

Training Guide – Asset Management

# **Parent-Child Relationships**

State of Kansas

Applicable Role(s):

Agency Asset Processor

KS Assets Viewer

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#### Parent-Child Asset Overview—Business Process Flow



Creating Parent-Child Asset Relationship Process

- Parent-child assets are assets that are grouped together for ease of processing and reporting
  - They are linked in name only. The costs of the Parent and Child Assets do NOT get lumped together for reporting.
  - The parent and child assets have their own cost and depreciation information.
- One of the benefits of using Parent-Child Relationships is that the system will warn you that there is a Child Asset when retiring the Parent.
- You must establish the Parent Asset before defining Child Assets. Otherwise, there will be no Parent Asset available in the Parent ID lookup.
- Parent-child relationships are used to link building improvements to their associated building and land improvements to their associated land. That is the only time Parent-Child relationships are required. (See the Property Assets lesson for more information.) All other uses of this functionality are up to the agency.

#### Two Methods to Establishing Parent-Child Relationships

- Method 1: Designate one component at the parent asset
  - Designate one of the asset's components as the parent either in Express Add or Basic Add. You then use the parent's asset ID to group the other component(s), which you designate as child assets, together. Each child asset has its own cost basis, depreciation information, and physical tracking information.
  - The Parent Asset does have cost in this method. It is a physical, tangible asset.

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• The following shows where to establish the relationship in Basic Add. The same dropdown exists in Express Add.

General Information	Operation/Maintenance Asset Acquisition Detail Locatio	tion/Comments/Attributes
Unit: 17300 Asset	ID: 00000000231 Dillon House	Tag: 28184 Surplus
Asset Information		
Description:	Dillon House Short Description	on: Dillon Hou 🏷
CAP #:	Set R and D Info.	)
🗹 Taggable Asset	Tag Number: 28184	
Asset Class:	NONCAPITAL 🤍 Non-Capitalized Asset	Auction Status: Allowed to be Auctioned
Asset Type:	Property 😪	Region Code: 🔍 🔍
Asset Subtype:	HISTORICAL SITE 🔍 Historical Site-Land or Bldg	Capitalized Asset
*Asset Status:	Surplus 🗸	V New Asset
Acquisition Date:	31	Special Disposal Restrictions
Placement Date:	01/01/1997 🛐	Composite Asset
Collateral Asset:	►	Composite Asset ID:
*Acquisition Code:	Purchased	Accel Condition:
FERC Code:	Q	Asset Contation.
Financing Code:	Q	
Fair Market Value:	0.00 USD Appraisal Date:	Fair Market Value Details
Replacement Cost:	Last Update:	<b>B</b>
Index Name:	Q	
Subindex Name:	9	
Parent/Child:	Parent V Parent ID: 00000000231 Q	
Profile ID:	542090 Q Book	(Page

- Method 2: Create a Reporting Umbrella:
  - Create a parent asset that is not a financial asset but rather a conceptual asset, or umbrella asset, that ties together various asset components. In this type of parent-child relationship, each child asset has its own cost basis, depreciation information, and physical tracking information.
  - The parent asset does not have any directly associated cost or depreciation since it exists in name only.
  - The Asset Parent page is used to create an umbrella parent by assigning a parent ID and description. You then use the parent ID to group the other component(s), which you designate as child assets, together.
  - The information that you enter on the Asset Parent page is for reporting only.
    While you can view the components using the Create Parent or Review Parent-Child pages, you cannot perform any financial transactions within these pages.

Page Name	Navigation
Asset Parent	Asset Management>Asset Transactions>Parent-
	Child Relationship>Create Parent

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Unit: 61	1000	Parent ID:	PLAYGROUND1	Child Assets		
escription	n					
Descriptio	on:	Southeast Pla	iyground		Delete Parent	
Comment	ts:					
Add addit	tional	detail here.				
Add addit	tional	detail here.				

#### Asset Parent Page

Fields	Description
Parent ID	SMART does not generate the parent ID.
	Therefore, you must enter a parent ID to describe
	the assets that the umbrella parent covers.
Child Assets	After you add child assets, you can use this link to
	view a list of child assets associated to this parent
Comments	Use this field to provide additional details about the
	reporting umbrella

Asset Parent Fields

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#### **Reviewing Parent-Child Relationships**

• You can view all Parent Child Relationships on the Review Parent-Child page. This page also allows you to navigate to other pages using the Go To >> dropdown.

Page Name	Navigation
Review Parent-Child	Asset Management>Asset Transactions>Parent-
	Child Relationship>Review Parent-Child

Parent and Chi	ld Assets							-
Unit: Ta	Asset ID: 00 g Number: 80	000000145 CAFETERI; 58 <b>Go To &gt;&gt;</b>	4		Status: In S	Service		
Acquisition Code: Purchased Asset Class: CAPITAL Capitalized Asset Acquisition Date: 07/01/1956 Profile ID: CONVERSION CONVERSION - DO NOT USE Manufacturer:								
The following (	Child Assets are	related to this Parent Asse			<u>Custor</u>	nize   Find   \	/iew All   🛄 🛛 Firs	t 🖪 1-2 of 2 🕩 Last
<u>Tag Number</u>	<u>Child Asset ID</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Asset</u> <u>Status</u>	Acquisition Date	<u>Total Cost</u>	Currency	<u>Go To &gt;&gt;</u>	
B058D	000000001432	REROOF,CAFETERIA	In Service	05/31/1985	99963.00	USD		*
B058H8	000000001526	REMODEL,CAFETERIA	In Service	04/01/1995	1852110.00	USD		~