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OVERVIEW

Discipline tracking functionality was added to PeopleSoft HCM in November 2016. DPM requires all agencies to use the functionality within PeopleSoft HCM to track the disciplines within their agency. Agencies are not required to enter discipline data in PeopleSoft HCM for disciplinary actions prior to the release of this tracking functionality.

SECURITY

Users must have the Discipline Security Role to access this functionality. Who the user can see is based on their row-level security (typically their business unit or a subset of their business unit).

A disciplinary action corresponds to a specific employee in PeopleSoft HCM. The employee's disciplinary record will follow them in the system if they transfer to a different agency.

ENTERING A NEW DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Use the following steps to enter a disciplinary action. Prior to entering a disciplinary action, it may be helpful to lookup the following information about the employee: Empl ID, Business Unit, and Department ID.

Note: If the employee has an existing disciplinary action, see Adding an Additional Disciplinary Action for an Employee

➢ Navigate to the Record Disciplinary Actions page

1. Navigation: **Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources tile > Person tile**
    Click **Grievance & Discipline** dropdown and select **Discipline**
    or
    Navigation: **NavBar > Workforce Administration > Labor Administration > WI Record Disciplinary Actions**
2. Click the **Add a New Value** button, enter or select the **Employee ID**
    o   To search for the employee ID, click the magnifying glass next to the text box
3. Click **Add**

Discipline Tracking

➢ Enter the disciplinary action data

1. **Discipline ID**: A unique identifying number for the discipline that will populate after saving the discipline
2. **Business Unit (required):** Enter the employee's business unit (agency number)
3. **Incident Date**: Enter the date of the incident, if applicable
4. **Department ID (required):** Enter the employee's department ID (division, section, unit, facility, etc.)
   o This information can be found on the employee's job data (Main Menu > Workforce Administration > Job Information > Job Data)
5. **Investigation Date (required):** Enter the date of the first investigatory meeting
6. **Pre-Disciplinary Date (required):** Enter the date of the pre-disciplinary meeting
7. **Disposition Date (required):** Enter the date of the discipline letter

8. **Discipline Outcome (required):** Enter the outcome of disciplinary action
   - If "Other" is selected, a description must be entered
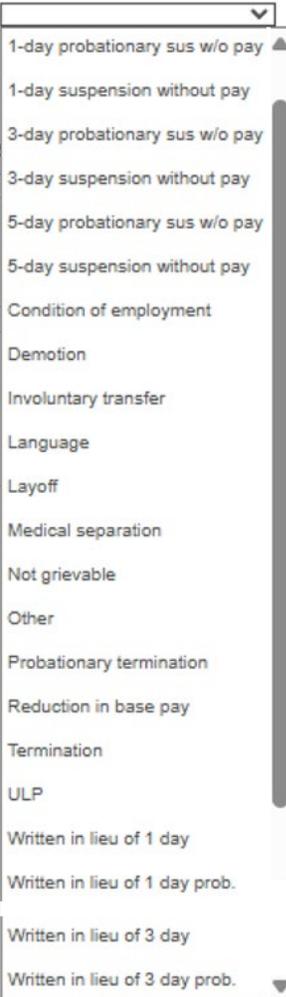
*Discipline Outcome

1-day probationary sus w/o pay ▲
1-day suspension without pay
3-day probationary sus w/o pay
3-day suspension without pay
5-day probationary sus w/o pay
5-day suspension without pay
Condition of employment
Demotion
Involuntary transfer
Language
Layoff
Medical separation
Not grievable
Other
Probationary termination
Reduction in base pay
Termination
ULP
Written in lieu of 1 day
Written in lieu of 1 day prob.
Written in lieu of 3 day
Written in lieu of 3 day prob. ▼

9. **Description:** A short description regarding the discipline outcome may be entered in this box

10. **Work Rule Violated:** Select the work rule that was violated using the magnifying glass
    o   If more than one work rule was violated, use the + to add a row
    o   If a work rule was added in error, use the – to delete the row
    o   Up to five work rules may be entered per disciplinary action

