

# Terminal Agency Coordinator (TAC) nexTESTGuide

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This guide is designed for TACs using nexTEST features that track your agency's operators' certifications and Rebackground dates.

### Logging In

To log into nexTEST the TAC will start at the Launchpad which can be found here: <a href="https://nextest.wsp.wa.gov/launchpad/index.pl">https://nextest.wsp.wa.gov/launchpad/index.pl</a>

The Launchpad looks like this, and you will find nexTEST in the top left corner:



When you click on nexTEST the log in screen will then populate and look like this. *If you are performing TAC duties, sign into the AGENCYLOGIN*. If you are trying to take your security awareness training or recertification, then you will need to use the User Login.



When you click on the Agency Login you will see the following:

As the TAC you will log into the Agency Login area using the same username and password as the User Login for the nexTEST system. If you are a current Omnixx user, your username and password are the same as Omnixx. If you do not use Omnixx you will have to contact ACCESS at ACCESS@wsp.wa.gov to get your username and password.



Once you sign in, the window below will be displayed. Help is available by selecting the cicon.

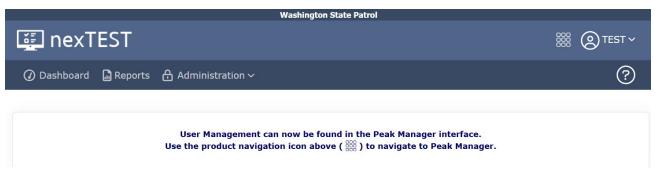


Within User Management and Class Management, TACs and Assistant Admins (Assistant TACs) can use the Navigation drop down menu under the Administration tab to toggle between sections. The Reports section has its own tab on top to toggle to when not on the home page.

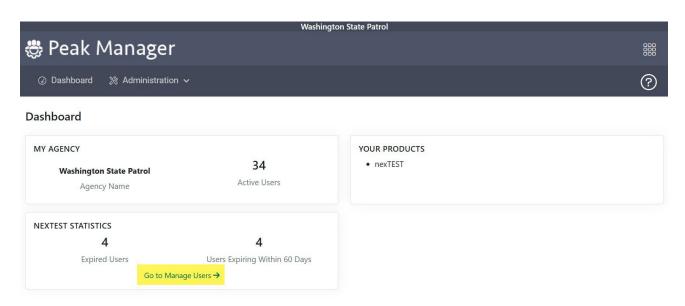


# <u>User Management</u>

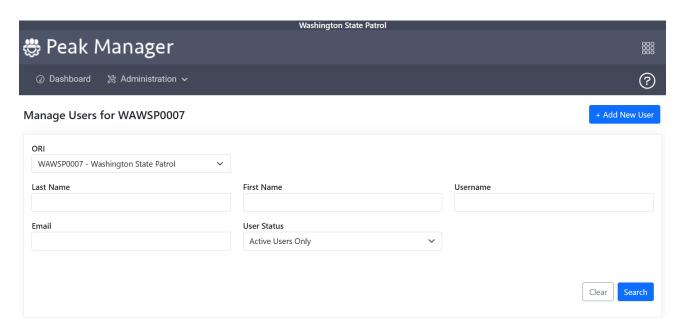
To manage users, you will need to select User Management or the symbol with 9 boxes in the top right corner near your profile information. This will take you to Peak Manager. Peak Manager was added in March of 2025 by our vendor in order to consolidate the management of users and agencies within the CJIS Apps.



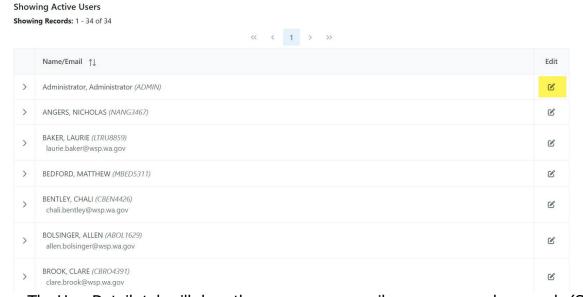
Once you switch to Peak Manager you can select Manage Users.



