Test out Lean Library for yourself

Here are some tips other users have said were helpful

This trial provides an insight into how Lean Library works. It is not a full-fledged implementation, but will give you a nice preview of the tool.

Explore

It's important to see all the features of **Lean Library** in action. To help, we will create a custom site for you with examples of a user's experience of Library Access, Library Assist, and Library Alternatives. You can use this site as a basis for your testing.

Share

To really get the maximum from **Lean Library**, it's best to work with a variety of librarians to ensure it works for them, including Electronic Resources librarians, IT/Systems librarians, Library Director, etc.

Check your stats

The admin portal provides insight into the stats you'll get once you fully implement **Lean Library**. Each stat has a little bubble that indicates what the stat is showing. Additionally, on the Assist tab, you can see stats for individual Library Assist messages. Seeing these stats will show you how your users are making use of **Lean Library**.

Set up messages

Once comfortable, we encourage you to try setting up a few Library Assist messages on the admin site to test what you can do. Some message examples from a current customer include:

- The library has an Open Access membership that leads to reduced APCs

- The library offers only limited simultaneous access to a resource

- Due to problematic negotiations the access is limited or totally blocked

- A login is needed and can be requested with the library

- The library offers access and training (e.g. Zotero, etc.)

Review

While you won't have your full suite of resources available in this trial, you can still see what it will take for implementation. We work with your authentication system to ensure a smooth transition to **Lean Library**. Once set up, we can do a refresh of your resources list to ensure everything is up-to-date; so, there is very little maintenance for you and your IT staff moving forward.

WE'RE HERE FOR YOU

This trial will give you a taste of the Lean Library experience. So, please don't hesitate to reach out to us at **support@leanlibrary.com** with any questions or comments that can help make your experience the best it can be!

We look forward to helping you along your journey to delivering your library services to your patrons, wherever they are!

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