Work Rules Violated	Description	Short Description
01	Falsification of records	Falsify
02	Failure to follow policies, procedures	Policies
03	Insubordination, negligence	Insubordin
04	Health, safety, sanitation	Health
05	Tardy, leaving early, notification	Tardy
06	Unexcused or excessive absenteeism	Absentee
07	Misuse or abuse of leave benefits	Misuse Lea
08	Time limits for lunch or breaks	Breaks
09	Stealing, neglect of government property	Steal
10	Unauthorized use, abuse of state property	Property
11	Unauthorized audio, video, photo	Recording
12	Access, disclosure of confidential records	Records
13	Threatening, attempting bodily harm/anguish	Threatenin
14	Intimidating harassing, bullying	Intimidati
15	Possession of drugs, alcohol or manifesting	Possession
16	Unauthorized activity on duty, horseplay	Activities
17	Making false, inaccurate, malicious statements	Malicious
18	Possession or misuse of weapons, explosives	Weapons
19	Entry into restricted areas	Restricted
20	License violation	License
21	Code of ethics	Ethics
22	Inappropriate dress or grooming	Dress
23	Failure to submit to inspection of personal items	Inspection
24	Unauthorized possession of keys, cards, passwords	Keys
25	Outside activities impair duties	Off Duty

11. **Serious Misconduct Violation**: Select the serious misconduct violation using the magnifying glass
    o   If more than one serious misconduct violation, use the + to add a row
    o   If a serious misconduct violation was added in error, use the – to delete the row
    o   Up to three serious misconduct violations may be entered per disciplinary action

Serious Misconduct Violation	Description	Short Description
1	While on Duty, harassing a person	Harassment
10	Agency Specific	Agency
2	On duty, intentionally inflicting physical harm on another person	Pys. Harm
3	On Duty, intoxicated or under influence of controlled substance	Intoxicate
4	On Duty, possession of controlled substance	Possession
5	Falsifying records of the agency	Falsify
6	Theft of agency property/service with intent to deprive agency	Theft
7	Employee conviction of crime/offense prevent employee from duties	Conviction
8	Misuse/Abuse agency property; including: download, view, display	Property
9	Code of Ethics violation	Ethics

Note: The functionality requires that at least one work rule or serious misconduct violation must be selected.

12. **Linked Grievance:** This text will become a hyperlink once a grievance is entered in PeopleSoft HCM and is linked to this disciplinary action. See the Grievance Functionality job aid for additional details.
13. **Discussed with:** Enter the names of those involved in the disciplinary action investigation
14. **Comment:** Enter any additional information in this box

➢ Click **Save**
   o The number of Total Incidents has been updated, and the Discipline ID has been populated

ADDING A DISCIPLINARY DOCUMENT FOR A DISCIPLINE RECORD

➢ Navigate to the WI Record Disciplinary Actions page

1. Navigation: **Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources tile > Person tile**
   Click **Grievance & Discipline** dropdown and select **Discipline**
   or
   Navigation: **NavBar > Workforce Administration > Labor Administration > WI Record Disciplinary Actions**
2. Enter the **Employee ID, Discipline ID, Name or Last Name**
3. Click **Search**

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➤ Click the Documents tab and click Add Document Button

➤ Enter details about the document being uploaded
1. **Document effective date:** The effective date of the document
2. **Comments:** Enter any comments relating to the document that are needed.
3. **Business Unit:** The business unit will carry forward from the discipline record and cannot be changed.
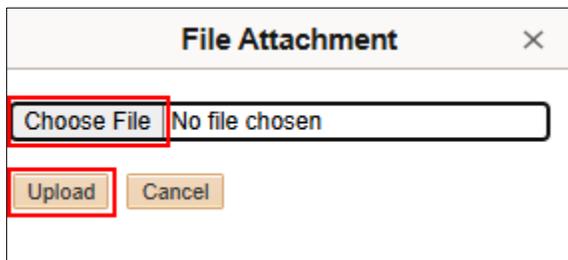4. Click **Upload Document**

➢ Select the document to be uploaded.

