

## Editing your Patron Mobile App Screens

Within the MHLS Patron Mobile App, each member library has a profile. This profile allows each member to manage and control design elements to customize the experience that their patrons will have within the app. Your site will come pre-configured with access to the catalog and centrally managed resources. The rest will be up to you to customize.

### Landing Screen

Once logged in you will see the apps main landing screen. This includes the core information that connects your library to the catalog and app store. Much of this should not be edited, but you can edit your library name, and upload Brand images for your app

#### Edit Mobile App: MHLS: Catskill Library

OVERVIEW  
CHANNELS  
CONTENT  
MOBILE APPS  
USERS  
GROUPS  
TOOLS  
LOGOUT

**Name** MHLS: Catskill Library

**Published Title** Catskill Library

**Data Provider** MHLS: Catskill Library :[innovative.sierra] Edit

**Search Data Provider** -- None Edit

**Events Data Provider** -- None Edit

**Tracker Data Provider** MHLS-Tracker:[solus.readingtracker] Edit

**List Data Provider** MHLS-Lists:[solus.lists] Edit

**eContent Providers** Mid-Hudson Library System - OverDrive Edit

**Icon Image** icon-512.png (2439 bytes) View Replace

**Splash Image** Choose File No file chosen

**Header Image** Logo.png (44418 bytes) View Replace

**Header Alignment** Centre

Home Screen << Select a node to edit settings

Features  Beacons

Do not edit

### Home Page

Most editing will take place in your Home Screen. This series of folders replicates the buttons on the app. The folders in the home screen are the first layer of buttons. Use the “+” to expand the folder.

The next layer creates a submenu after you click select the menu button. Drag the folders up and down to reorder or place into a submenu.

Home Screen

- My Account
- Libby
- Online Resources
- Nearest Libraries
- Scan ISBN Barcode

MID-HUDSON LIBRARY SYSTEM  
66 Libraries Great Community

Search

MY BARCODE

My Account  
Manage loans, holds & more

Libby  
Download eBooks, eAudiobooks and eMagazines

Online Resources

Nearest Libraries  
Find a library branch convenient for you

Scan ISBN Barcode  
Scan the barcode on the back of a book to see if the library has a copy

## Content

Find Content on the left Menu. Think of Content as resources that you can add to buttons in the Home Screen. We have provided the vendor with some content for you already. Any resource that you wish to include at any level, needs to be created in the content group.

Type	Content Name ▲	Visibility	Size	Duration	Ready	Delete
	MHLS: .Catskill Library - Events	0 Channels	0 bytes	30 secs	True	Delete
	MHLS: .Catskill Library - Facebook	0 Channels	0 bytes	30 secs	True	Delete

### Adding Content example: Libby

1. Click  Add new Content
2. Name your Content
3. Enter the URL <https://libbyapp.com/library/mhls/>

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## Home Screen

The Home Screen displays the tabs available to the patron. In addition, you can include a carousel of book titles that cycle at the top of the Home Screen tab. You can define the titles in the carousel as well as up to nine other feeds that are presented as lists on a separate page.

### The Edit Tab: Home Screen page has these options:

#### Show Search on Home Screen

Specifies how or whether the search field appears on the Home Screen. You have three options: Always, Post-Login (the search field appears only after the user has signed in), and Never.

#### Search Configuration

Displays a list of the institutions in your organization. When you select an institution, the Library Search options for that institution display below the institution name.

After you select an institution, you then have the following options to configure the search:

- Institution list—Displays a list of the Mobile App institutions in your organization. When you select an institution, the Library Search options for that institution display below the institution name.
- Default Search Limit—Specifies the Mobile App Search Limit, if any, to apply to the library search.

- Expanded Search Limit—Specifies the Mobile App Search Limit, if any, to include as an alternate to the Default Search Limit. Typically, this search limit provides the user a wider search. When you specify an Expanded Search Limit, the app displays an ellipses icon ( "... " ) next to the search limit. When you select to provide no Expanded Search Limit, a cancel icon ( "x" ) is displayed next to the search limit in the app to allow users to clear the Default Search Limit (if one is enabled).
- Search Target—Specifies the Mobile App Search Target, if any, to search against.
- Include ISBN Scanner—Specifies whether to display the ISBN Scanner option on the tab.
- Include Result Indicators—Specifies whether to display numbers on the thumbnails of each item in the search results, indicating their position in the search results.

## Carousel Feeds

Displays the titles of Feed 1 as a carousel that highlights one title at a time. Below the carousel is a More button that opens a tab that displays all the feeds that you have defined. When disabled, no title feeds are displayed in the app.

## Home Screen Display

Specifies how the carousel displays on the Home page of the app. When Autoscroll is enabled, the items in the carousel automatically cycle to show each item in the list. Users can choose to manually move to the next or previous item.

When disabled, the items do not cycle through the list unless the user manually selects to move to the next or previous item. You can display the items as a Coverflow (several items appear on the list with one centered as the focus) or Slide (several items appear on the list without any one item as the focus).

## Feed 1-10

A feed is an individual list of items in your ILS. You have these options:

Option	Description
Title	A descriptive category name that will appear above the list of items in the feed. You can also define languages for the title by choosing the flag and then choosing a language for the title.
Type	Specifies the means of identifying the items to include in the feed. You have these options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bibliographic ID—Specifies the bib identification numbers, as found in the ILS.</li> <li>• ISBN—Specifies the ISBN numbers of the items.</li> <li>• Enterprise RSS—Specifies an RSS feed from a search performed in your ILS. The Mobile App displays the first 30 items defined in the list to display in the feed.</li> </ul>
Items	Specifies the items to include in the feed. Separate each Bibliographic ID or ISBN with a comma, depending on the type. If the feed type is for Enterprise RSS, enter the RSS URL (enter only a single URL).  Important: Only the first 30 IDs or ISBN numbers listed in the Items box can be displayed in the carousel on the app.