

# Voyager ILL 6.7 Release Notes

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# **About Voyager ILL 6.7**

#### Focus of This Release

The 6.7 version of Voyager ILL is being released to provide integration with OCLC's new interlibrary loan system. The enhancements and revisions in the software focus on making the software compatible with the changes in the OCLC WorldShare ILL system. Additionally, updates were made to support recent changes in the DOCLINE system.

### Installation

The following sections describe installation considerations and references for version 6.7.

### **Path Change**

As of Voyager ILL 6.3, the default installation directory has been changed from \Endeavor\_ILL to \Voyager\_ILL. All programs should now be installed in this new directory. You need to put cliodata.mdb in this new directory after you have installed the software.

#### 64-bit or 32-bit Installation

A new installer is being used that will install applications on 32-bit or 64-bit Windows computers without any subsequent adjustments to file locations or folder permissions by the user. The new installation file is approximately 285 MB, so please be patient while it downloads.

#### **Version 6.0 and Earlier**

If you are currently using a version of the Voyager ILL module earlier than 6.0, you need to complete additional prerequisite steps such as updating your database to a 6.x release before updating the software to version 6.7. You cannot upgrade directly from a pre-6.0 version of Voyager ILL to the 6.7 version of Voyager ILL.

#### Reference to Technical Documentation

For more information and additional prerequisites, see Chapter 2, Getting Started and Chapter 3, Installing Voyager ILL version 6.x in the *Voyager ILL Module User's Guide for Version 6.3*, which is still applicable to Voyager ILL 6.7. Due to the limited nature of the changes in this version, the *Voyager ILL Module User's Guide* has not been updated for this release.

## **Implementation**

It is important to make a backup copy of your cliodata.mdb file before installing the 6.7 version of the Voyager ILL module.

**Note:** After updating your ILL software to version 6.7, you must relink your cliodata.mdb file before using the software. You may open the ILL Request and ILL Management clients in any order after the software has been upgraded.

# **ILL Request**

This section includes the following enhancements:

- Update to the OCLC WorldShare ILL API
- Increase in Length of the OCLC Control Number
- Compatibility with the DOCLINE 4.9 Release

## Update to the OCLC WorldShare ILL API

### **Purpose of the Enhancement**

The purpose of this enhancement is to update the OCLC API that is used to communicate with OCLC WorldShare ILL.

### **Description**

Voyager ILL version 6.7 provides support for the latest release of the OCLC software interface used by third-party software. Use of the new API (v1.6) of the OCLC interface is mandatory after June, 2013.

The OCLC v1.6 API includes a provision for complete address fields (such as city, state, zip, and country). It also mandates the use of ISO standard abbreviations for state and country. This affects the CDLoan Return To address in ILL Management and Billing and Shipping addresses in ILL Request. Refer to those screens for details.

## Increase in Length of the OCLC Control Number

#### Purpose of the Enhancement

The purpose of this enhancement is to expand the fields that use the OCLC control number.

#### **Description**

Changes to screens and reports were made to accommodate the recent increase in the length of the OCLC number.

## Compatibility with the DOCLINE 4.9 Release

#### Purpose of the Enhancement

The purpose of this enhancement is to accommodate the DOCLINE 4.9.2 release made on February 21, 2013.

#### **Description**

On February 21, 2013, NLM released a minor update to DOCLINE. This update increased the length of the citation, article author, and article title fields on the DOCLINE receipt. The article author and title fields were increased to 60 characters, and the citation field was increased to 100 characters, to allow for the increasingly long citations in PubMed.

# **ILL Management**

This section includes the following enhancements:

- Update to the OCLC WorldShare ILL API
- Update to Borrowing Notices
- Compatibility with the DOCLINE 4.9 Release

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## **Update to Borrowing Notices**

#### Purpose of the Enhancement

The purpose of this enhancement is to simplify the sending of borrowing notices to patrons from Voyager ILL.

#### **Description**

Extensive changes were made to the Borrowing Notices capabilities. All notices now provide for email if an email address is present in the database for the patron. If not, borrowing notices are printed. In addition, there is a notice preview function which will, for example, allow the user to add an email address if one can be found.

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