



Mississippi Medicaid:

Telligen Provider Portal Training – Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT)

January 2024

Agenda



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- How to find a determination
- Submitting a reconsideration/appeal/Peer to Peer Review
- E-mail notifications
- Questions



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Purpose



- To provide step by step instruction for using the provider portal
- Deliver a review of the Portal security
- Step by step instruction for entering a review
- Instructions on completing the Request for Information process
- How to find a determination status after submitting a review
- Instructions on submitting a reconsideration/1st level appeal
- Review of the notifications you will receive
- Directions on requesting a Peer-to-Peer review



Housekeeping



- **Questions**

- Please enter all questions into the Q&A
- Time at the end of the training will be reserved for questions
- Any unanswered questions will be answered and posted to the website

- **Content availability**

- Presentation will be posted to the website following the training
- **Website:** <https://msmedicaid.telligen.com/>
- Located in Education/Training

- **Survey**

- All registrants will be sent a Survey via email following today's training. Telligen welcomes your feedback and suggestions on future training opportunities.



Vendor Switchover Dates




- Providers were required to submit all **new** authorization request to Telligen beginning on **January 16, 2024**.
- All reviews “in progress”, such as continued stay reviews, recertifications and reconsiderations will continue to be submitted to Alliant until January 31, 2024.
- On **February 1, 2024, all** authorization requests and reconsiderations will need to be submitted to Telligen.

- All authorizations issued by Alliant will be honored by Telligen.

The Telligen portal is available 24/7/365, except for scheduled maintenance days.





**How do I access the
Telligen Provider portal
(Qualitrac)?:
Website Introduction**

Telligen Provider Portal - Overview



- The Telligen Provider Portal, Qualitrac, is a web-based application that allows healthcare providers to submit review requests.
- Please bookmark the <https://msmedicaid.telligen.com> webpage.
- Use the Log-In link provided to access Qualitrac.
- Continue to check the website for information pertaining to the Telligen Provider Portal, review process, and the provider education schedule.



Telligen Landing Page Overview



Please bookmark this site: <https://msmedicaid.telligen.com>



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Important:

Instructions on how to register for the portal: [click here](#)

DocuSign Tip Sheet: [click here](#)

**The portal will not be accessible until January 16, 2024. The activation link and password are only good for 7 days.
Emails regarding login information will not be sent until the week of January 9, 2024.**



Qualitrac Login

Web application used by healthcare providers to submit clinical care requests for review

[LOGIN](#)



Provider Portal Registration

New users need to register to gain access to Qualitrac. Registration takes less than 10mins.

[REGISTER](#)



[FREQUENT QUESTIONS](#)



[CHECK REVIEW STATUS](#)

Provider Portal Overview



- The Provider Portal is a web-based application that allows health care providers to submit authorization requests of services
- The Provider Portal utilizes a delegated security model.
 - A delegated security model requires an organizational executive (Provider Executive) to “delegate” administrative rights to one or more individuals within their organization (Authorized Official).
- There should be at least one Authorized Official per provider organization. The Authorized Official will:
 - Be the point of contact for the organization
 - Add, remove or edit Provider Users accounts

PLEASE NOTE - HIPAA compliance require all staff entering reviews or accessing the portal MUST have their own log-in and password. Do not create generic log-ins.



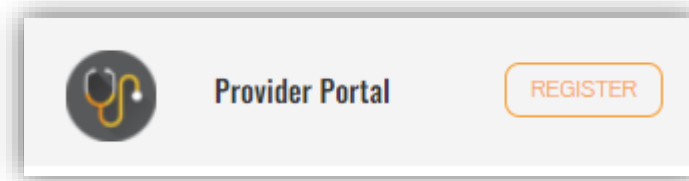
Registration Reminder



Process Overview

- The registration process can be completed at: <https://msmedicaid.telligen.com>

- Click the registration button :



- Refer to the Introduction to Telligen recording for step-by-step instructions
- **REMINDER:** Log-in information will be sent the week of January 8, 2024. The temporary log in is only valid for 7 days.





