

# UAPI Functions - Email::delete\_held\_messages

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## Description

This function deletes all outbound email messages held in the mail queue for the specified email account.

### Important:

In cPanel & WHM version 76 and later, when you disable the `MailReceive` role, the system **disables** this function. For more information, read our [How to Use Server Profiles](#) documentation.

## Examples

### ▼ cPanel or Webmail Session URL

```
https://hostname.example.com:2083/cpsess#####/execute/Email/delete_held_message?email=username%40example.com
```

### Note:

This example calls the UAPI function via a cPanel session. For more information, read our [Guide to UAPI](#) documentation.

## Function information

## About this module

The Email module modifies cPanel email account settings.

## About UAPI

UAPI accesses and modifies data for cPanel accounts.

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## LiveAPI PHP Class

```

$cpnl = new
CPANEL(); // Connect
to cPanel - only do
this once.

// Delete the held
outbound messages for
the specified email
address.
$emails =
$cpnl->uapi(
    'Email',
    'delete_held_messages',
    array(
        'email' =>
        'username@example.com',
    )
);

```

**Note:**  
For more information, read our [Guide to the LiveAPI System](#).

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## Find a function

The Mail boxes module manages email messages.

- **UAPI Functions - Email::edit\_pop\_quota** — This function changes an email address's quota.

DAV:: is\_horde\_enabled

#### ▼ DCV

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DomainInfo:: domains\_data

DomainInfo:: list\_domains

DomainInfo:: main\_domain\_builtin\_subdomain\_aliases

DomainInfo:: single\_domain\_data

#### ▼ DNS

DNS:: ensure\_domains\_reside\_only\_locally

DNS:: has\_local\_authority

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DNSSEC:: disable\_dnssec

DNSSEC:: enable\_dnssec

DNSSEC:: fetch\_dns\_records

DNSSEC:: set\_nsec3

DNSSEC:: unset\_nsec3

#### ▼ Email

Email:: account\_name

Email:: add\_auto\_responder

Email:: add\_domain\_forwarder

Email:: add\_forwarder

Email:: add\_list

Email:: add\_mailman\_delegates

Email:: add\_mx

Email:: add\_pop

Email:: add\_spam\_filter

### ▼ LiveAPI Perl Module

```
my $cpliveapi =  
Cpanel::LiveAPI->new(  
); # Connect to  
cPanel - only do this  
once.
```

```
# Delete the held  
outbound messages for  
the specified email  
address.  
my $emails =  
$cpliveapi->uapi(  
  'Email',  
  'delete_held_messages'  
,  
  {  
    'email' =>  
    'username@example.com'  
  },  
) ;
```

#### **Note:**

For more information, read our [Guide to the LiveAPI System](#).

### ▼ cPanel Template Toolkit

```
<!-- Delete the held  
outbound messages for  
the specified email  
address. -->  
[% execute('Email',  
'delete_held_messages'  
, { 'email' =>  
'username@example.com'  
} ) %]
```

#### **Note:**

For more information, read our [Guide to Template Toolkit documentation](#).

- UAPI Functions - SpamAssassin::get\_user\_preferences

This function lists the Apache SpamAssassin™ settings for the account.

- UAPI Functions - SpamAssassin::clear\_spam\_box

This function clears the spam box of all its contents for all email accounts.

