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This Merlin - Version 89 release contains a handful of enhancements that cover the Kennel feature, the Client Purge Tool and additional criteria available when using Report Wizard. In addition, there are various bug fixes to improve usability.

## Enhancements

We have made the following improvements:

### Client Purge Tool

An additional purge criteria has been added to the existing list called 'Registration Date Before' that looks at the clients registration date.

The screenshot shows the 'Client Purge Tool' window with the title 'Client Purge Criteria'. It contains a section titled 'Specify Purge Criteria:' with a dropdown menu for 'Client Site' set to 'Esher'. Below this are seven criteria, each with a checked checkbox and a date field set to '31/01/2022':

- ☒ Consent Period Expiry Date Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Last Visit Date Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Last Account Activity Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Last Patient Reminder Date Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Last Compliance Reminder Date Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Last Appointment Date Before: 31/01/2022
- ☒ Registration Date Before: 31/01/2022

Below these criteria is a section titled 'Or tick below to purge Specific Client:' with an unchecked checkbox for 'ContactID:' and an empty text field.

### The Kennel

The Kennel screen now shows pet owner surname as well as patient name to aid in identifying each patient within the kennel.

### Report Wizard

A new filter option has been added to the Patient section in the Report Wizard. This will filter by active or de-activated patients. The default is to return all patients, both de-activated and active.

Deactivated Patients

☒ all ☐ yes ☐ no

To see the full details including bug fixes in this release, head to the [Full Merlin Release Notes](#) page.

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