

Update User

Endpoint

URL: `/:projectId/users/:userId`

Method: `PATCH`

Authentication Required: Yes

Description

Update details of an existing user. Only fields provided in the request will be modified. Triggers webhook validation before updating.

Request

Path Parameters

| Parameter | Type | Required | Description |
|---------------------|---------------------|----------|---------------------|
| <code>userId</code> | <code>string</code> | Yes | The ID of the user. |

Headers

| Header | Type | Required | Description |
|----------------------------|---------------------|----------|----------------------------------|
| <code>Authorization</code> | <code>string</code> | Yes | Bearer token for authentication. |

Body Parameters

The body must contain an `update` object with any of the following optional fields:

| Field | Type | Description |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| <code>name</code> | <code>string</code> | Updated name. |
| <code>username</code> | <code>string</code> | Updated username (sanitized). |
| <code>avatar</code> | <code>string</code> (URL) | URL to the user's new avatar. |
| <code>bio</code> | <code>string</code> | User biography. |
| <code>birthdate</code> | <code>string</code> (ISO Date) | User's birthdate. |
| <code>location</code> | <code>object</code> | Object with <code>longitude</code> and <code>latitude</code> . |
| <code>metadata</code> | <code>object</code> | Additional metadata. |
| <code>secureMetadata</code> | <code>object</code> | Secure metadata (used but not returned). |

Example Request

```
PATCH /proj1234/users/67890
Authorization: Bearer <ACCESS_TOKEN>
Content-Type: application/json

{
  "update": {
    "username": "new_username",
    "location": { "longitude": 34.05, "latitude": -118.25 },
    "metadata": { "theme": "dark" }
  }
}
```

Response

Success Response (200 OK)

```
{
  "id": "67890",
  "username": "new_username",
  "name": "John Doe",
  "avatar": "https://example.com/avatar.jpg",
}
```

```
"bio": "New bio text",
"birthdate": "1990-01-01T00:00:00.000Z",
"location": {
  "type": "Point",
  "coordinates": [34.05, -118.25]
},
"metadata": {
  "theme": "dark"
},
"suspensions": []
}
```

Error Responses

Missing or Invalid Data (400 Bad Request)

```
{
  "error": "Missing required data",
  "code": "user/missing-data"
}
```

User Not Found (404 Not Found)

```
{
  "error": "User not found",
  "code": "user/not-found"
}
```

Server Error (500 Internal Server Error)

```
{
  "error": "Internal server error",
  "code": "user/server-error",
  "details": "<Error message>"
}
```

Notes

- Requires authentication.

- `validateUserUpdated` webhook is called before update.
- `secureMetadata` is accepted but never returned.
- `suspensions` are included in the response if active.
- Location must be an object with `longitude` and `latitude` .

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