

## Quick Guide –

### Setting IMS Preferences

**Subject:** IMS Set Preferences

**Intent:** Instructions for using the IMS Set Preferences utility.

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#### Overview

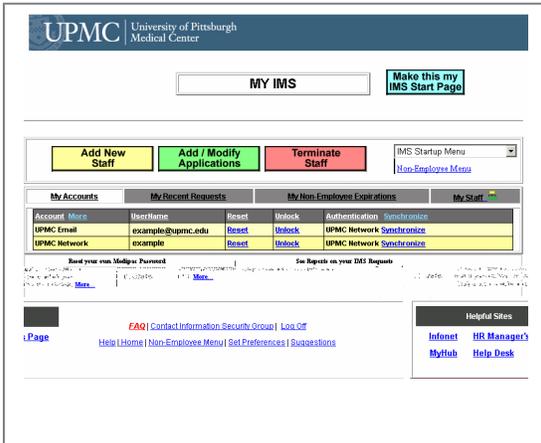
The Identity Management System (IMS) Set Preferences module enables UPMC staff to modify the appearance of IMS in their web browsers.

With the IMS Set Preferences utility, you can:

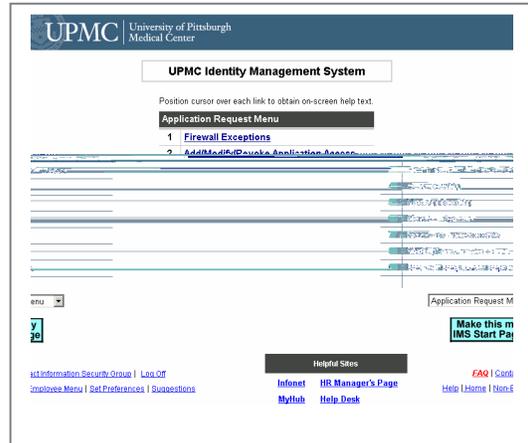
- [Set your default IMS startup menu.](#)
- [On the Application Request form, display only the computer applications used by your department.](#)
- [Pre-populate the Create New E-Sign-On form with common information such as department name, address and phone number.](#)

### Starting the Set Preferences Utility

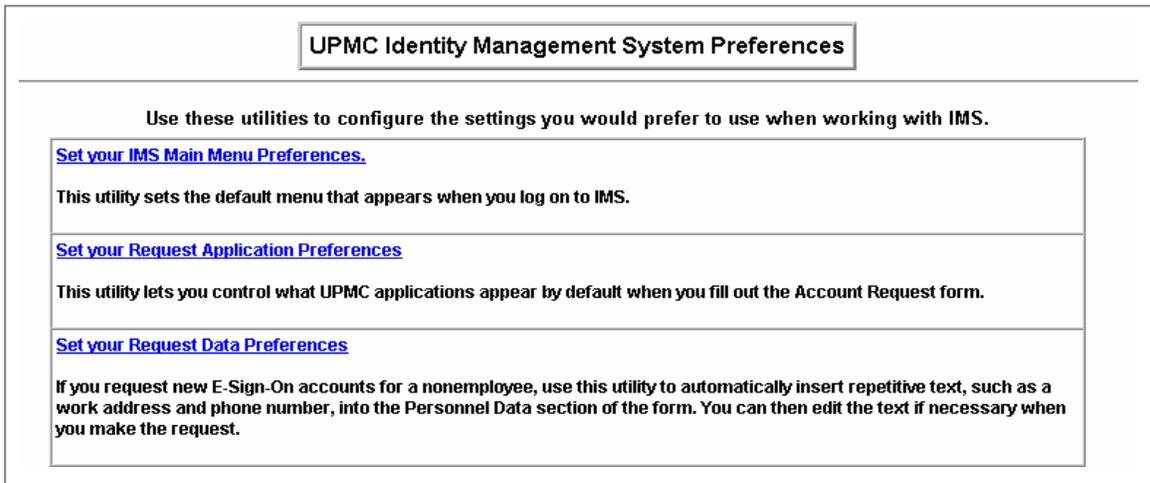
Go to the Infosec IMS web site (<https://infosec.upmc.com>) and log on using your E-Sign-On account ID and password. One of the IMS menus is displayed. The menu you see will either be the “My IMS” portal page, or one of the IMS function menus.



or



Select **Set Preferences** from the links at the bottom of the page. IMS displays the following menu:



You can now identify the preference that you wish to set.