All discipline documents must follow the below naming conventions

Document Type	Document Name
Letter of discipline: one-day suspension	DISC_1Day_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: three-day suspension	DISC_3Day_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: five-day suspension	DISC_5Day_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Demotion	DISC_DEMO_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Involuntary Transfer	DISC_INVXFR_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Other	DISC_OTHER_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Termination letter: probationary employee	DISC_TERM_PROB_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Reduction in base pay	DISC_RED_PAY_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Termination letter	TERM_LastFirstNameMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Written in lieu of 1 day	DISC_WRIT_ILO_1Day_LastFirstMI_mmddyy
Letter of discipline: Written in lieu of 3 day	DISC_WRIT_ILO_3Day_LastFirstMI_mmddyy

1. Click **Choose File** and select the document to upload
2. Click **Upload**

3. Click **OK**

4. Click **Return**

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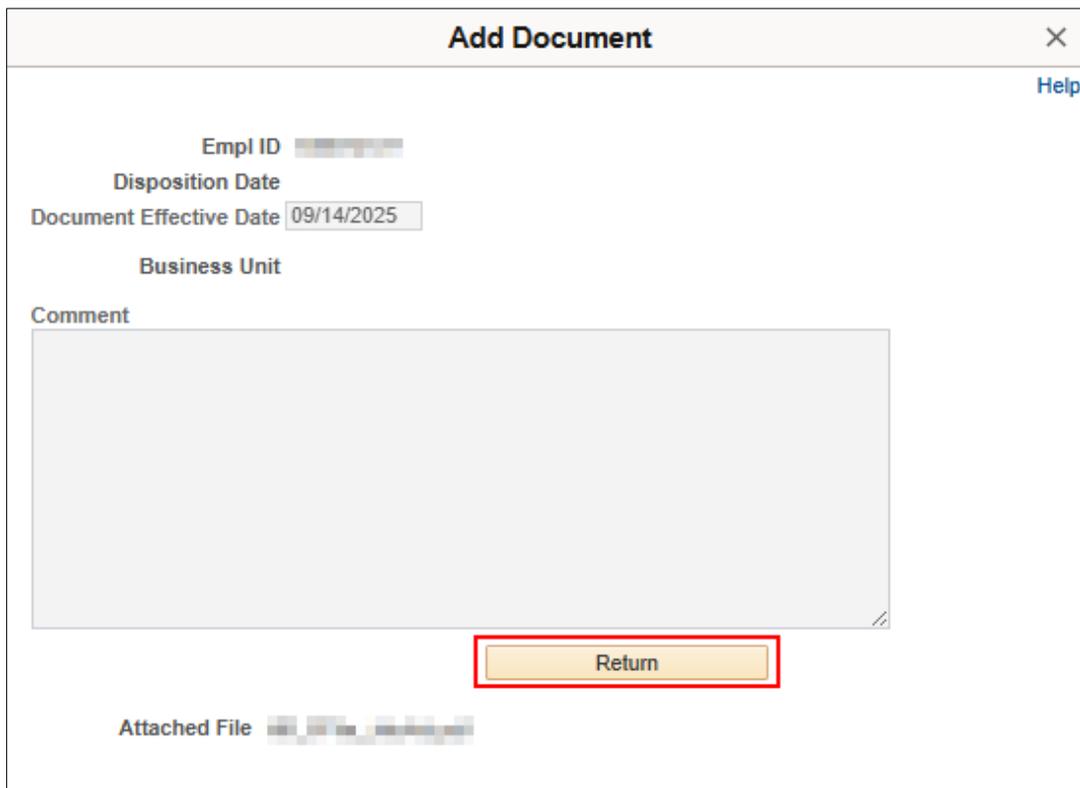The document is now part of the discipline record:

Disciplinary Action	**Documents**

Find | View All   First ◀ 2 of 3 ▶ Last

Empl ID [redacted]

Disposition Date   **Discipline ID**   **Discipline Outcome**

Disciplinary Documents

Document Effective Date	Attached File	View	Comments
09/14/2025	[redacted]	🖼	💬

Add Document

The document and the comments can be viewed directly from this page. The Add Document button is now greyed out as only one document can be attached to a discipline record. The document has also been placed in the employee's p-file.

ADDING AN ADDITIONAL DISCIPLINARY ACTION FOR AN EMPLOYEE

➢ Navigate to the WI Record Disciplinary Actions page

1. Navigation: **Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources tile > Person tile**
    Click **Grievance & Discipline** dropdown and select **Discipline**
    or
    Navigation: **NavBar > Workforce Administration > Labor Administration > WI Record Disciplinary Actions**
2. Enter the **Employee ID, Discipline ID, Name or Last Name**
3. Click **Search**

Discipline

Find an Existing Value
▼ **Search Criteria**
Enter any information you have and click Search. Leave fields blank for a list of all values.

