

## Redmine - Defect #17579

### Edit Watchers List Loses Checked Watchers When Performing Multiple Searches

2014-07-29 14:44 - Brandon Liles

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	Issues	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>		<b>Affected version:</b>	2.4.2
<b>Resolution:</b>	Duplicate		
<b>Description</b>			
When editing the watchers list on an issue, if you search for a user, click their name but do not click "Add", and then perform a new search, the clicked contact is lost.			
It would be more intuitive if checked watchers were not lost by doing a new search. The search could filter the user list client-side instead of requiring server round trips, and this would prevent the clicked contacts from being lost.			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Redmine - Patch #28771: Allow adding multiple entities when perfor...		<b>New</b>	
Has duplicate Redmine - Defect #18916: Adding Multiple Watchers - Doesn't add...		<b>Closed</b>	
Is duplicate of Redmine - Defect #17071: Adding Watchers UX Is Not Clean		<b>New</b>	

#### History

##### #1 - 2014-08-27 18:17 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Defect #17071: Adding Watchers UX Is Not Clean added

##### #2 - 2015-01-21 07:08 - Mischa The Evil

- Has duplicate Defect #18916: Adding Multiple Watchers - Doesn't add when you re-search users. added

##### #3 - 2015-01-21 21:38 - James H

+1 in 2.6.0

I think it would be good if either the system "remembers" previously checked options or the system adds or removes watchers in "real-time" as the user is clicking.

##### #4 - 2016-11-11 14:53 - Luka Lüdicke

I tested the patch from [#17071#note-1](#) (which is two years old) and it fixes the issue. When will it be applied?

btw: that is a good example where the select2 widget could provide a elegant solution <https://select2.github.io/examples.html#multiple>

##### #5 - 2018-05-15 00:28 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Related to Patch #28771: Allow adding multiple entities when performing multiple searches in modals added

##### #6 - 2018-05-15 00:31 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Resolution set to Duplicate

I've added some proposals to fix this behaviour in [#28771](#).

I'm closing this ticket as duplicate of [#17071](#).

##### #7 - 2018-05-15 00:32 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Related to deleted (Defect #17071: Adding Watchers UX Is Not Clean)

##### #8 - 2018-05-15 00:32 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Is duplicate of Defect #17071: Adding Watchers UX Is Not Clean added