

Attributes help you categorize People Records based on their involvement with your nonprofit. For example, you can use Attributes to identify active/inactive Volunteers, Major Donors, Grassroots Organizers, and more. Attributes are completely customizable so that you can easily identify the correct label for each record in your database.

In Julep, **Attributes** have two layers:


- **Attribute Category** – This tells the end user the nature of the attribute. For example:
 - Volunteer
 - Major Donor
 - Staff
- **Attribute** – This identifies the exact relationship of the People Record. For example
 - **Volunteer**
 - Events
 - After School Program





















Setting up Attribute Codes




In order to organize your records, you must first create the attributes and the attribute categories. Note: **Julep** does come with defaults, however, you can modify these as needed.



Click on the **People Dashboard** from the **Main Menu** on the left-hand side and then click the button in the top right of the **Navigation Bar** to open **People Settings**.

1. Select the **Attribute tab**.
 - To easily see all **Attributes**, before viewing **Categories**, click . If the Attribute Category already exists, skip to Step 6 to add **Attributes**.
2. A list of existing **Attribute Categories** will appear so that you can view and manage. Click the **Add** button to setup a new Attribute Category.

Add		Show All Attributes
Search Attribute Category		
Attribute Category	Labeling	Note
  Volunteer	Attribute and Category (e.g. Event Volunteer)	
  Participant	Attribute Only (e.g. Staff)	
  Mission Connection	Attribute Only (e.g. Staff)	
  Sponsor	Attribute Only (e.g. Staff)	
  Staff / Org	Category and Attribute (e.g. Prospect Donor)	
  Press	Category and Attribute (e.g. Prospect Donor)	
  Vendor	Attribute Only (e.g. Staff)	
  Govt Officials	Category and Attribute (e.g. Prospect Donor)	
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3. To add, fill out the **Attribute Category** and select a **Labeling** order.
 - Labeling will determine how the Attribute is displayed elsewhere in Julep. For example, “Category - Attribute” will always put the Attribute Category first, followed by a hyphen and then the Attribute (eg Volunteer – Phone Banking).
4. Click **Save** when done.
5. Next, to add the **Attributes**, first select the respective **Category** by clicking  .
6. Then click  in the **Edit Attribute Category** window.
7. Click  and add the **Attribute Name** and Note, if desired:

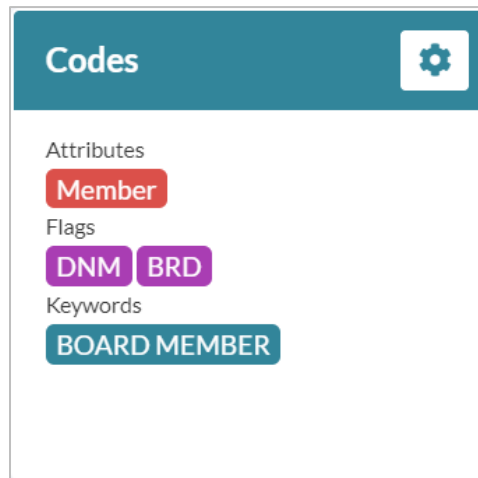
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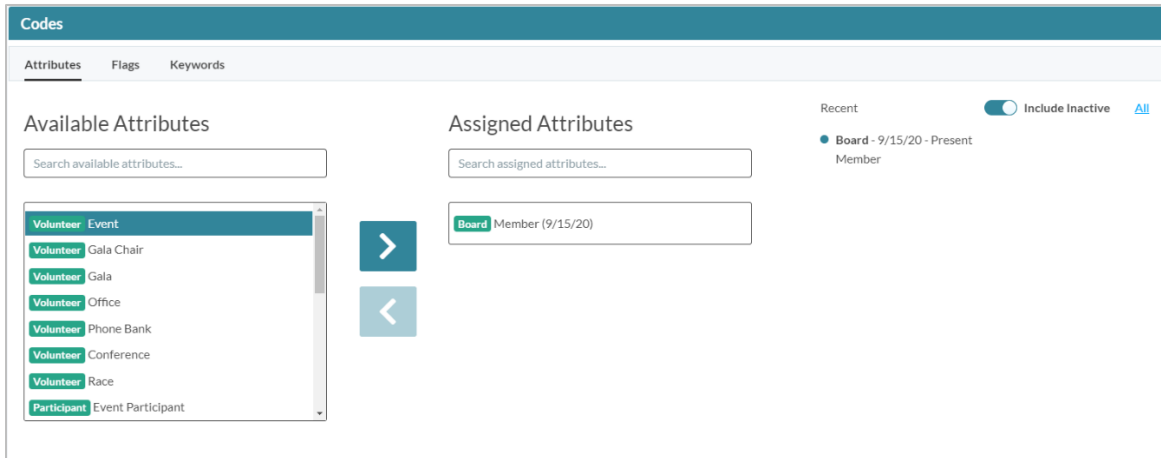
8. Click **Save** when done.

