

ftwilliam.com  
Compliance User  
Group Meeting #37

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# AGENDA

- New ftwilliam.com Help Center
- Update on Train the Trainer
- Transactions:
  - Setting up accounts & sources
  - Common problems uploading vendor files
- Tip of the month
- Open Forum

Janice Herrin

NEW FTWILLIAM.COM  
HELP CENTER

# ABOUT THE HELP CENTER

- Most ftw software modules now have their own Help Center
- For compliance users the Help Center replaces the User Forum
- Access is available from:
  - The Wolters Kluwer logo - select Support=>Help Center
  - The 'Help' link at the top right of any screen in compliance - select 'Help Center'
  - User Name in upper right/dropdown
  - The old Forum URL

# HELP LINK



Welcome to ftwilliam.com's Compliance Module Online Help  
Access Compliance User Guides, Tutorials, and Online Forum

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User Guide

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Quick Start

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User Manual

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Help Center

Meet ftwilliam.com

ftwilliam.com Compliance Module gives you the following:

- Compliance Testing, Accounting and Reporting
- Complex Contribution Allocations
- Auto-rotate Features
- Fully Integrated with Document and Government Forms Software
- Work from anywhere
- Work Flow Management

Other ftwilliam.com User Guides

- [General User Guide](#)
- [Plan Document](#)
- [5500 Forms](#)
- [Portal How-To Guide](#)
- [IRS Forms](#)
- [1099 User Guide](#)

[Where Do I Begin?](#) [Detailed Steps](#)

Wolters Kluwer

- Home
- Edit Profile
- Company / Plan
- Batches
- ftwPortal Pro
- Reports
- Downloads
- Administrative Tasks
- Support
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- Help Center
- Contact Us
- Suggestion Box
- User Guides
- Portal User Help
- 5500 FAQs
- Email and Tech Updates

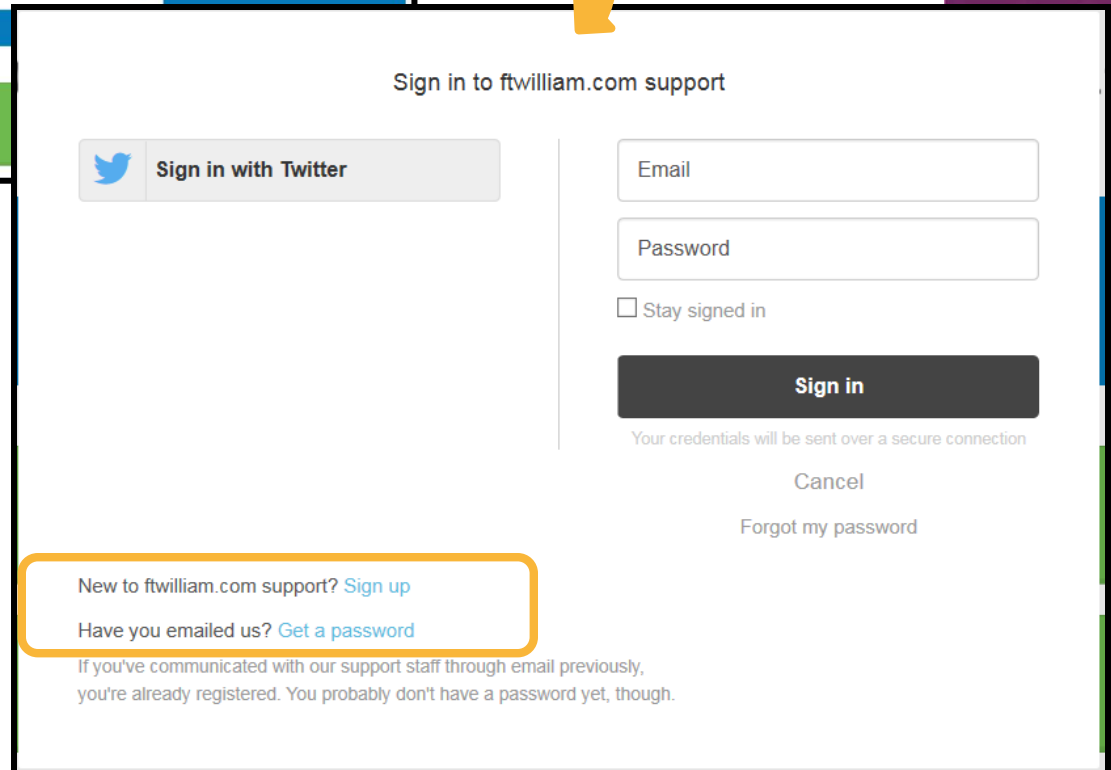
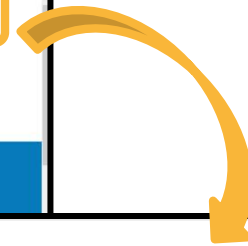
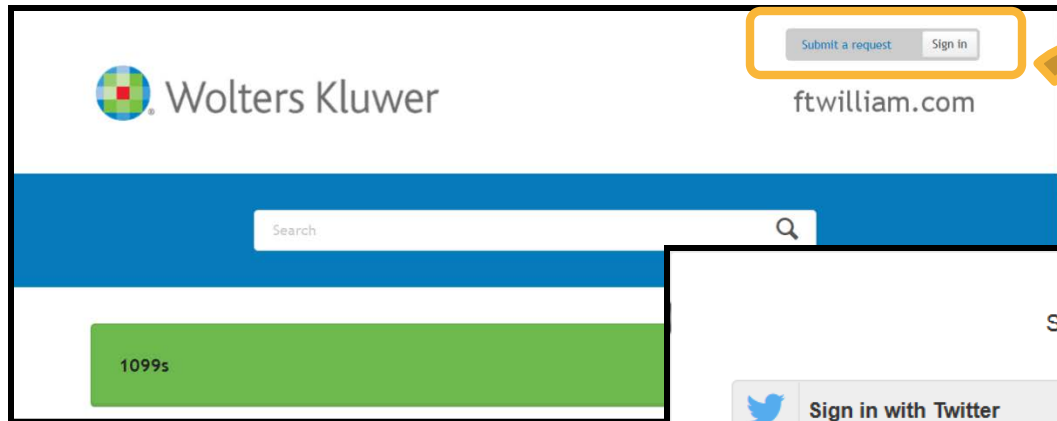