Provider Portal: How to Log in

Provider Portal



- Each user will be assigned a unique username for the portal.
- Please go <https://msmedicaid.telligen.com> and use the sign-in link

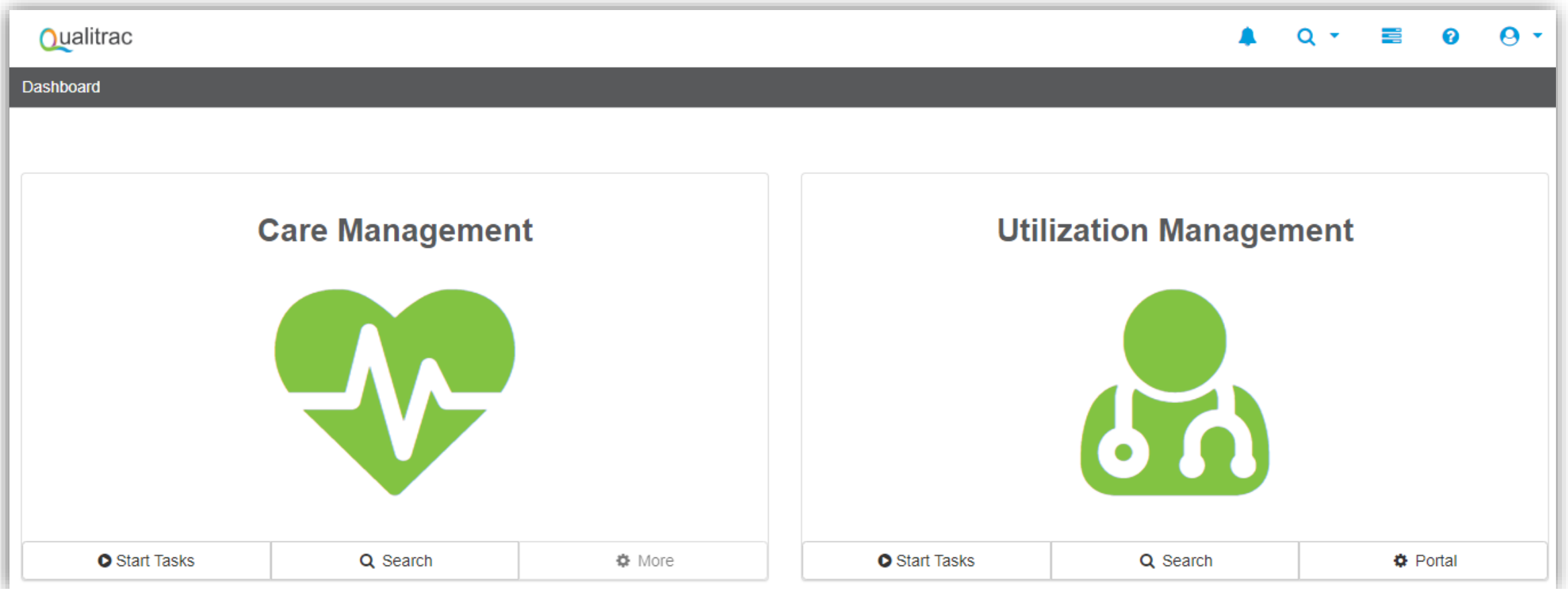


Signing into the Provider Portal



1. **Enter Username:** Use the username that you were sent in the set-up email.
2. **Enter Password:** Use the temporary password you were sent in the set-up email.
3. Click **Sign In** to access the system
4. Use the reset password link at the bottom to reset password after your first log in and anytime your password needs reset.

A screenshot of the Telligen sign-in page. At the top is the Telligen logo. Below it is the heading 'Sign In'. There are two input fields: 'Username' and 'Password'. The 'Username' field is empty and has a red error message below it: 'This field cannot be left blank'. The 'Password' field is also empty and has a toggle icon on the right. Below the password field is a checkbox labeled 'Keep me signed in'. At the bottom of the form is a blue button labeled 'Sign in' and a link labeled 'Reset Password'.



