Access Pennsylvania Database
Integrated Library System - Innovative Interface's Millennium

An opportunity for small and medium sized Access PA libraries to upgrade to an industry-leading system while eliminating the worries and expenses associated with client software maintenance, server software & hardware, and data security (including backups). For more information go to the Access PA web site, click on INFORMATION FOR LIBRARIES, then MILLENNIUM SYSTEM, then click on the frequently-asked-questions (PDF) document.

Local Requirements
• Internet connection and current version of an Internet browser
• PC or Macs connected to the Internet
• Barcode scanner(s) for circulation & printer(s)

Features
System
• System software & server hardware maintained by Access PA
• Data security and backups handled by Access PA
• Library holdings seamlessly interfaced with the Access PA Database
• Full authority control processing provided by LTI, Inc. at regular intervals

Millennium WebPAC
• Customizable search options
• Fully customizable HTML offering library autonomy and flexibility
• Relevance sorting
• Spell check
(To view webPAC samples, go to the Access PA web site, click on INFORMATION FOR LIBRARIES, then MILLENNIUM SYSTEM, then PARTICIPANT LIBRARIES.)

Circulation
• Intuitive graphical interface
• Circulation notices via hardcopy or email
• Customizable fonts, sounds
• Easy navigation to:
  Checked out items
  Outstanding fines
  Holds
  Renewals
• Easy modification of due date(s)
• Receipt printer options
• Customizable loan rules, overdue notice text and frequencies, “days closed” calendar, fine schedules, etc
• Easy backdating for check in (i.e. bookdrop returns from previous day)
  “Offline circ” immediately available if connection interrupted

Serials Control
• Customizable check in records
• Checked in issues immediately reflected in the webPAC
• Easily created title-level or issue-level notes for display in the webPAC
Claiming, routing, binding

Cataloging

- Full screen editing
- Seamless updating of holdings in Access PA
- Easy suppression of bib or item records from the library’s webPAC and/or Access PA Database
- Z39.50 available for copy cataloging (from LC, OhioLINK, and many other databases)
- Easy uploading of new records from other vendors
- Quick & easy updating of batches records (patron, item, or bibliographic) via “rapid update”

Training and Technical Support

- Provided by Access PA
- Initial and ongoing training
- Support via phone, email, and automated helpdesk

Strengths & Benefits

- Industry leading library automation system from Innovative Interfaces, Inc.
- Fully supported by Access PA
- Library only responsible for local client hardware & internet connection
- Web-based modules
- Seamless updating of library holdings in ACCESS PA Database
- Intuitive graphical interface
- Ongoing upgrades, training, and technical support included in annual cost

Pricing (2008/2009)

Minimum $2,000 per year for 3 staff licenses (3 simultaneous logins)
  + $667 per year for each additional license. Includes:

- Unlimited access to the webPAC
- Data migration and/or ongoing record loads
- Authority control processing at regular intervals
- Server system maintenance (including data security & backups)
- Unlimited training and technical support

Libraries are responsible for procurement and/or maintenance of local client hardware (PCs, barcode scanner(s), printer(s)) and their Internet connection.

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