# WK BUTTON

# ACCESS TO THE HELP CENTER

- ◉ No login required - either link takes you right to the Help Center
- ◉ Access is restricted to Compliance Module users - need to be tagged
- ◉ Contact [support@ftwilliam.com](mailto:support@ftwilliam.com) if you don't see a link for Compliance
  - Anyone who had access to the Forum will have access to the Help Center
  - If not you will need to create an account

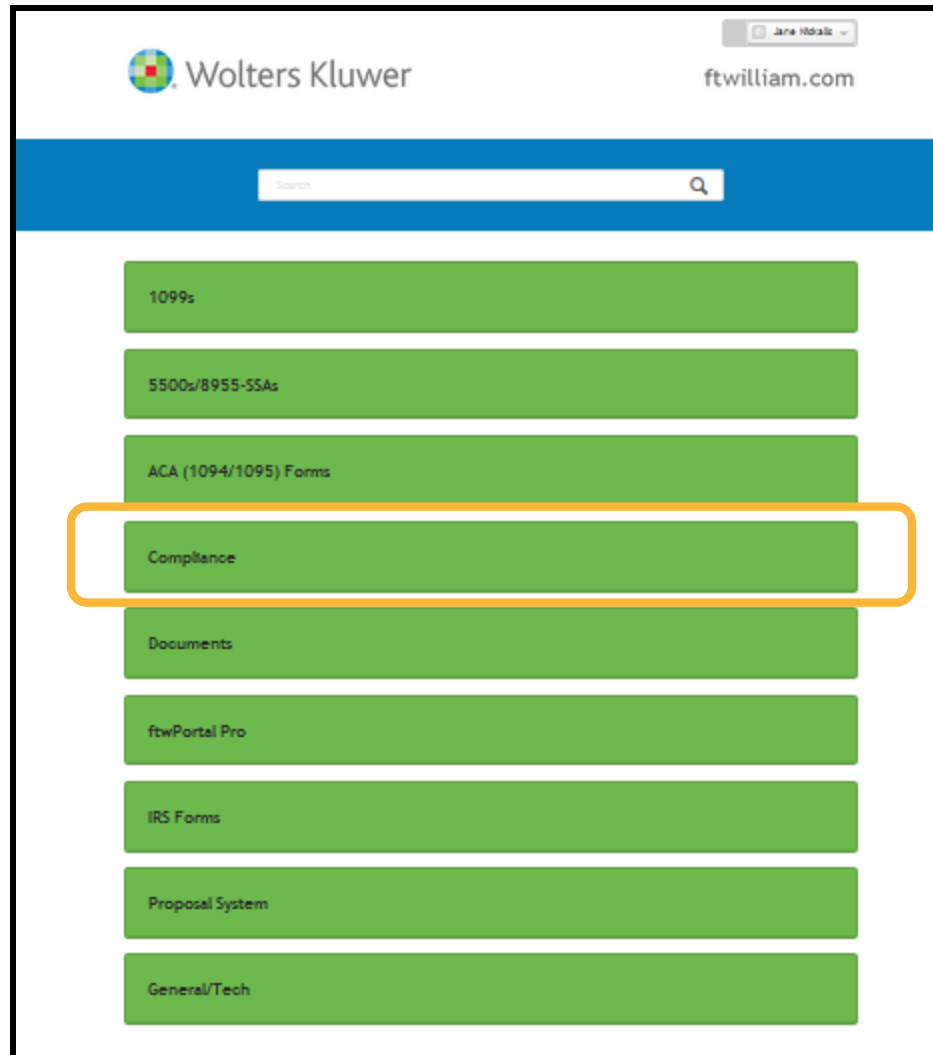
# ACCESS TO THE HELP CENTER



- Get a password if you have emailed [support@ftwilliam.com](mailto:support@ftwilliam.com)
- Sign up if you have not
  - Also contact us for help seeing compliance section

# HELP CENTER HOME PAGE

- Click the 'Compliance' section





# COMPLIANCE HELP CENTER HOME PAGE

## Eligibility

Eligibility or entry dates are incorrect

Error Messages on the Scrub Results Screen

Clearing bad termination dates

Eligibility - First year on ftw, ppt worked 1000 hrs this year but fewer in prior years so shows as eligible when he should not be

Eligibility - First year on ftw, ppt worked fewer than 1000 hrs this year but more in prior years; shows as not eligible when she/he should be.

## Contributions

How should you code the allocation parameters screen for a plan with triple stack match?

I'm uploading match on the census but the amounts are not sticking

When I do the allocation the nonelective contributions are not calculating

Non-calendar year plan and I need to somehow tell the system what the catch-up contributions are.

## HCEs & Keys

Top Paid Group - Tie Breaker Determination

First year on ftw - if the Top Paid Group option is selected

Someone should be an HCE or key and is not

## Vesting

Vesting is incorrect for several active participants

Why are my prior year terms shown as 0% vested?

First year on ftw - vesting is incorrect

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TRAIN THE TRAINER  
INITIATIVE

# TRAIN THE TRAINER

- Initiative to offer more training to a designated, in-house, Compliance Module Expert
  - Ensure the expert is comfortable with basic features to train other users
