

Team & User Hierarchy - MVP PRD (Brief)

Goal: Build dashboard for automatic access inheritance system
Scale: 500 users, 50 teams, unlimited managers per user
Core Logic: User joins team → managers inherit access; Resource assigned to team → all members access it

Key Features from Wireframes

Client Management (Primary View)

- **Client-centric dashboard** showing access patterns
- **"Users with access" counter** for each client
- **Multi-team client assignment** (same client in multiple teams)
- **"Show clients without teams" filter** for orphaned clients
- **Client sorting** by access count and creation date
- **Popup detail view** showing teams and user access breakdown

Role-Based Hierarchy

- **Banking roles:** RM, Senior RM, Head of RM
- **Role-based permissions** and responsibilities
- **"Create new role" functionality** for custom positions
- **Role dropdown** for quick assignments

Team Assignment Interface

- **"Auto-assign clients" checkbox** for teams
- **Direct members vs Manager access** clear separation
- **Visual inheritance indicators** (granted via X)
- **Bulk user selection** with checkboxes
- **"Invite new user" integration** within team management

Manager Hierarchy Visualization

- **"Line Managers" section** showing reporting chain
- **Subordinates section** for direct reports
- **Manager type classification** (implied from context)
- **Remove buttons** for relationship management

Access Pattern Display

- **Direct vs Manager access badges** throughout UI
- **"Granted via" attribution** showing inheritance source
- **Team membership counts** in parentheses
- **Client access summaries** per team

Data Model (Enhanced for Banking Context)



sql

-- Core entities

```
users {
  id UUID PRIMARY KEY,
  email VARCHAR UNIQUE,
  name VARCHAR,
  role VARCHAR DEFAULT 'RM' -- 'RM', 'Senior RM', 'Head of RM'
}

teams {
  id UUID PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR,
  auto_assign_clients BOOLEAN DEFAULT false -- From wireframe checkbox
}

resources {
  id UUID PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR,
  type VARCHAR DEFAULT 'client',
  segment VARCHAR -- 'Private', 'Corporate', 'Retail'
}
```

-- Relationships

```
user_managers {
  user_id UUID REFERENCES users(id),
  manager_id UUID REFERENCES users(id),
  manager_type VARCHAR DEFAULT 'line_manager', -- 'line_manager', 'functional', 'dotted_line'
  created_at TIMESTAMP
}

team_members {
  team_id UUID REFERENCES teams(id),
  user_id UUID REFERENCES users(id),
  access_type ENUM('direct', 'manager'),
  granted_via UUID REFERENCES users(id), -- NULL for direct, user_id for manager
  joined_at TIMESTAMP
}

team_resources {
  team_id UUID REFERENCES teams(id),
  resource_id UUID REFERENCES resources(id),
  assigned_at TIMESTAMP
}
```

Key Enhancements:

- Added role field for banking positions (RM, Senior RM, Head of RM)
- Added auto_assign_clients for teams (from wireframe checkbox)
- Added segment field for client categorization
- Added manager_type to distinguish different manager relationships

Core Operations

1. Add User to Team (with auto-inheritance)



Input: user_id, team_id

Process:

1. Add user as 'direct' member
2. Get user's managers (recursive, max 3 levels)
3. Add each manager as 'manager' member

Output: List of added users with access types

2. Assign Manager



Input: user_id, manager_id

Process:

1. Validate: no self-mgmt, no cycles, max depth
2. Add to user_managers table
3. Inherit all user's current teams

Output: Teams inherited by new manager

3. Assign Resource to Team



Input: team_id, resource_id

Process:

1. Add to team_resources table
2. All team members now have access

Output: Users who gained access

4. Remove User from Team



Input: user_id, team_id

Process:

- 1. Remove user's direct membership
- 2. Check managers - remove if no other path

Output: Users who lost access

Business Rules

- 1. **No self-management:** user_id ≠ manager_id
- 2. **No circular chains:** $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A$ forbidden
- 3. **Max 3 hierarchy levels:** Performance limit
- 4. **Direct takes precedence:** If user is direct member, don't add as manager
- 5. **Multiple managers OK:** User can have unlimited managers
- 6. **Access through teams only:** All resource access via team membership

Key Queries



sql

-- User's accessible resources

```
SELECT r.name, t.name as via_team, tm.access_type
FROM resources r
JOIN team_resources tr ON r.id = tr.resource_id
JOIN team_members tm ON tr.team_id = tm.team_id
JOIN teams t ON tm.team_id = t.id
WHERE tm.user_id = ?
```

-- Team members with access details

```
SELECT u.name, tm.access_type, via.name as granted_via
FROM team_members tm
JOIN users u ON tm.user_id = u.id
LEFT JOIN users via ON tm.granted_via = via.id
WHERE tm.team_id = ?
```