The screenshot shows the Qualitrac Dashboard interface. At the top left is the Qualitrac logo. The top right contains navigation icons: a bell for notifications, a magnifying glass for search, a hamburger menu, a question mark for help, and a user profile icon. Below the navigation bar is a dark grey header with the word "Dashboard". The main content area is divided into two large white panels. The left panel is titled "Care Management" and features a green heart icon with a white ECG line. The right panel is titled "Utilization Management" and features a green icon of a person with a stethoscope. At the bottom of each panel is a control bar with three buttons: "Start Tasks" (with a play icon), "Search" (with a magnifying glass icon), and "More" (with a gear icon). The "Utilization Management" panel's "More" button is labeled "Portal".



Provider Portal: Landing Page



This is the Telligen Provider Portal Menu Bar. This will remain available to you wherever you are in the system.



The Qualitrac Logo will take you back to the landing page from wherever you are currently working at in the system.



The bell icon notifies the user of notifications and system messages



The “magnifying glass” icon will open search options for you to search for a specific case or a specific member to view the details.



This icon allows for quick access to the users Task List



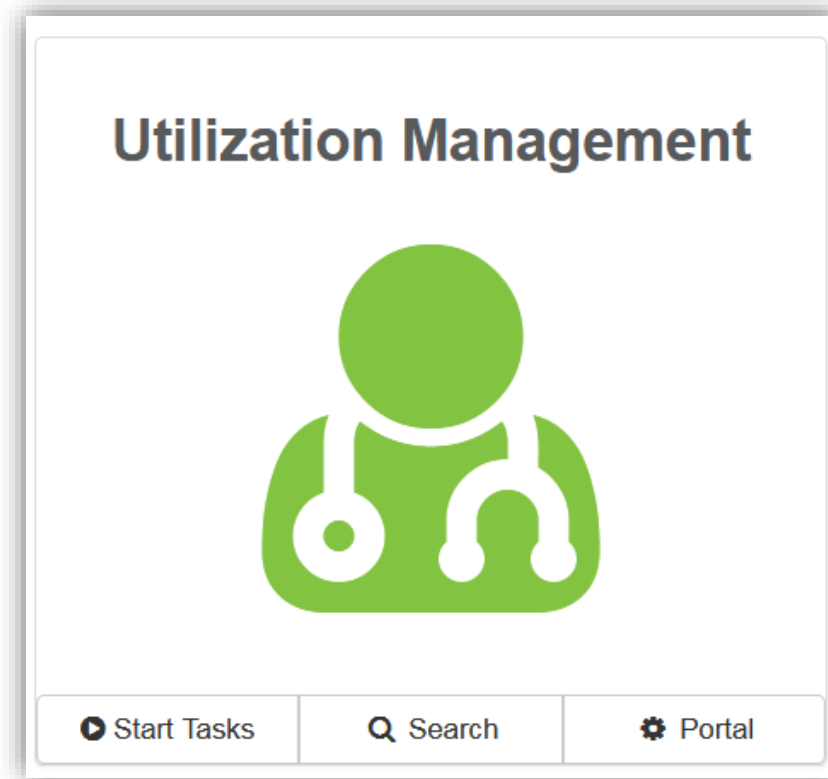
This is utilized to view and manage your profile. If your phone number or email address changes, you can use this section to update the details.



Telligen Provider Portal – Landing Page



- **Start Tasks** will take you to the task queue to view any reviews where additional information has been requested
- **Search** will allow you to search for a member or a case. Just like the magnifying glass at the top of the page.
- **Portal** will take you to the portal or to the task queue.

