## Financial- How to write off bad debt

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The Charge/Reduce Revenue section allows administrators the ability to simplify adjustments made to financial ledgers for families in the system.

- Using this method, administrators can select what Type Fee Valid Values can be setup in the system to have a write off adjustment.
- For a Type Fee Valid Value to be used to write off, Write-Off Family Bad Debt must be selected in the Revenue Adjustment Type drop down list.

Here are the directions for how to add a type > fee valid value

Go to the family's financial ledger (how to search for a family)

Then on the family's financial ledger select the Actions menu, then select Charge/Reduce revenue.

<	Baggins Family Family ID 323500 Internal Note:					<b>2</b> Student(s)	<b>Regular</b> Statement Type			440.00 Balance Outstandi Add/View Journal Not		anding	
ummary	Family	Children	Parents	Third Party	Volunteers	Communication	Auto-Pay	Vacation	Financials	Receipts	Merge		
Year	2018	•						Total Outs	-				
								\$ 440.00	)			Actio	ns <del>-</del>
Stat	ement l							\$ 440.00		djustments	Add Fee	Action	ns <del>-</del>
Stat	ement I Use	List	Post Date	e De	escription			\$ 440.00	Ad Cl	djustments narge/Redu ake Payme	uce Reven		ns <del>-</del>
	Use	List er		e De Range: 01/01		/31/2018		\$ 440.00	Ad Cl	narge/Redu	uce Reven		
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Select the option- Write Off Family Bad Debt from the I WANT TO field.

Charge/Reduce Revenue	
Family:	I WANT TO: *
Baggins Family	\$ Write-Off Family Bad Debt
	Please select an Adjustment Category
	Charge Revenue
Adjustment Type: *	Reduce Revenue
\$ Payment Write Off	Write-Off Family Bad Debt
Post Date: *	

Under the adjustment type menu select the Payment Write Off valid value.

Family:		I WANT TO: *				
Bagg	ins Family	\$	amily Bad Debt			
Adjusti	ment Type: *			Adjustment Amou		
\$	Payment Write Off		, m	\$ 0		
	Please select an Adjustment Type		U			

Enter the adjustment amount, post date and any related note, then press Save.

Charge/Reduce Revenue	
<sup>Family:</sup> Baggins Family	I WANT TO: *       \$     Write-Off Family Bad Debt
Adjustment Type: * S Payment Write Off	Adjustment Amount: *       •     \$ -44
Post Date: * 03/08/2018	
Notes: Bad Debt Period - show on current period (mm/dd/yyyy):	
From Date: To Date 03/08/2018	03/08/2018
Summary	
Balance before Adjustment:	440.00
Adjustment:	-44.00
Balance after Adjustment:	396.00
	Save