⊕ Add a New Value

🕘 Recent Searches   Choose from recent searches ▾ ✎   🔖 Saved Searches   Choose from saved searches ▾ ✎

Empl ID [begins with ▾] [   ]
Discipline ID [begins with ▾] [   ]
Name [begins with ▾] [   ]
Last Name [begins with ▾] [   ]
∧ Show fewer options

[Search]   [Clear]

➢ Click the plus (+) button to add a record

An additional record will be displayed.

➢ Enter data into the record (see Entering a New Disciplinary Action steps above)

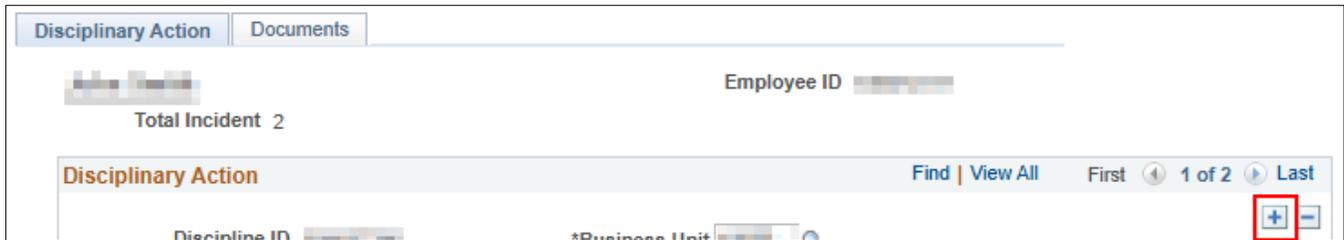## MAKING CHANGES TO A DISCIPLINARY ACTION

UPDATES

➢ Navigate to the WI Record Disciplinary Actions page

1. Navigation: **Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources tile > Person tile**
   Click **Grievance & Discipline** dropdown and select **Discipline**
   or
   Navigation: **NavBar > Workforce Administration > Labor Administration > WI Record Disciplinary Actions**
2. Enter the **Employee ID, Discipline ID, Name or Last Name**
3. Click **Search**
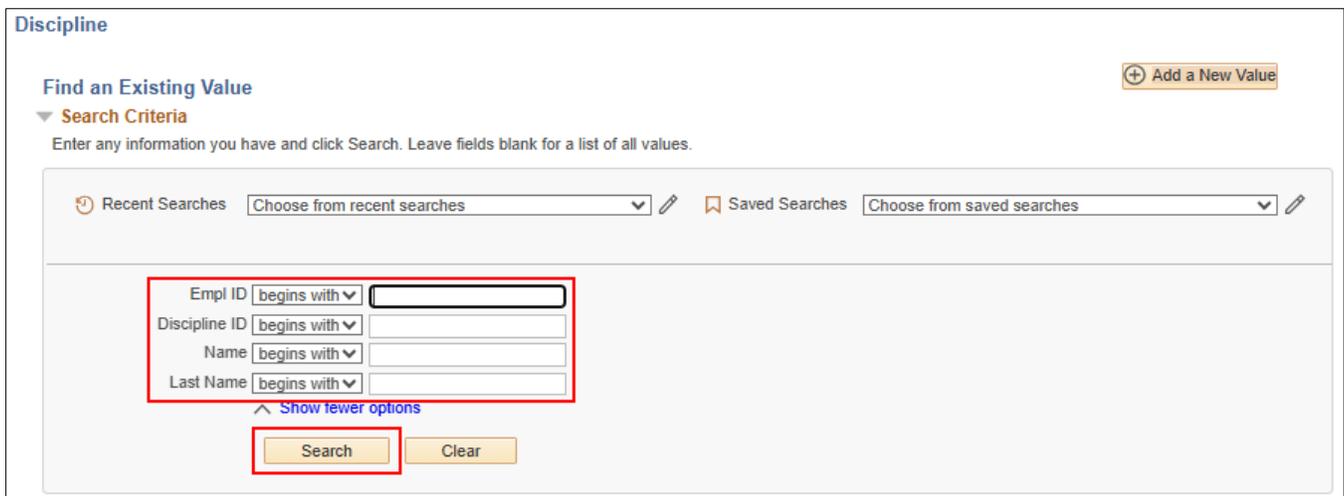
➢ Navigate to a specific disciplinary record by clicking the arrows at the top of the page

Discipline Tracking

Disciplinary Action   Find | View All   First ◀ 1 of 2 ▶ Last

➢ Update the applicable information.