Email: browse\_mailbox

Email: change\_mx

Email: check\_fastmail

Email: check\_pipe\_forwarder

Email: delete\_auto\_responder

Email: delete\_domain\_forwarder

Email: delete\_filter

Email: delete\_forwarder

Email: delete\_held\_messages

Email: delete\_list

Email: delete\_mx

Email: delete\_pop

Email: disable\_filter

Email: disable\_mailbox\_autocreate

Email: disable\_spam\_assassin

Email: disable\_spam\_autodelete

Email: disable\_spam\_box

Email: dispatch\_client\_settings

Email: edit\_pop\_quota

Email: enable\_filter

Email: enable\_mailbox\_autocreate

Email: enable\_spam\_assassin

Email: enable\_spam\_box

Email: fetch\_charmaps

Email: fts\_rescan\_mailbox

Email: generate\_mailman\_opt

Email: get\_auto\_responder

Email: get\_chase

### Command Line

```
uapi --user=username
Email
delete_held_messages
email=username@example.com
```

#### Notes:

- You **must** URI-encode values.
- username represents your account-level username.
- For more information and additional output options, read our [Guide to UAPI](#) documentation or run the `uapi --help` command.
- If you run CloudLinux™, you **must** use the full path of the `uapi` command:

```
/usr/local
/cpanel/bin/uapi
```

### Output (JSON)

```
{
  "data": 0,
  "errors": null,
  "messages": null,
  "status": 1
}
```

#### Note:

Use cPanel's *API Shell* interface (`cPanel >> Home >> Advanced >> API Shell`) to directly test cPanel API calls.

- UAPI Functions - SpamAssassin::update\_user\_preference — This function sets the Apache SpamAssassin™ settings for the account.

## Parameters

Parameter	Type	Description	Possible values	Example
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Email:: get\_client\_settings

Email:: get\_default\_email\_quota

Email:: get\_default\_email\_quota\_mib

Email:: get\_disk\_usage

Email:: get\_filter

Email:: get\_held\_message\_count

Email:: get\_mailbox\_autocreate

Email:: get\_mailman\_delegates

Email:: get\_main\_account\_disk\_usage

Email:: get\_main\_account\_disk\_usage\_bytes

Email:: get\_max\_email\_quota

Email:: get\_max\_email\_quota\_mib

Email:: get\_pop\_quota

Email:: get\_spam\_settings

Email:: get\_webmail\_settings

Email:: has\_delegated\_mailman\_lists

Email:: has\_plaintext\_authentication

Email:: hold\_outgoing

Email:: is\_integer

Email:: list\_autoresponders

Email:: list\_default\_address

Email:: list\_domain\_forwarders

Email:: list\_filters

Email:: list\_filters\_backups

Email:: list\_forwarders

Email:: list\_forward

email	string	<b>Required</b> The email address to query.	A valid email address that the cPanel account owns.	username@example.com
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## Returns

Return	Type	Description	Possible values	Example
data	integer	The number of held outbound email messages deleted from the mail queue.	A positive integer.  <b>Note</b> : This function returns a 0 value when no messages exist in the queue.	0