  - Train the expert on the steps for typical trouble shooting
  - Train on Top Ten support issues
  - Offer suggestions on ftw features that your company may not be using
  - Recommend the trainer documents procedures

# TRAIN THE TRAINER

- Note went out to master users July 26 asking for name(s) of designated trainer(s)
  - Responses are coming in daily - deadline is August 19
- You may wish to contact your firm's master user and volunteer
- Planning 2-3 training webinars in September

Jane Nickalls

# TRANSACTIONS

# ACCOUNTS & SOURCES

- ALWAYS set up accounts & sources BEFORE adding or uploading transactions
- More information about setting up accounts and sources is available in the Help Center
- Plan Specifications=>Edit; expand first section
  - Add asset custodian if using
- Click on the 'Work with Sources/Inv Accounts' link

# SETTING UP ACCOUNTS & SOURCES

- When to use investment accounts
  - Assets in different places
  - Doing earnings allocation
  - Plan has brokerage accounts
  - Using the loan module
- Generally do not need to use investment accounts when assets are all with a vendor
  - If you do, Account ID = VENDOR

# INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

## ◉ Account ID

- Internal identifier - can be anything you choose apart from when some assets are with a vendor - then VENDOR

## ◉ Account Name

- This appears on reports & statements

## ◉ Account Type

- 'Brokerage' means earnings can be allocated to individual participants, otherwise cash
- Only one account can be brokerage



# SETTING UP SOURCES

- If no sources are listed, click 'Add Default Sources'
  - Use system generated sources whenever possible
  - Manually added sources do not accept contributions
- Suppress sources not being used
- Add/check vesting schedule
- Enter earnings allocation method

# SETTING UP SOURCES

- ◉ 'Do with Selected' option - select one or more sources and:
  - Edit Account Information
  - Suppress or un-suppress
  - Delete
- ◉ Use this to add investment accounts to sources if using
  - Or 'Add all Investments to all Sources' on Investment Accounts screen