Assigning Attributes to People Records

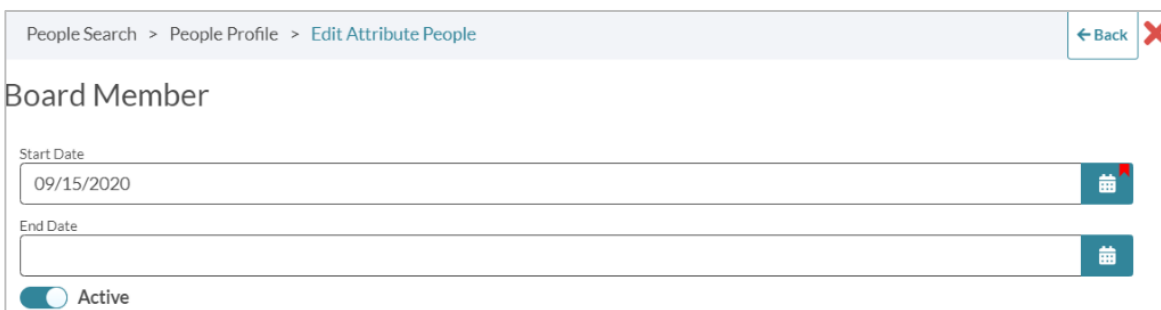
When in a **People Profile**, you can assign **Attributes**, and other helpful codes. Simply click on the **Codes** panel box, and you will be defaulted to the **Attributes** tab.



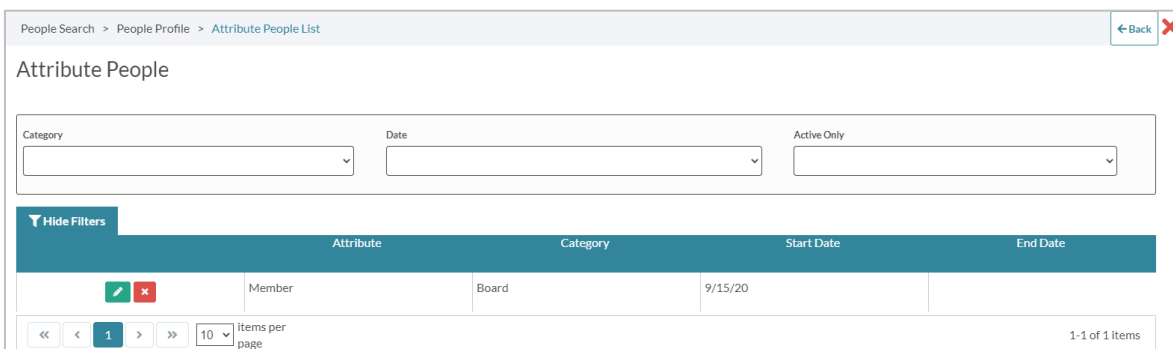
- From here, select any of the available **Attributes** and use the  icon to assign it.
- Select from assigned **Attributes** and use the reverse arrow to remove an Attribute.
- The item in a green label is the attribute’s **Category**.



- Once an **Attribute** is assigned, it will be added to the **Recent** list on the right-hand side.
- Use the **Include Inactive** toggle to remove or include inactive **Attributes**.
- To access the additional **Attribute** features, select the assigned Attribute from here.
- In the edit window, you can adjust the **Start** and **End Dates** by typing or using the calendar tool.
- The **Attribute** will default to **Active** or **Inactive** depending on if there is an End Date and if that date has passed. You can override this by clicking the toggle.



- Lastly, to view all assigned **Attributes** in a list view, click **All** to the top right of the Recent list. From here, you can use the filters to sort, delete, or open one for editing.



Mass Append – People Search

You can use Julep’s **Mass Append** feature to append Attributes to a set of **People Search** results.

1. Run your desired People Search and then select **Mass Append** (next to **Export**).

2. From the new window, click the **Attribute** tab.

3. From here, use the lookup tool to find the **Attribute**.

4. Enter the start and end dates, and when finished click

Submit

Import – New Contacts or New Gifts

When importing an Excel as part of a New Gift, New Contacts, or Append import, follow the same import process as you normally would for a **New Contacts** or **New Gifts** Import, but add the following columns to be able to import **Attribute** information:

- **Attribute Name** – Put the Attribute name here, just the name not the Category.
 - NOTE: The Attribute must exist in **People Settings** first to be able to import.
- **Attribute Start Date** – This is for the Start Date.
- **Attribute End Date** – This is for the End Date, not required.
- **Attribute Active** – Julep will either assume based on date information, or you can use a Y for active or N for inactive.