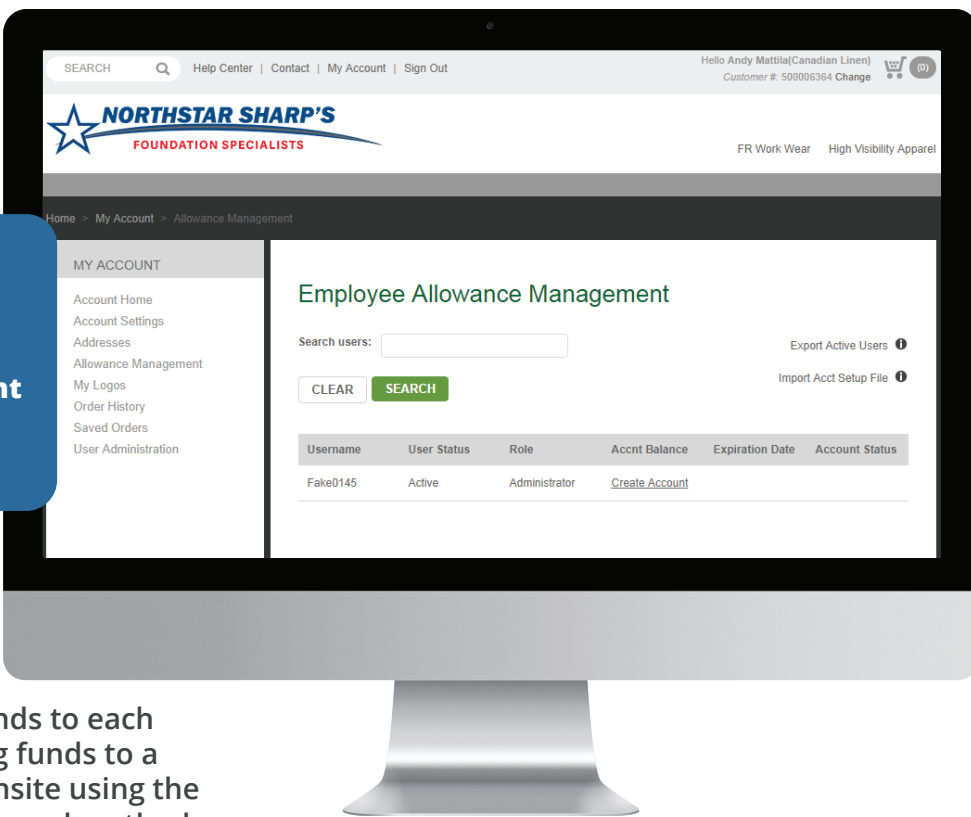


# MANAGING YOUR E-STORE ALLOWANCE ACCOUNTS

Access the Allowance Account Management feature by signing in to your account and selecting the My Account link at the top of the screen followed by the Allowance Management link within the My Account section of your eStore.



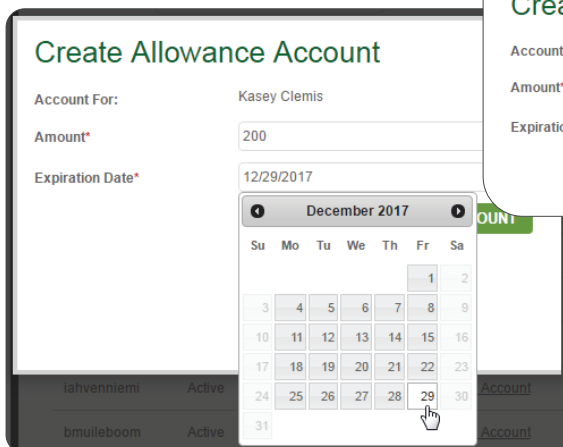
There are two ways that you can add funds to each user account. The first method of adding funds to a user's allowance account can be done onsite using the data entry fields available to you. The second method requires exporting the list of users associated with your custom eStore's account(s) and entering the data within an Excel CSV file. Once the Excel CSV Account Setup File has been completed, it can be imported back into your Allowance Management feature.

## Employee Allowance Management

Search users:

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>
kclemis	Active	Buyer3	<a href="#">Create Account</a>

To activate a user's allowance account onsite, select the **Create Account** link (see right). The options (shown below) to add funds and apply an expiration date for the funds will appear on your screen. After you have entered the amount and added the expiration date, select **CREATE ACCOUNT**.



## Create Allowance Account

Account For: Kasey Clemis  
 Amount\*   
 Expiration Date\*

You can easily add to a user's allowance account or adjust the expiration date for the allowance by selecting **ADD \$** under the respective user (see below).

