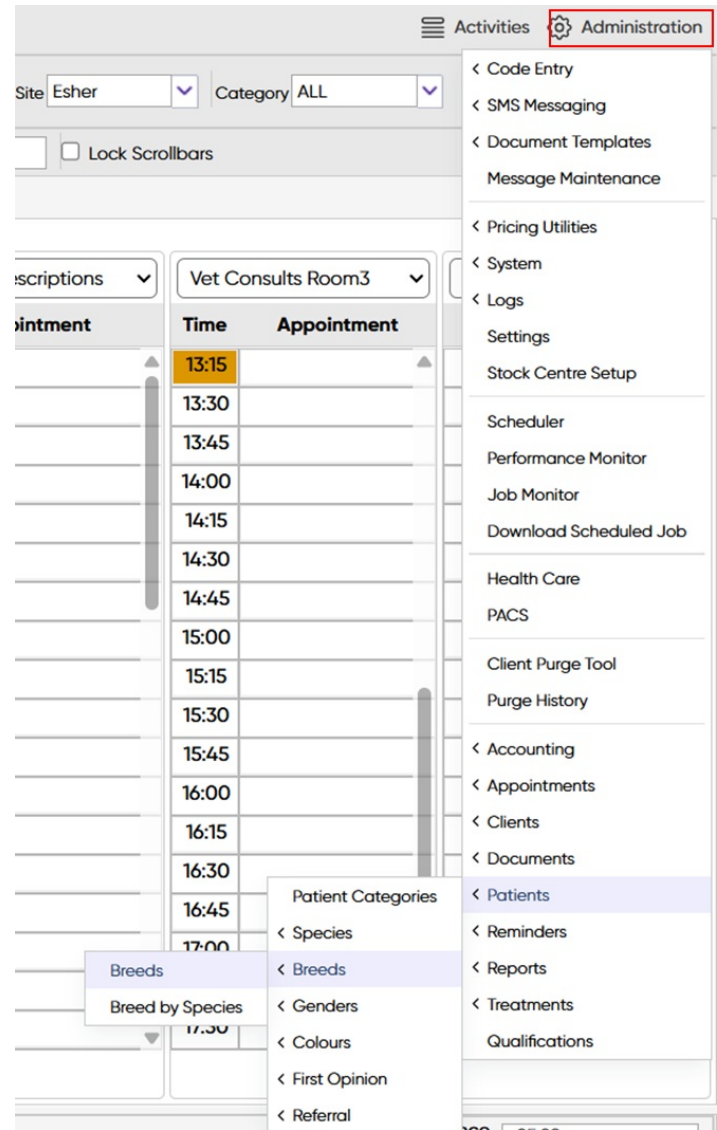


# Adding a New Breed

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## Adding a New Breed

1. To add a new breed go to Administration>Patients>Breeds>Breeds



2. Add in the new breed, making sure that the systems tick box is ticked and click 'Save' Press F5 to refresh Merlin.

Name	System
	<input type="checkbox"/>
Abyssinian	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Abyssinian Rough-haired	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Affenpinscher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Afghan Arabi	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Afghan Hound	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
African	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
African Grey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
African Hawk Eagle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
African Land Snail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
African Shorthair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Africander	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Aidi	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Ainu	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Airedale Terrier	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Akbash Dog	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Akhal Teke	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Akita	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

3. This breed now needs linking to the correct species. To do this go to Administration>Patients>Breeds>Breeds by Species

Administration

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4. In the 'Breed' by Species' screen Filter the 'Species' you want to assign it to. Next either search or use the drop down arrow to find the breed you are wanting to link that you have just added to the main library using the blank white field at the top of the breed list. Once you start typing, suggestions will display.

**Breed by Species**

File

Species  
Canine

Search Delete Save

Breed

Cockapoo

Affenpinscher  
Afghan Hound  
Airedale Terrier  
Akbash Dog  
Akita  
Alaskan Klee Kai  
Alaskan Malamute  
Alaskan Malamute X  
Alpine Dachsbracke  
Alsation X  
Alwchen  
American Bull Dog  
American Cocker Spaniel  
American Foxhound  
American Hairless Terrier

5. Once added, click 'Save'.

Note - This change can take up to 24 hours to take effect.