ers\_backups

Email:: list\_lists

Email:: list\_mail\_d  
omains

Email:: list\_mx

Email:: list\_pops

Email:: list\_pops\_  
with\_disk

Email:: list\_system  
\_filter\_info

Email:: passwd\_list

Email:: passwd\_po  
p

Email:: release\_ou  
tgoing

Email:: remove\_m  
ailman\_delegates

Email:: reorder\_filt  
ers

Email:: set\_always  
\_accept

Email:: set\_default  
\_address

Email:: set\_list\_pri  
vacy\_options

Email:: stats\_db\_st  
atus

Email:: store\_filter

Email:: suspend\_in  
coming

Email:: suspend\_lo  
gin

Email:: suspend\_o  
utgoing

Email:: trace\_filter

Email:: unsuspend  
\_incoming

Email:: unsuspend  
\_login

Email:: unsuspend  
\_outgoing

Email:: verify\_pass  
word

▼ EmailAuth

EmailAuth:: disabl  
e\_dkim

EmailAuth:: enable  
\_dkim

EmailAuth:: ensure  
\_dkim\_keys\_exist

EmailAuth:: fetch\_  
dkim\_private\_keys

EmailAuth:: install  
\_dkim\_private\_key  
s

EmailAuth:: install  
\_spf\_records

EmailAuth:: validat  
e\_current\_dkims

EmailAuth:: validat  
e\_current\_ptrs

EmailAuth:: validat  
e\_current\_spfs

ExternalAuthenticat  
ion

ExternalAuthentic  
ation:: add\_auth\_li  
nk

ExternalAuthentic  
ation:: configured\_  
modules

ExternalAuthentic  
ation:: get\_auth\_lin  
ks

ExternalAuthentic  
ation:: has\_external  
\_auth\_modules\_co  
nfigured

ExternalAuthentic  
ation:: remove\_auth  
n\_link

Features

Features:: get\_feat  
ure\_metadata

Features:: has\_fea  
ture

Features:: list\_feat  
ures

Fileman

Fileman:: autocom  
pletedir

Fileman:: empty\_tr  
ash

Fileman:: get\_file\_  
content

Fileman:: get\_file\_i  
nformation

Fileman:: list\_files

Fileman:: save\_file  
\_content

Fileman:: transcod  
e

Fileman:: upload\_fi  
les

▼ Ftp

Ftp:: add\_ftp

Ftp:: allows\_anonymous\_ftp

Ftp:: allows\_anonymous\_ftp\_incoming

Ftp:: delete\_ftp

Ftp:: ftp\_exists

Ftp:: get\_ftp\_daemon\_info

Ftp:: get\_port

Ftp:: get\_quota

Ftp:: get\_welcome\_message

Ftp:: kill\_session

Ftp:: list\_ftp

Ftp:: list\_ftp\_with\_disk

Ftp:: list\_sessions

Ftp:: passwd

Ftp:: server\_name

Ftp:: set\_anonymous\_ftp

Ftp:: set\_anonymous\_ftp\_incoming

Ftp:: set\_homedir

Ftp:: set\_quota

Ftp:: set\_welcome\_message

▼ Integration

Integration:: fetch\_url

▼ KnownHosts

KnownHosts:: create

KnownHosts:: delete

KnownHosts:: update

KnownHosts:: verify

▼ LangPHP

LangPHP:: php\_get\_domain\_handler

LangPHP:: php\_get\_impacted\_domains

LangPHP:: php\_get\_installed\_version



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LangPHP:: php\_get\_system\_default\_version