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance	Expiration Date	Account Status
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		
<a href="#">kclemis</a> Kasey Clemis	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼

To activate or manage an user's allowance account using the export/import feature, select **Export Active Users** and then **EXPORT FILE** when prompted. Open the CSV file after it has been downloaded and add the **Amount** and **Expiration Date** (see below).

### Employee Allowance Management

Search users:

[Export Active Users](#) ⓘ  
[Import Acct Setup File](#) ⓘ

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance	Expiration Date	Account Status
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		
kclemis Kasey Clemis	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼
			<input type="button" value="ADD \$"/>		<input type="button" value="UPDATE"/>
nadined	Active	Buyer3	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		

UserName	Amount	CreationDate	ExpirationDate	IsActive	AllowanceAccountID
Fake0033					
kclemis	\$200.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	T	PQWWGQWKRCID
nadined	\$200.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	T	N/A
craigb	\$150.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	T	
Kat	\$150.00	3/2/2017	12/29/2017	T	

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** do not enter any data in the AllowanceAccountID column. This information will autogenerate once the Allowance Account has been set up for the user (see left).

To import the allowance account data, select **Import Acct Setup File** (see right) and then browse for the modified CSV file and select **IMPORT FILE AND AUTO CREATE ALLOWANCE ACCOUNTS** (see below).

### Employee Allowance Management

Search users:

[Export Active Users](#) ⓘ  
[Import Acct Setup File](#) ⓘ

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance	Expiration Date	Account Status
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		
	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼
			<input type="button" value="ADD \$"/>		<input type="button" value="UPDATE"/>

### Import Users

Choose File Ashley\_Emp...22417.csv

Once the allowance accounts have been set-up the import/export feature can be used to edit existing allowance accounts or existing allowance accounts can also be altered using the onsite options.

### Employee Allowance Management

Search users:

[Export Active Users](#) ⓘ  
[Import Acct Setup File](#) ⓘ

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance	Expiration Date	Account Status
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		
kclemis Kasey Clemis	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼
			<input type="button" value="ADD \$"/>		<input type="button" value="UPDATE"/>
nadined Nadine Duncan	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼
			<input type="button" value="ADD \$"/>		<input type="button" value="UPDATE"/>
craigb Craig Basaraba	Active	Buyer3	\$150.00	12/29/2017	Active ▼
			<input type="button" value="ADD \$"/>		<input type="button" value="UPDATE"/>
Kat	Active	Buyer3	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		

craigb    Active    Buyer3    \$150.00    12/29/2017    Active

Craig Basaraba    ADD \$    InActive

**To deactivate a user's allowance account, select **InActive** in the drop down menu for that user (see above right) and then select **UPDATE** (see right).**

*Account successfully updated.*

Username	User Status	Role	Accnt Balance	Expiration Date	Account Status
Fake0033	Active	Administrator	<a href="#">Create Account</a>		
<u>kclemis</u> Kasey Clemis	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active
			<span>ADD \$</span>		<span>UPDATE</span>
<u>nadined</u> Nadine Duncan	Active	Buyer3	\$200.00	12/29/2017	Active
			<span>ADD \$</span>		<span>UPDATE</span>
<u>craigb</u> Craig Basaraba	Active	Buyer3	\$150.00	12/29/2017	InActive
			<span>ADD \$</span>		<span>UPDATE</span>

A	B	C	D	E	
UserName	Amount	CreationDate	ExpirationDate	IsActive	Allowa
Fake0033	\$75.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	T	RK1LF
kclemis	\$200.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	T	PQW
nadined	\$200.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	F	BHGC
craigb	\$150.00	2/24/2017	12/29/2017	F	IK0AO
Kat					

**Allowance accounts can also be deactivated using the Export/Import feature by replacing the T (True) with an F (False) in the **IsActive** column in the Active Users CSV file.**

## HELPFUL TIPS

When using the Export/Import feature to manage allowance accounts, it is best practice to create a working draft or duplicate version of the most current export file to update so that you always have a copy of the existing information.

Name	Date modified
ExportUsers.csv	6/6/2017 10:48 AM
ExportUsers_AllowanceManagement_06062017.csv	6/6/2017 10:48 AM

Using the Export/Import feature is an efficient way to manage multiple users that share the same allowance amount allotted to them or same expiration date.

B	C	D	E
Amount	CreationDate	ExpirationDate	IsActive
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$100.00	2/2/2017	12/30/2017	T
\$200.00	6/6/2017	12/30/2018	T
\$200.00	6/6/2017	12/30/2018	T
\$200.00	6/6/2017	12/30/2018	T
\$200.00	6/6/2017	12/30/2018	T
\$200.00	6/6/2017	12/30/2018	T

**Have any questions regarding how to manage allowance accounts?**

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