Click **Save**

NOTE: Discipline documents can only be deleted through the employee's P-file. If a discipline document should be updated, work with a P-File User in your agency to submit a deletion request. When a discipline document is deleted from the p-file, it will also be removed from the discipline record. A new document can then be uploaded on the discipline record.

DELETIONS

➢ Navigate to the WI Record Disciplinary Actions page

1. Navigation: **Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources tile > Person tile**
   Click **Grievance & Discipline** dropdown and select **Discipline**
   or
   Navigation: **NavBar > Workforce Administration > Labor Administration > WI Record Disciplinary Actions**
2. Enter the **Employee ID, Discipline ID, Name or Last Name**
3. Click **Search**

➢ Navigate to the disciplinary record row to be deleted by clicking the arrows at the top of the page
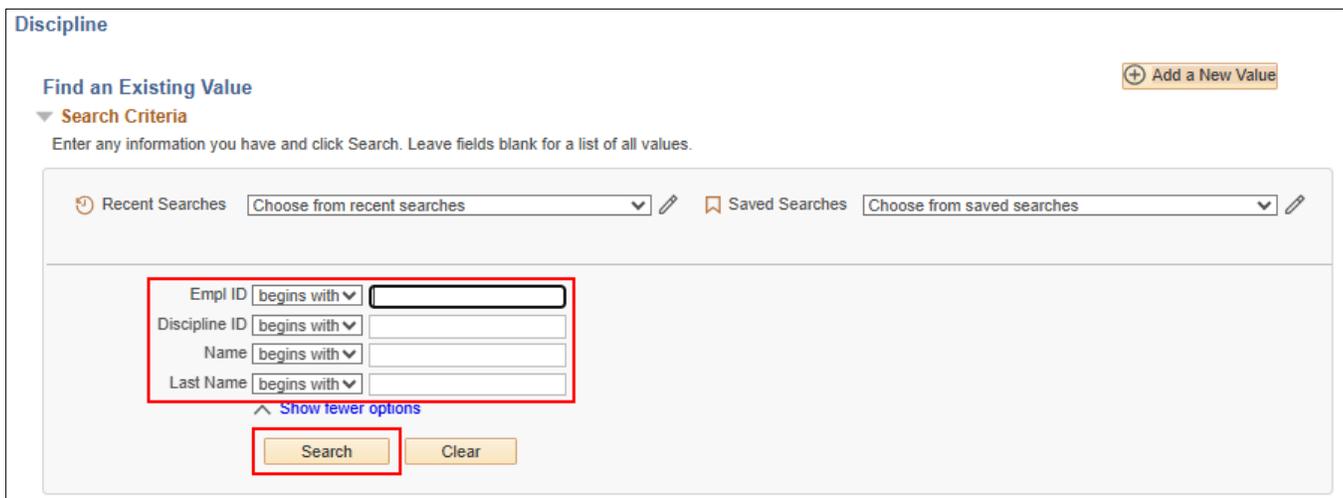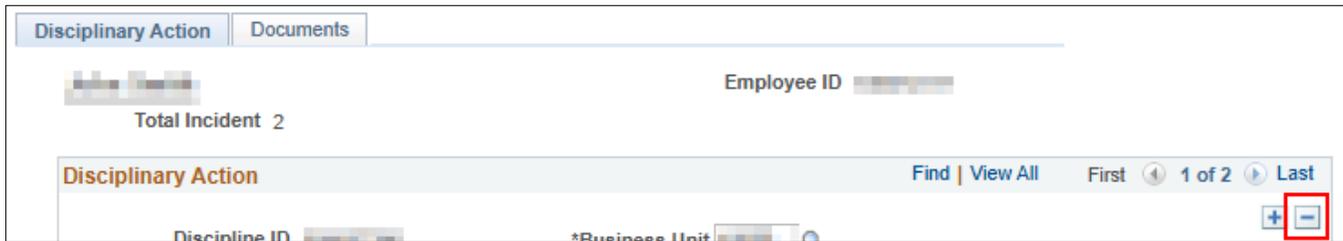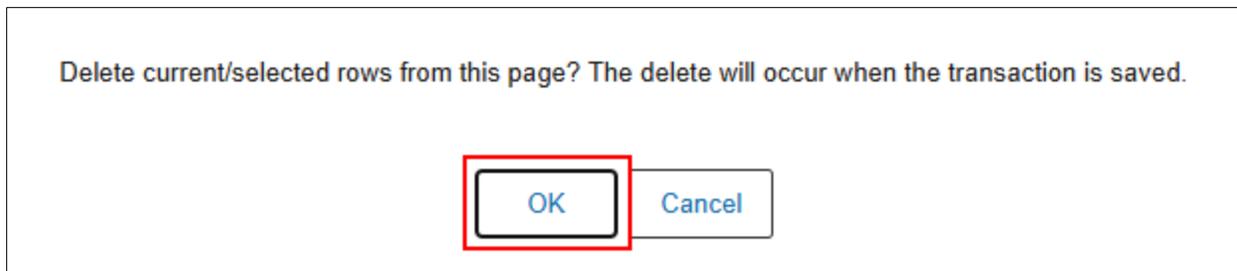

