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FOLIO is an **open source** library services platform that integrates print and electronic resource management.

It includes core library management functionality and is built on a modern architecture to ensure continuous innovation, and it supports the integration of applications from third-party providers.

FOLIO provides improved features and workflows versus legacy systems. The new model for building FOLIO is based on librarian input and collaboration. EBSCO elevates the value of the open source community by providing dedicated support services and enriched software, ensuring that FOLIO is accessible to libraries of all sizes.

## EBSCO FOLIO Services

EBSCO provides dedicated implementation services and support for FOLIO. Our engineers work to secure and improve community-released code, enriching the software with additional functionality such as analytics capabilities with Panorama. EBSCO ensures the security of FOLIO through our hosting environment and the expertise of our Information Security teams, who hold specialized certifications in information systems, intrusion analysis and prevention, incident handling and computer forensics. The EBSCO FOLIO Implementation Consultant team members serve as project managers and help streamline the implementation process, serving as liaisons between your library and multiple product implementation teams.

## Features & Functionality

FOLIO workflows were built to address the many pain points in existing systems and provide new features and functionality. **Examples include:**

- ✔ **Knowledge base** – Through the integration with the EBSCO knowledge base and EBSCO HLM, FOLIO speeds the time from e-resources ordering to discovery.
- ✔ **Electronic Resource Management (ERM)** – FOLIO is the only solution that provides an ERM platform that can support most workflows.
- ✔ **Data import and export** – FOLIO improves on data import through intuitive and flexible data import routines and field mapping for the various FOLIO record types. Data export is easy to use, robust and its functionality can be easily expanded.
- ✔ **Circulation** – FOLIO has an easy to maintain circulation table and a superb document assembly tool for staff and patron notices, featuring text and tokens.
- ✔ **Inventory management** – While it can use MARC, FOLIO is a post-MARC system.
- ✔ **Open APIs** – FOLIO has APIs throughout the system, so libraries can easily connect to external systems such as a learning management system or a student information system.
- ✔ **Simple and customizable workflows** – FOLIO removes complexity from workflows, so that excessive knowledge is not required to perform basic tasks. Workflows can also be customized for your institution.

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