-- User's managers (recursive)

```
WITH RECURSIVE mgr_chain AS (
  SELECT manager_id, 1 as level FROM user_managers WHERE user_id = ?
  UNION ALL
  SELECT um.manager_id, mc.level + 1
  FROM mgr_chain mc
  JOIN user_managers um ON mc.manager_id = um.user_id
  WHERE mc.level < 3
)
SELECT manager_id FROM mgr_chain
```

API Endpoints (Enhanced for Wireframes)



typescript

// Core CRUD

```
POST /api/users      { email, name, role }
POST /api/teams      { name, auto_assign_clients }
POST /api/clients    { name, type, segment }
POST /api/roles      { name, permissions }
```

// User Management (Wireframe 4)

```
POST /api/users/:id/managers { manager_id, manager_type }
PUT  /api/users/:id/role     { role }
GET  /api/users/:id/subordinates // Direct reports
GET  /api/users/:id/line-managers // Manager chain
```

// Team Management (Wireframe 3)

```
POST /api/teams/:id/members { user_id }
POST /api/teams/:id/clients { client_id }
PUT  /api/teams/:id/auto-assign { auto_assign_clients }
DELETE /api/teams/:teamId/members/:userId
DELETE /api/teams/:teamId/clients/:clientId
```

// Client Views (Wireframes 1 & 2)

```
GET /api/clients // List with filters
GET /api/clients/:id/teams // Teams assigned to client
GET /api/clients/:id/users // Users with access
GET /api/clients/unassigned // Clients without teams
```

// Dashboard Queries

```
GET /api/teams/:id/members // With access_type and granted_via
GET /api/teams/stats // User/client counts for list view
GET /api/users/:id/accessible-clients // Clients user can access
GET /api/dashboard/client-access/:clientId // Who can access specific client
```

// Bulk Operations

```
POST /api/teams/:id/bulk-assign-clients { client_ids[] }
POST /api/teams/:id/bulk-add-members { user_ids[] }
POST /api/users/invite { email, name, role, team_ids[] }
```

Dashboard Screens (Based on Wireframes)

1. Main Dashboard - Clients View (Wireframe 1)

- **Left Panel:** Navigation (Users/Teams)
- **Center:** Client list with filtering
 - Client ID (ABC123, ABC456)
 - Name (Yummy, Nummy)

- Type (Natural Person)
 - Segment (Private)
 - Users with access count
- **Right Panel:** Client detail popup
 - Shows teams assigned (Private RM Team 1, Private RM Team 2)
 - Direct Members list (Shan, Yusuf, Osama)
 - Manager Access list (DK - Manager of Shan, Roger, Piyush)
 - Teams dropdown for assignment
- **Key Features:**
 - "Show clients without teams" checkbox
 - Client sorting by user access count and creation date
 - Team assignment interface

2. Teams List View (Wireframe 2)

- **Simple table layout:**
 - Team ID (ABC123, ABC456)
 - Name (Yummy, Nummy)
 - Users count (15, 7)
 - Clients count (20, 30)
- **Navigation:** Clients/Teams tab toggle

3. Team Detail with Assignment (Wireframe 3)

- **Team info section:**
 - Team name and auto-assign checkbox
 - "Automatically assign all clients to this team"
- **Direct Members (5) section:**
 - List of direct team members (Shan - Senior RM, Yusuf - Head of RM, Osama - Head of RM)
 - ☒ remove buttons for each member
- **Manager Access (6) section:**
 - Auto-inherited managers (Shan - Senior RM, Yusuf - Head of RM, Osama - Head of RM)
 - Shows inheritance chain
- **Clients (2) section:**
 - Assigned clients list
 - ☒ remove buttons
- **Right panel:** User selection
 - Checkboxes for available users
 - "Invite new user" button at bottom

4. User Detail/Role Management (Wireframe 4)

- **User profile section:**
 - Name (ABC123), client count (10 clients)
 - Role dropdown (RM, Senior RM, Head of RM)
 - "Create new role" button
- **Line Managers (3) section:**
 - Manager hierarchy (Shan - Senior RM, Yusuf - Head of RM, Osama - Head of RM)
 - ☒ remove buttons
- **Teams (2) section:**
 - Team assignments (Private RM Team - 5 clients | 7 users)
 - ☒ remove buttons
- **Subordinates (3) section:**
 - Direct reports (Shan - Senior RM)
- **Right panels:**
 - Role assignment interface
 - User invitation/team assignment
 - Team selection checkboxes

