Cataloging

The record set I contributed to Prospector does not display the appropriate status in the public interface?

When trying to troubleshoot why an item is not showing up, look at the Itype mapping table and be sure the items are mapped to the correct itype. The next thing to check (but only the local site can do this) is that the particular class of items, whether it’s monographs, media, or another type, is set to the proper Circulation status code. If you want an item to be available through Prospector the itype must be set to an available type and the Circulation code must be set to “-“ (hyphen). Refer to Circ Status codes on the Prospector Staff page: https://www.coalliance.org/sites/default/files/circulationstatuscodes.xls

Bib records have attached item records. Each of these item records has a particular itype. For example, all monographs may be mapped to 200. Reference materials and media may be mapped to 201, Non-Requestable.

When an item with a hyphen status is checked out, the date is reflected in the public catalog. When the item is checked back in or discharged, discharged becomes the hyphen. So in other words, the hyphen is then reflected as “available” in the public catalog. Refer to the Prospector Contribution Codes: https://www.coalliance.org/sites/default/files/prospectorcontributioncodes_0.doc

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