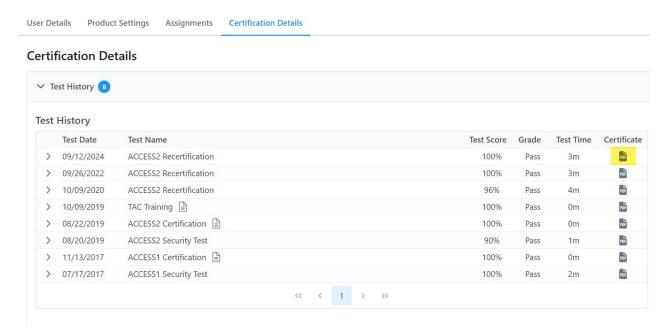
Selecting Manage Users will allow you to view user profiles, test history, and print their certificates. You can edit the user to add the fingerprint (Rebackground) date. You can search users by their last name, first name, username, or email. You can also sort the users by status.



To view a user profile, select the edit button (highlighted below).



- The User Details tab will show the users name, email, username, and user code (SID).
- The Product Setting tab will show the users certification level, expiration date, and fingerprint date (5-year rebackground date).
- The Assignments is where you can assign assistant TACs.
- The Certification Details tab will show test history, training history, and current class registrations. This is also the tab you want to navigate to download certificates (highlighted below).

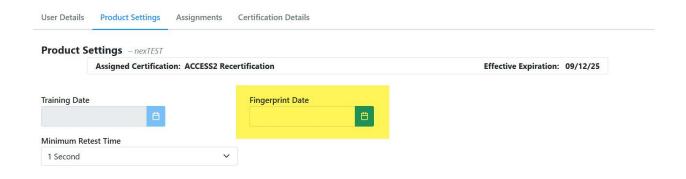


**NOTE:** If you are looking at the Test History and there is no certificate available that indicates that the user did not complete their test. Users often just review the training and don't complete their tests. In this situation TACs should login to nex TEST to verify if the user completed their test.

### Adding 5-Year Rebackground Date

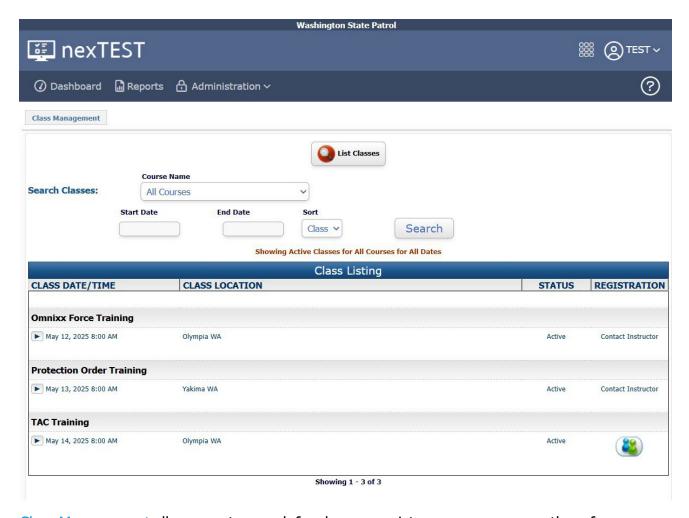
TACs are required to add the 5-year rebackground date for their ACCESS certified users to nexTEST. In nexTEST this field is the Fingerprint Date. To add the 5-year rebackground date go to the Product Setting tab and input a date and select save.

**NOTE:** There is no history kept with the fingerprint/rebackground date information. You cannot add a future date to the system.



## Class Management

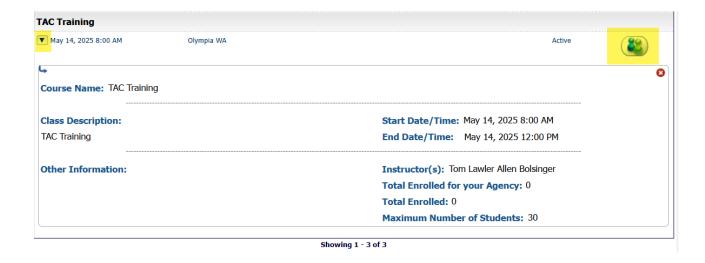
To register a student for class you will have to navigate back to nexTEST (not within Peak Manager). Under the administration tab select class management. That will bring you to the screen below.



Class Management allows you to search for classes, register users, or remove them from upcoming classes. All available sessions will be displayed, or you can choose to display specific sessions using the scroll down button under Course Name.

Selecting the highlighted arrow in front of the class will give you the specific details of the class. When the class indicates Contact Instructor, selecting those details will provide further information.