Sample Data for MVP (Banking Context)



javascript

// Users with banking roles

```
const users = [  
  { id: 'u1', email: 'shan@bank.com', name: 'Shan', role: 'Senior RM' },  
  { id: 'u2', email: 'yusuf@bank.com', name: 'Yusuf', role: 'Head of RM' },  
  { id: 'u3', email: 'osama@bank.com', name: 'Osama', role: 'Head of RM' },  
  { id: 'u4', email: 'dk@bank.com', name: 'DK', role: 'Senior RM' },  
  { id: 'u5', email: 'roger@bank.com', name: 'Roger', role: 'Head of RM' },  
  { id: 'u6', email: 'piyush@bank.com', name: 'Piyush', role: 'Head of RM' }  
]
```

// Teams (Private Banking focus)

```
const teams = [  
  { id: 't1', name: 'Private RM Team 1', auto_assign_clients: false },  
  { id: 't2', name: 'Private RM Team 2', auto_assign_clients: false },  
  { id: 't3', name: 'Gold Segment', auto_assign_clients: true }  
]
```

// Resources (Clients with segments)

```
const resources = [  
  { id: 'c1', name: 'ABC123 - Yummy', type: 'client', segment: 'Private' },  
  { id: 'c2', name: 'ABC456 - Nummy', type: 'client', segment: 'Private' },  
  { id: 'c3', name: 'DEF789 - Tech Corp', type: 'client', segment: 'Corporate' }  
]
```

// Manager hierarchy (from wireframes)

```
const managers = [  
  { user_id: 'u1', manager_id: 'u4', manager_type: 'line_manager' }, // DK manages Shan  
  { user_id: 'u2', manager_id: 'u3', manager_type: 'line_manager' }, // Osama manages Yusuf  
  { user_id: 'u4', manager_id: 'u5', manager_type: 'line_manager' } // Roger manages DK  
]
```

// Team memberships (showing inheritance)

```
const team_members = [  
  // Private RM Team 1  
  { team_id: 't1', user_id: 'u1', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null }, // Shan direct  
  { team_id: 't1', user_id: 'u4', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u1' }, // DK via Shan  
  { team_id: 't1', user_id: 'u5', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u1' }, // Roger via Shan  
  // Private RM Team 2  
  { team_id: 't2', user_id: 'u2', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null }, // Yusuf direct  
  { team_id: 't2', user_id: 'u3', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u2' } // Osama via Yusuf  
]
```

// Client assignments

```
const team_resources = [  
  { team_id: 't1', resource_id: 'c1', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null },  
  { team_id: 't1', resource_id: 'c2', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null },  
  { team_id: 't1', resource_id: 'c3', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u1' },  
  { team_id: 't2', resource_id: 'c1', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u1' },  
  { team_id: 't2', resource_id: 'c2', access_type: 'manager', granted_via: 'u1' },  
  { team_id: 't2', resource_id: 'c3', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null },  
  { team_id: 't3', resource_id: 'c1', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null },  
  { team_id: 't3', resource_id: 'c2', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null },  
  { team_id: 't3', resource_id: 'c3', access_type: 'direct', granted_via: null }  
]
```

```
{ team_id: 't1', resource_id: 'c1' }, // ABC123 to Team 1
{ team_id: 't1', resource_id: 'c2' }, // ABC456 to Team 1
{ team_id: 't2', resource_id: 'c1' } // ABC123 also to Team 2 (multi-team access)
]
```

Implementation Priority (Based on Wireframes)

Week 1: Core Client & Team Views

- Client list with filtering (Wireframe 1)
- Teams table with stats (Wireframe 2)
- Basic CRUD for users, teams, clients
- Client-team assignment interface

Week 2: Team Detail & Membership

- Team detail view with member management (Wireframe 3)
- Direct vs Manager access indicators
- Add/remove team members
- Auto-inheritance when adding users

Week 3: User Management & Hierarchy

- User detail/role management (Wireframe 4)
- Manager assignment interface
- Role management (RM, Senior RM, Head of RM)
- Subordinates view

Week 4: Advanced Features

- "Auto-assign clients" functionality
- Bulk operations (invite multiple users)
- Client access analysis ("Users with access" counts)
- Polish and edge case handling

Week 5: Integration & Polish

- "Show clients without teams" filter
 - Role-based permissions
 - Client sorting and search
 - Performance optimization for large datasets
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Success Criteria

- ✓ Create 20 users, 10 teams, 15 resources in UI
 - ✓ Add user to team → managers automatically added
 - ✓ Assign resource → all team members can access
 - ✓ UI clearly shows "Direct" vs "Manager" access
 - ✓ Remove user → managers lose access (if no other path)
 - ✓ All operations < 500ms
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Tech Notes

- Use React + TypeScript for dashboard
- SQLite/PostgreSQL for database
- Node.js/Express for API
- Recursive SQL queries for manager chains
- Foreign key constraints for data integrity