LangPHP:: php\_get\_vhost\_versions

LangPHP:: php\_ini\_get\_user\_basic\_directives

LangPHP:: php\_ini\_get\_user\_content

LangPHP:: php\_ini\_get\_user\_paths

LangPHP:: php\_ini\_set\_user\_basic\_directives

LangPHP:: php\_ini\_set\_user\_content

LangPHP:: php\_set\_vhost\_versions

▼ LastLogin

LastLogin:: get\_last\_or\_current\_logged\_in\_ip

▼ Locale

Locale:: get\_attributes

▼ Mailboxes

Mailboxes:: expunge\_mailbox\_messages

Mailboxes:: expunge\_messages\_for\_mailbox\_guid

Mailboxes:: get\_mailbox\_status

Mailboxes:: has\_utf8\_mailbox\_names

Mailboxes:: set\_utf8\_mailbox\_names

▼ Market

Market:: cancel\_pending\_ssl\_certificate

Market:: create\_shopping\_cart

Market:: get\_all\_products

Market:: get\_certificate\_status\_details

Market:: get\_login\_url

Market:: get\_pending\_ssl\_certificates

Market:: get\_provi  
der\_specific\_dcv\_  
constraints

Market:: get\_provi  
ders\_list

Market:: get\_ssl\_c  
ertificate\_if\_availa  
ble

Market:: process\_s  
sl\_pending\_queue

Market:: request\_s  
sl\_certificates

Market:: set\_status  
\_of\_pending\_queu  
e\_items

Market:: set\_url\_af  
ter\_checkout

Market:: validate\_l  
ogin\_token

#### ▼ Mime

Mime:: add\_handl  
er

Mime:: add\_hotlink

Mime:: add\_mime

Mime:: add\_redire  
ct

Mime:: delete\_han  
dler

Mime:: delete\_hotli  
nk

Mime:: delete\_mim  
e

Mime:: delete\_redi  
rect

Mime:: list\_handler  
s

Mime:: list\_hotlinks

Mime:: list\_mime

Mime:: list\_redirect  
s

Mime:: redirect\_inf  
o

#### ▼ ModSecurity

ModSecurity:: disa  
ble\_all\_domains

ModSecurity:: disa  
ble\_domains

ModSecurity:: ena  
ble\_all\_domains

ModSecurity:: ena  
ble\_domains

ModSecurity:: has  
\_modsecurity\_inst  
alled

ModSecurity:: list\_  
domains

▼ Mysql

Mysql:: add\_host

Mysql:: add\_host\_  
note

Mysql :: check\_dat  
abase

Mysql:: create\_dat  
abase

Mysql:: create\_use  
r

Mysql:: delete\_dat  
abase

Mysql:: delete\_hos  
t

Mysql:: delete\_use  
r

Mysql:: get\_host\_n  
otes

Mysql:: get\_privile  
ges\_on\_database

Mysql:: get\_restrict  
ions

Mysql:: get\_server  
\_information

Mysql:: locate\_ser  
ver

Mysql:: rename\_d  
atabase

Mysql:: rename\_us  
er

Mysql:: repair\_dat  
abase

Mysql:: revoke\_ac  
cess\_to\_database

Mysql:: set\_passw  
ord

Mysql:: set\_privile  
ges\_on\_database

▼ Notifications

Notifications:: get\_  
notifications\_count

▼ NVData

NVData:: get

NVData:: set

▼ Parser

Parser:: firstfile\_rel  
ative\_uri

- ▼ PassengerApps
  - PassengerApps:: disable\_application
  - PassengerApps:: edit\_application
  - PassengerApps:: enable\_application
  - PassengerApps:: ensure\_deps
  - PassengerApps:: list\_applications
  - PassengerApps:: register\_application
  - PassengerApps:: unregister\_application
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  - Personalization::set
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  - Postgresql:: get\_restrictions
  - Postgresql:: grant\_all\_privileges
  - Postgresql:: rename\_database
  - Postgresql:: rename\_user
  - Postgresql:: rename\_user\_no\_password
  - Postgresql:: revoke\_all\_privileges
  - Postgresql:: set\_password
- ▼ Pushbullet
  - Pushbullet:: send\_test\_message
- ▼ Quota
  - Quota:: get\_quota\_info

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  - Resellers:: list\_accounts
- ▼ ResourceUsage
  - ResourceUsage:: get\_usages
- ▼ Restore
  - Restore:: directory\_listing
  - Restore:: get\_users
  - Restore:: query\_file\_info
  - Restore:: restore\_file
- ▼ Session
  - Session:: create\_temp\_user
- ▼ SiteTemplates
  - SiteTemplates:: list\_site\_templates
  - SiteTemplates:: list\_user\_settings
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- ▼ SpamAssassin
  - SpamAssassin :: clear\_spam\_box
  - SpamAssassin:: get\_symbolic\_test\_names
  - SpamAssassin:: get\_user\_preferences
  - SpamAssassin:: update\_user\_preference
- ▼ SSH
  - SSH:: get\_port
- ▼ SSL
  - SSL:: add\_autossl\_excluded\_domains
  - SSL:: can\_ssl\_redirect
  - SSL:: check\_shared\_cert
  - SSL:: delete\_cert
  - SSL:: delete\_csr
  - SSL:: delete\_key
  - SSL:: delete\_ssl
  - SSL :: disable\_mail\_sni

