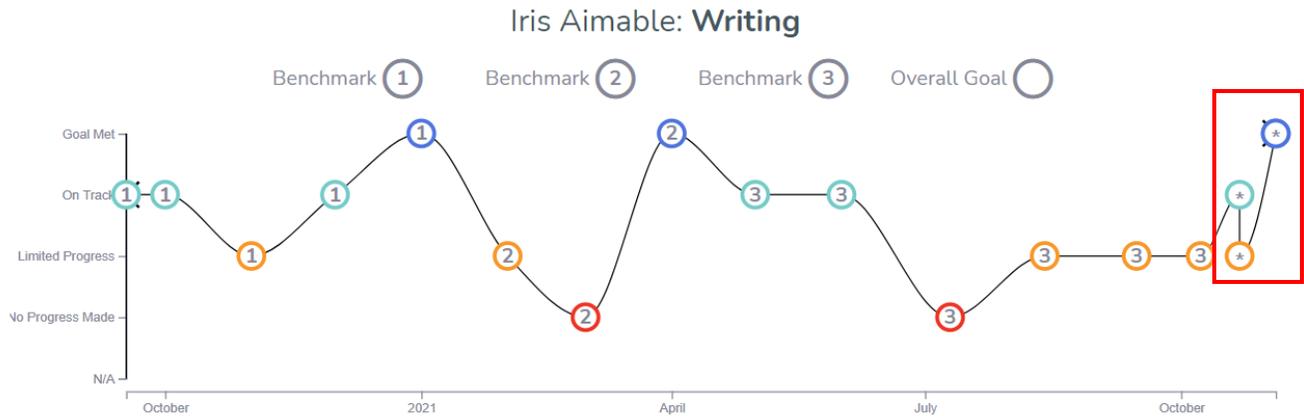
If your administrator has turned on this permission, you will be able to submit logs as always. Simply select the checkbox for multiple benchmarks as you are creating your log.

FOR ALL USERS:

When logs with multiple benchmarks are submitted, they will be displayed differently in the Data Exploration Center, and in My Reports. In the Data Exploration Center IEP goal timelines, progress monitoring logs with multiple benchmarks selected will be notated with an asterisk. In reports, the

multiple benchmarks will be listed in the notes section of the student detail report. In the Service Tracking and Progress Monitoring by Student reports, you will find a specific benchmark column with this information. See screenshot samples below:

Data Exploration Sample



Student Detail Report Sample

Iris Aimable

Goal Name: Reading

Goal Timeline: 09/17/2020 - 09/17/2021

Goal Text: When using a content area textbook, STUDENT will demonstrate an understanding of the table of contents, an index, and a glossary by responding to teacher directed questions with 80% accuracy 4 of 5 trials.



Date	Type	Outcome	Notes
11/03/2021	Service	60 mins	Benchmark - 1,2,3 Worked on all benchmarks of reading comprehension. Iris recognized 5 new words. - Submitted by Demo Admin
11/05/2021	Progress	On Track	Benchmark - 1,2,3 Iris took 30 minutes to complete the EOC test Score: 90% - Submitted by Demo Admin
11/08/2021	Service	60 mins	Benchmark - 2,3 Reviewed Ch. 4 EOC test and reviewed questions that she missed related to benchmarks 2 and 3. - Submitted by Demo Admin
		120 Minutes	

Service Tracking Report Sample

Iris Aimable



Date	Provider	Student	Goal	Session Outcome	Minutes
11/03/2021	Demo Admin	Iris Aimable	Reading: Benchmark - 1,2,3	Worked on all benchmarks of reading comprehension. Iris recognized 5 new words.	60 mins
11/08/2021	Demo Admin	Iris Aimable	Reading: Benchmark - 2,3	Reviewed Ch. 4 EOC test and reviewed questions that she missed related to benchmarks 2 and 3.	60 mins