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4800: The workstation was locked

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When either a user manually locks his workstation or the workstation automatically locks its console after a period of inactivity this event is logged.

To find out when the user returned and unlocked the workstation look for event ID 4801.

If a screen saver is used, there is a relationship between this event and 4802/4803 See event ID 4802 for an explanation of the sequence of events.

Free Security Log Resources by Randy

- Free Security Log Quick Reference Chart
- Windows Event Collection: Supercharger Free Edition
- Free Active Directory Change Auditing Solution
- Free Course: Security Log Secrets

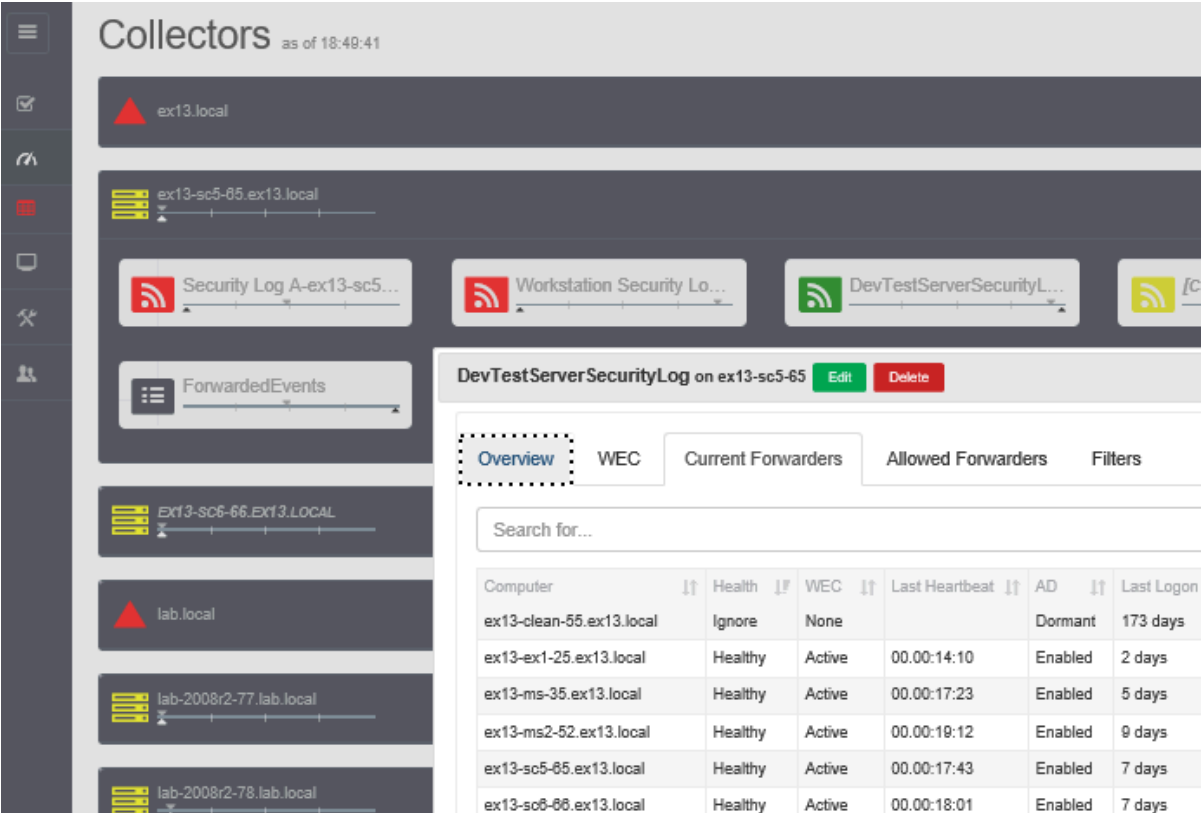
Description Fields in 4800

Subject:

The user and logon session involved.

- Security ID: The SID of the account.
- Account Name: The account logon name.
- Account Domain: The domain or - in the case of lcal accounts - computer name.
- Logon ID is a semi-unique (unique between reboots) number that identifies the logon session. Logon ID allows you to correlate backwards to the logon event (4624) as well as with other events logged during the same logon session.

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Examples of 4800

Security ID: WIN-R9H529RIO4Y\Administrator  
Account Name: Administrator  
Account Domain: WIN-R9H529RIO4Y  
Logon ID: 0x1be4b  
Session ID: 1

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