### Setting your IMS Main Menu Preference

In addition to the following process, any time you see the blue **Make this my IMS Start Page** button on a page, you can make that page your startup menu simply by selecting that button.

#### Step 1: Access the UPMC E-Sign-On Preferences utility

Log into IMS and select **Set Preferences** from the links at the bottom of the page.

Select **Set your IMS Main Menu Preferences**. IMS displays the following form:

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Change UPMC E-Sign-On Preferences". It contains the following elements:

- A title bar with the text "Change UPMC E-Sign-On Preferences".
- An "E-Sign-On ID" label followed by a text input field containing "Example1234".
- A section header "Menu Information" in a dark grey bar.
- A "My IMS Startup Menu" label followed by a dropdown menu currently showing "Application Request Menu".
- A "Change Startup Menu Preference" button at the bottom.

You can now select your default startup menu.

#### Step 2: Select a specific menu from dropdown list

From the drop-down list, select the menu you wish to use as the default.

**Note:** If you are trying to select a menu, and you do not see it on the dropdown list, it means you do not have access to that menu. Only UPMC managers are automatically granted access to some menus and forms. If you need access to one of those forms and you are not a UPMC manager, your manager must delegate access to you using the [IMS Delegate utility](#).

#### Step 3: Finalize the change

When you are finished, press **Change Startup Menu Preference**.

#### Result: IMS Sets Your Default Menu Preference

IMS automatically displays the menu you have selected. This menu will now appear each time you log on to IMS.

### Setting your default computer applications

#### Step 1: Access the Set UPMC Application Request(s) Preferences utility

Log into IMS and select **Set Preferences** from the links at the bottom of the page.

From the IMS Set Preferences utility, select **Set your Request Application Preferences**. IMS displays the following form:

**Set UPMC Application Request(s) Preferences**

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Select applications from Applications Available list to set Application Request(s) Preferences.

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E-Sign-On ID :

--Select A Location--

Applications Available		Applications Selected
A.P. Imaging AASM Abacus AccessAnyware Achieve Beaver Hospital Canopy Cerner Churchill Clarity Clinician Cognos	<input type="button" value="&gt;"/> <input type="button" value="&gt;&gt;"/> <input type="button" value="&lt;"/> <input type="button" value="&lt;&lt;"/>	

**Sort Order**

You can now configure which applications you wish to see on the IMS Application Request form.

### Step 2: Select Applications

Scroll through the “Applications Available” list, to find the applications you wish to show, and highlight each one by clicking on it.

**Note:** You can hold down the CTRL key while clicking to highlight multiple applications at once.

When you are finished highlighting applications, press the > button to add those applications to the “Applications Selected” list. The page will look similar to this:

**Set UPMC Application Request(s) Preferences**

Select applications from Applications Available list to set Application Request(s) Preferences.

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E-Sign-On ID :

--Select A Location--

Applications Available		Applications Selected	
A.P. Imaging	>	AccessAnyware	Sort Order ↑ ↓
AASM	>>	MARS	
Abacus	<	UPMC Email	
Achieve	<<	UPMC Network	
Beaver Hospital			
Canopy			
Cerner			
Churchill			
Clarity			
Clinician			
Cognos			
Connect@UPMC			

Set Application Request(s) Preferences

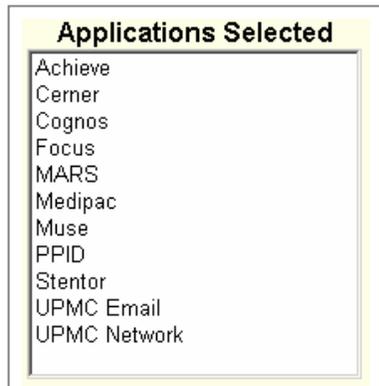
You can add more applications to the “Applications Selected” list in the same way, or remove some by highlighting them in the selected list and pressing the < button.

