

# OverDrive Updates

For WPLC Steering Committee, February 2017

## OverDrive Advantage Plus Feature Update

Last fall the Steering Committee voted to enable the opt in Advantage Plus feature. Because of updates coming early in 2017, the Committee chose to wait to turn the feature on until the more customizable features were available.

Since this time, OverDrive has made some significant changes to this feature due to substantial feedback from customers.

From OverDrive:

The new Advantage plus workflow for consortia will be along these lines:  
Consortium opts-in to Advantage Plus, when doing so they'll make the following selections:

- Consortium chooses their preferred Advantage Plus behavior:
  - **Move titles** (transfers ownership from Advantage member to consortium – this is the current Advantage Plus behavior)  
OR
  - **Share titles** (title is available to all consortium members, but ownership remains with the Advantage member and they maintain priority for their patrons in wait lists – this is the new behavior)
- Consortium chooses how to manage which titles are moved/shared and when
  - **Consortium-created policy** – this would apply the criteria for titles to move/share to all Advantage members in the group  
OR
  - **Advantage-created policies** – this provides the tool to set criteria for which titles move/share to each individual Advantage member

There is not a current timeline for this features to become available. Because of this and high potential for change to this feature, project managers suggest tabling discussion on implementing this feature until all aspects of this feature are finalized and a launch date is set.