SSL:: enable\_mail  
\_sni

SSL:: fetch\_best\_f  
or\_domain

SSL:: fetch\_cert\_in  
fo

SSL:: fetch\_certific  
ates\_for\_fqdns

SSL:: fetch\_key\_a  
nd\_cabundle\_for\_  
certificate

SSL:: find\_certifica  
tes\_for\_key

SSL:: find\_csrs\_for  
\_key

SSL:: generate\_ce  
rt

SSL:: generate\_cs  
r

SSL:: generate\_ke  
y

SSL:: get\_autossl\_  
excluded\_domains

SSL:: get\_autossl\_  
pending\_queue

SSL:: get\_autossl\_  
problems

SSL:: get\_cabundl  
e

SSL:: get\_cn\_nam  
e

SSL:: install\_ssl

SSL:: installed\_ho  
st

SSL:: installed\_ho  
sts

SSL:: is\_autossl\_c  
heck\_in\_progress

SSL:: is\_mail\_sni\_  
supported

SSL:: is\_sni\_supp  
orted

SSL:: list\_certs

SSL:: list\_csrs

SSL:: list\_keys

SSL:: list\_ssl\_item  
s

SSL:: mail\_sni\_sta  
tus

SSL:: rebuild\_mail  
\_sni\_config

SSL:: rebuildssldb

SSL:: remove\_aut  
ossl\_excluded\_do  
mains

SSL:: set\_autossl\_  
excluded\_domains

SSL:: set\_cert\_frie  
ndly\_name

SSL:: set\_csr\_frien  
dly\_name

SSL:: set\_key\_frie  
ndly\_name

SSL:: set\_primary  
\_ssl

SSL:: set\_ssl\_shar  
e

SSL:: show\_cert

SSL:: show\_csr

SSL:: show\_key

SSL:: start\_autossl\_  
\_check

SSL:: toggle\_ssl\_r  
edirects\_for\_doma  
ins

SSL:: upload\_cert

SSL:: upload\_key

#### ▼ StatsBar

StatsBar:: get\_stat  
s

#### ▼ Styles

Styles:: current

Styles:: list

Styles:: set\_default

Styles:: update

#### ▼ SubDomain

SubDomain:: adds  
ubdomain

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Themes:: get\_the  
me\_base

Themes:: list

Themes:: update

#### ▼ Tokens

Tokens:: create\_fu  
ll\_access

Tokens:: list

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TwoFactorAuth:: generate\_user\_configuration

TwoFactorAuth:: get\_user\_configuration

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UserManager:: create\_user

UserManager:: delete\_user

UserManager:: dismiss\_user

UserManager:: edit\_user

UserManager:: list\_users

UserManager:: lookup\_service\_account

UserManager:: lookup\_user

UserManager:: merge\_service\_account

UserManager:: unlink\_service\_account

▼ UserTasks

UserTasks:: delete

UserTasks:: retrieve

▼ VersionControl

VersionControl:: create

VersionControl:: delete

VersionControl:: retrieve

VersionControl:: update

▼ VersionControlDeployment

VersionControlDeployment:: create



VersionControlDeployment:: delete

VersionControlDeployment:: retrieve

▼ WebDisk

WebDisk:: delete\_user

WebDisk:: set\_homedir

WebDisk:: set\_password

WebDisk:: set\_permissions

▼ WebmailApps

WebmailApps:: list\_webmailapps

▼ WebVhosts

WebVhost:: list\_domains

WebVhost:: list\_ssl\_capable\_domains

▼ WordPressBackup

WordPressBackup:: any\_running

WordPressBackup:: cancel

WordPressBackup:: cleanup

WordPressBackup:: get\_available\_backups

WordPressBackup:: is\_running

WordPressBackup:: start

▼ WordPressInstance

Manager

WordPressInstanceManager:: cancel\_scan

WordPressInstanceManager:: cleanup\_scan

WordPressInstanceManager:: change\_admin\_password

WordPressInstanceManager:: configure\_autoupdate

WordPressInstanceManager:: get\_api\_version

WordPressInstanceManager:: get\_in

stance\_by\_id

WordPressInstanceManager::get\_instances

WordPressInstanceManager::get\_latest\_wordpress\_version\_from\_wordpress\_org

WordPressInstanceManager::get\_scan\_results

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WordPressRestore::any\_running

WordPressRestore::cleanup

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