# SETTING UP SOURCES

▼ Sources/Accounts

Financial data import vendor: None

[Export Vendor List by Plan](#)

[Work with Sources/Inv Accounts](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	SourceID	Suppress	Top Heavy	Source Name	Source External ID	Vesting	Vest Other	Contribution Source	Earnings Alloc Meth	Curr Yr Factor
<input type="checkbox"/>	401K	No	Yes	Elective Deferral		100%	N/A	ElectiveDeferral	Bal Forward - Trad	100.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	ROTH	No	Yes	Roth Deferral		100%	N/A	Roth	Bal Forward - Trad	100.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	MATCH	No	Yes	Matching Contribution		2-6 Year Graded	N/A	Matching	Bal Forward - Trad	100.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	QMAC	Yes	Yes	QMAC		100%	N/A	QMAC	Bal Forward - Trad	100.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	QNEC	Yes	Yes	QNEC		100%	N/A	QNEC	Bal Forward - Trad	100.00
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Update Do with selected: ▼

# SETTING UP ACCOUNTS

Use Investment Accounts to track Participant balances:

Yes /  No

[Work With Investment Accounts](#)

Investment Accounts x

Loan Inv Account Distribution/Hierarchy

AccountID	Account Name	Account Description	Type	Del
↑ ↓ POOLED	Pooled Account	XYZ Bank	Cash ▼	🗑️
↑ ↓ VENDOR	Lincoln	Lincoln Financial	Cash ▼	🗑️
↑ ↓ BROKERAGE	Schwab	Schwab SDB acco	Brokerage ▼	🗑️
↑ ↓ LOAN	Loan Fund	Loan	Cash ▼	🗑️
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Add all Investments to all Sources

Close Update

- Add one or more investment accounts
- Account Name will display on reports
- Type is Cash or Brokerage

# VENDOR UPLOADS - GENERAL RULES

- After you download the file from the vendor:
  - If it's a .CSV file then open and 'save as' to your hard drive
  - Other file types should be saved without opening
- Before uploading the file to [ftwilliam.com](http://ftwilliam.com):
  - Set up accounts & sources as you want them under Plan Specs/General Features
  - Map vendor sources on the Transaction Menu before uploading the file
    - Usually first year only, unless you copy plan specs from the document when adding the new year end

# VENDOR UPLOADS - GENERAL RULES

- There's a spreadsheet with more information about each vendor in the Help Center that we try to keep updated
  - In Help Center select 'Transactions' , then 'Vendor files - file types & tips'
  - All vendors are slightly different
- Your contact at the vendor is usually the best source of information on their procedures and files
- Please let us know if you have additional information on a vendor

# VENDOR UPLOADS - GENERAL RULES

- Most vendor's files have the plan ID in one of the columns in the file
  - Exception is Principal - file name must be 12345\_XXX, where 12345 is plan ID and XXX can be anything
  - Several vendors require plan ID to be part of the file name
- Make sure the file suffix is correct for the file type

# VENDOR UPLOADS - ADDITIONAL NOTES

## ○ Hartford & Mass Mutual

- MM purchased Hartford business in 2013 - MM file format used for 2013 & 2014 files (RMAP)
- For 2015 and later files select Hartford-MFS as the vendor

## ○ Guardian & Met Life

- We have no information about what file to request, just that both are text files
- Help please!



# VENDOR UPLOADS - ADDITIONAL NOTES

- AUL/One America
  - Upload currently does not work - if anyone has plans on this platform, please send us any information you have
- Expert Plan
  - Apparently is now owned by Ascensus

# UPLOADING TRANSACTIONS IN BATCH

- The following vendors have features to download a zip file containing multiple plan files and ftwilliam can upload the zip file:
  - John Hancock
  - Lincoln Director Product
  - ING
- Detailed instructions are in the user guide

# TIP OF THE MONTH

- ⦿ Problem printing reports?
  - If a report or the client package won't open, or opens with no real data, the following may be the problem:
    - Error on the transaction menu screen
    - Accounts & sources not set up correctly
    - Problem with print style - change print style under Tools/Settings=>Print Style=>Plan Level

# OPEN FORUM

- ◉ Hope to see you at our fifth customer conference - August 17-19 in Chicago!
- ◉ Next User Group meeting - Tuesday, November 1, 2016
- ◉ Ideas for future agenda items?
- ◉ Questions, thoughts, suggestions.....
- ◉ Thank you for attending