



ProMISe

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ProMISe 2 now online

The transfer of centres from Promise version 1 to 2 began on the 21st July, 2004. The data from the first volunteer national registries was transferred to the relational database and usernames have been issued to access it through ProMISe2. In addition, a small number of volunteer centres not belonging to national societies have also been transferred.

We are very grateful to all the "pioneer" centres and registries for their help with the introduction of Promise 2. Your efforts are appreciated and your feedback is extremely useful to us.

More volunteers welcome!

Now that the relational database is in use, it is in everyone's interest to complete the transfer as soon as possible. For the closure of Promise 1 Data Entry we have put a deadline of **November 30th 2004**. If you feel that you are ready to start the new version now please email shelley.hewerdine@ucl.ac.uk

Current users do not need to re-apply to use ProMISe 2. When you ask us to transfer your data, we will close your Promise 1 data entry access (viewing of old data will still be available) and open your access in Promise 2.

If you need more time to prepare, please stay in contact so that your accreditation is not affected.

ProMISe 2 Demo & Manual

We would like to remind all Promise 1 users that the [demo version](#) of Promise 2 is available on the server. First please check the new system [requirements](#)

Select [Demo Session] from the list of session types, then click on [START SESSION]. A username and password will be entered for you automatically.

[Promise 2 user manual](#): A draft is now available to download and updates to this version will be posted on the above link

Training

During this year's Annual meeting and in association with national societies, many users have had (or soon will have) the opportunity to attend Promise 2 training sessions.

ProMISe sessions will take place during the next Annual Meeting in Prague, March 20-23 [EBMT 2005](#)

If your centre is a ProMISe1 user, does not belong to a national registry, and you have not received training in the use of ProMISe2, it may be possible to organise a group training session in a European location. Please contact the [Helpdesk](#) to discuss options for your transfer.

Note to ProMISe 2 users

Data Entry Navigation is still to be finalised for the following forms. Please don't attempt to navigate these alone – we will post a message when it is ready:

- All MED-B follow up
- Subsequent transplants for all MED-Bs
- IBMTR pre-registrations

Info for all Promise users



Remember to make sure that you disable any pop-up blockers for the Promise web page. Some users have had problems logging in, or windows were blocked during a session because they had a pop-up blocker switched on – in particular a recent Windows update has changed these settings. You can adjust these settings to see pop-up windows from a specific web site. For more info go to

http://www.microsoft.com/windowsxp/using/web/sp2_popupblocker.mspx