Disciplinary Action   Find | View All   First ◀ 1 of 2 ▶ Last

➢ Click the minus (-) button to delete the record

➢ Confirm the deletion

1. Click **OK**

2. Click **Save**

Note: Discipline documents will not be deleted from the employee's P-file when the corresponding discipline record is deleted in PeopleSoft HCM. Discipline documents can only be deleted from the employee's P-file by submitting a deletion request through the employee's P-file. If a discipline record has been deleted from PeopleSoft HCM and you need to delete the corresponding discipline document from the P-file, work with a P-File User in your agency to submit a deletion request for the document.

Document deletion requests are routed to Central DPM for approval.

To submit a request to delete a document from a P-file:

➢ Navigate to the employee's P-File:

Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources Dashboard > P-File Administrator Tile > P-File
or
Workforce Administrator Homepage > Human Resources Dashboard > Person Tile > Modify a Person
or
NavBar > State of Wisconsin (STAR) > Human Resources > Process > Document Management > Employee Personnel File
or
NavBar > Workforce Administration > Personal Information > Biographical > Modify a Person

1. Click the yellow paper icon next to P-File section where the document is located.

2. Click the trash can icon next to the document that should be deleted.

	Document Effective Date	Business Unit	Attached File	Status					
☐	09/20/2022		AWARD_LastNameFirstNameMI_mmddyy.docx	Available		🗑			

Empl ID [blurred] John Smith

Evidence of Awards Received from the State

☐ Toggle Select

3. Enter the reason for the deletion request.

4. Click Submit.

Document Deletion Request ✕

Empl ID [blurred] John Smith

Reason for deletion

Enter reason for deletion here

Submit   Cancel

You will receive notification that your document deletion request was sent to Central DPM. Additionally, an email will be sent to Central DPM notifying them of the deletion request.

Your delete request has been submitted for approval and processing. (0,0)

OK

The document status will show as "Pending Deletion" until the deletion request is either approved or denied by Central DPM.

NOTE*:* If there is only one disciplinary record in **PeopleSoft HCM** for the employee, it cannot be deleted by an agency. A JIRA ticket must be submitted to delete the record.

To submit a JIRA Ticket, you must be logged into the JIRA system:
https://all-star.wi.gov/servicedesk/customer/portal/1. You must be an approved user to log into the JIRA system, so please work with someone in your agency who is approved to log into the JIRA system if you are not an approved user.

Once you are logged into the JIRA system, you will be routed to a page that lists several ticket types from which to choose.   Select the "Core Human Resources" option and proceed with submitting your ticket request. Once submitted, your ticket request will be routed to the appropriate Central DPM work unit for deletion.

It is important not to leave the erroneous record in PeopleSoft as it will be attached to an employee throughout their career.

Administrative Information
1. This job aid was updated in January 2024 to include naming conventions for disciplinary documents, provide clarification regarding the deletion process and more detailed instructions regarding how to submit a deletion request.
2. This job aid was updated in March 2026 to reflect the addition of "in lieu of" suspension options and to ensure the Discipline Outcomes match the Grievance Types in the Grievance Module.