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Question



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I need to offer new users on our system a temporary password that is valid for only 48 hours. This is different than a 60-day password expiration window for existing users' passwords (where a password needs to be changed every 60 days), and is different than a "user expiration date", where you can set a date where the user's account expires and is disabled on that date, and different than the inactivity expiration date where a user becomes active if his account is not used within, say, 30 days.

What I need is a *password-inactivity* expiration date such that if the user does not log for a first time within the time limit (48 hours), then the user account is disabled - but not expired! - and then must be "reset" to a new password (whereupon the cycle begins again, and the user is disabled within 48 hours if he doesn't log in and change his password!).

I'd prefer not to use the user expiration date, as this is not accessible when the user logs in (being in Security.Users in %SYS namespace), and would have to be removed separately.

This concept is not quite the same as a Time-based-One-Time-Password, and we don't need two-factor authentication.

Does InterSystems 2016 have this sort of setting, or do I need to put it into a password validation or some kind of login authentication routine?

Thanks for the help,

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