To register a student to class, select the registration icon (highlighted below).

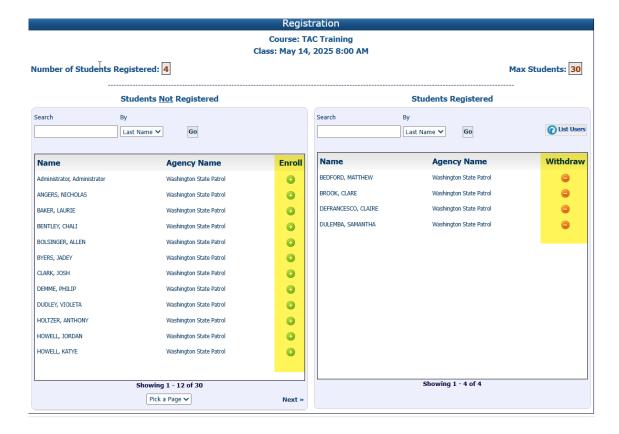


When you click on the registration icon the below will display. You can search for users by last name, username, or usercode (SID). This search field allows for partial searches if you don't know all the information.

**Example:** You can search the letter "T" for the last name and all last names that begin with a "T" will be displayed.

You will be able to enroll users into a class or withdraw them by selecting the plus or minus icon next to each user. You can only enroll or withdraw users that you are a TAC for.

**NOTE**: It is important for TACs to withdraw users that will not be attending the class. Class sizes are limited.



### **Reports**

To generate reports, you want to click on the Report icon within your nexTEST dashboard. Reports will NOT work in Peak Manager. Below are the different reports available.

The Certification Status Report will show you a report with your users' certification expiration dates.

The Test Activity Report will show all your users' test activity.

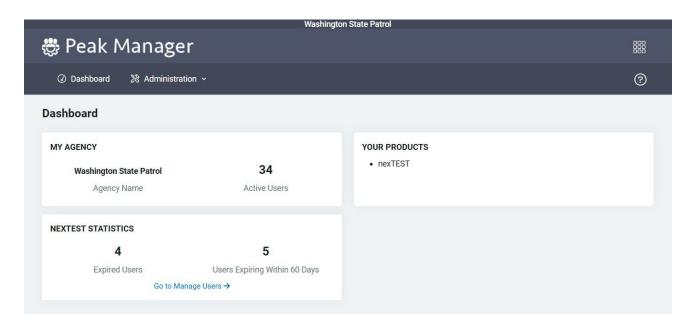
The Fingerprint Report will show all your users 5-year rebackground dates. You can also generate a report for users with a missing rebackground date.

### **Assistant TACs**

Assistant TACs can be assigned by a TAC within nexTEST by selecting "Assistant Admins" from the Administration drop down.

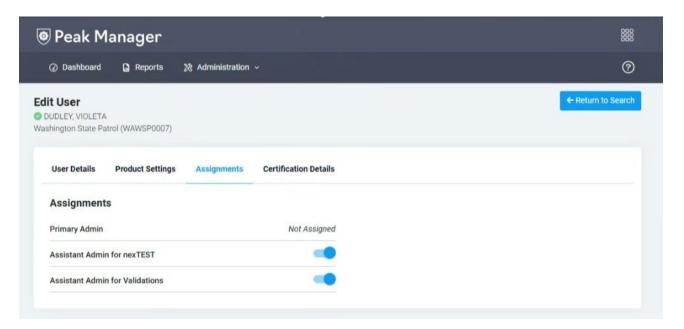


You will need to navigate to Peak Manager and go to manage users.



Search for the user that you want to assign as Assistant TAC and select edit. In the assignments tab, toggle the radio button to the right to assign the user as an Assistant TAC.

NOTE: You can also assign an Assistant Admin for CJIS Validations in this screen.



If you want your assistant TAC to receive expiration notifications, you will need to manually add their email by navigating to the "My Info" screen.



Scroll down to the "Agency Information" shown below. If you have multiple assistant TACs the emails must be separated by a semi colon (green arrow).

**NOTE:** If you change your email address in the "My Info" screen you must also notify ACCESS at <a href="mailto:access@wsp.wa.gov">access@wsp.wa.gov</a> via a Memo 550. You do not need to notify ACCESS if you change your assistant TACs.