You can move all applications from the available list to the selected list by pressing the >> button, and move all selected applications back to the available list by pressing the << button. You can select a pre-defined list of applications that are common for users at a particular location by choosing that location from the drop-down menu.

You can now sort the applications so they are displayed in the order you want them to appear on the form.

### Step 4: Arrange Order of Applications

When you add multiple applications at once, IMS places the applications you have selected in alphabetical order in the Applications Selected section of the form. If you add applications in several steps, the Applications Selected section displays the most recently added applications at the top of the list.



If you save this configuration setting, your default IMS Application Request form will display them as follows:

**Account Requests**

**A. Accounts**

Achieve	No Change	Cerner	No Change
Cognos	No Change	Focus	No Change
MARS	No Change	Medipac	No Change
Muse	No Change	PPID	No Change
Stentor	No Change	UPMC Email	No Change
UPMC Network	No Change		

The IMS Preferences utility enables you to display the applications in any order you choose.

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For example, to place the UPMC Network application at the top of the column, highlight the application name in the Applications Selected list, and then press the “up arrow” button to move the highlighted application towards the top.

Pressing the button multiple times can move the application all the way to the top. You can also move applications down on the list using the “down arrow”. When you finish positioning the selected applications, press **Set Application Request Preferences**.

### Result: IMS Sets Your Default Menu Preference

IMS sets the applications you have selected to appear the next time you use the Application Request form.

Based on the example above, IMS would display your Application Request form as follows:

#### Account Requests

A. Accounts			
UPMC Network	No Change	Achieve	No Change
Cerner	No Change	Cognos	No Change
Focus	No Change	MARS	No Change
Medipac	No Change	Muse	No Change
PPID	No Change	Stentor	No Change
UPMC Email	No Change		

## Setting default data for creating a new E-Sign-On

### Step 1: Access the Set UPMC Application Request(s) Preferences utility

Log into IMS and select **Set Preferences** from the links at the bottom of the page.

From the IMS Set Preferences utility, select **Set your Request Data Preferences**. IMS displays the following form in a new window:

Set Data Preference for New E-Sign-On Account	
<b>Demographics Preference</b>	
Job Title :	<input type="text"/> ( Enter HR Job Title or User Title as Applicable )
Cost Center :	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> ( Enter HR Cost Code ex: 50027 01UPMCS ) CostCenter Business Unit
Department Name :	<input type="text"/>
Hospital Affiliation :	–Select–
Office Address 1 :	<input type="text"/>
Office Address 2 :	<input type="text"/>
Office Address 3 :	<input type="text"/>
City :	<input type="text"/>
State :	AK
Zip:	<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
Phone :	1-( <input type="text"/> ) - <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> Ext. <input type="text"/>
<b>Email Address Preference</b>	
Account Coordinator Email :	<input type="text"/>
Manager Email :	<input type="text"/>
Copy Request to Email :	<input type="text"/>
<b>UPMC Network Preference</b>	
Attach To Hospital Unit: [Organizational Unit (OU)]	–Select–
<input type="button" value="Set Preference"/>	

You can now configure the default data to use when you are creating new E-Sign-On accounts using the IMS Request New E-Sign-On utility.

### **Step 2: Fill Out Form**

Use the form to enter data that will be entered into the New E-Sign-On utility automatically whenever you use it. You will be able to change this default text when you use the utility.

For example, if you commonly only create E-Sign-On accounts for computer users at a particular location, enter the address information for that location and you will not have to re-enter that information every time you create a new E-Sign-On. If you need to create an E-Sign-On for a computer user at another location, simply delete the default information from the form and enter the new location.

When you finish filling out the form, select **Set Preference**.

### **Result: IMS sets your default data preference**

IMS sets your data preferences so that the next time you manually create an E-Sign-On account for someone, the form is pre-populated with the default data you specified through this utility.

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