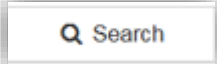



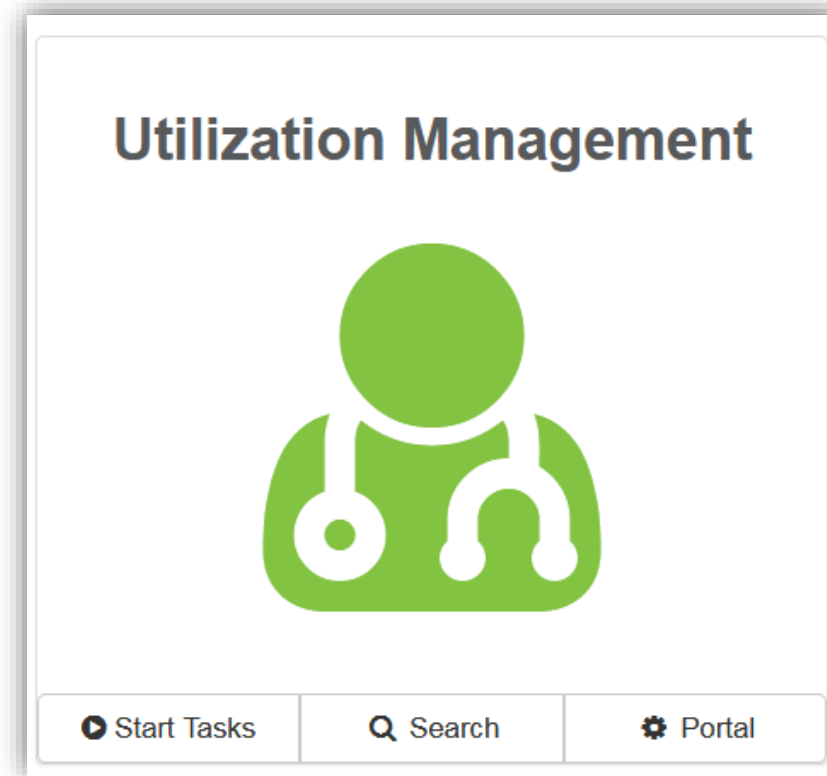
Submitting a Review



Telligen Provider Portal – Adding a New Review



Click on the  box or the “magnifying glass” icon  in the tool bar to access the member search screen to look for information on a member or to start a new review.



Telligen Provider Portal – Adding a New Review



How To Locate a Member:

- Enter the Member's ID and Date of Birth
- Enter the member's First Name, Last Name and Date of Birth
- NOTE: The Member ID and the Date of Birth must match with what is on file in the MESA system to locate the member information or to begin a new review for that member.

A screenshot of the Qualitrac web application interface. The top navigation bar includes the Qualitrac logo, a notification bell, a search icon, a menu icon, a help icon, and a user profile icon. Below the navigation bar, the breadcrumb 'Dashboard / Task Queue' is visible. A horizontal menu contains four tabs: 'Scheduled Tasks', 'Member Search' (which is highlighted in blue), 'Cases', and 'Case/Request/Claim Search'. The main content area displays the heading 'Please search for the member by completing one of the following'. Below this heading are two search options separated by 'OR'. The first option consists of a 'Member ID *' field with a placeholder 'Member ID', a 'Date Of Birth *' field with a placeholder 'MM/DD/YYYY', and a blue 'Search' button. The second option consists of a 'First Name *' field with a placeholder 'First Name', a 'Last Name *' field with a placeholder 'Last Name', a 'Date Of Birth *' field with a placeholder 'MM/DD/YYYY', and a blue 'Search' button.

Telligen Provider Portal – Adding a New Review



- The member(s) matching the criteria entered will populate
- Select the appropriate member
 - Click on any of the data fields in blue to access the member information or to start a new review for the member.

Scheduled Tasks **Member Search** Cases Case/Request/Claim Search

Please search for the member by completing one of the following

Member ID * Date Of Birth * Search

TEMP000000100323 01/03/1978

OR

First Name * Last Name * Date Of Birth * Search

First Name Last Name MM/DD/YYYY

| Member ID | Last Name | First Name | Middle Name | Date Of Birth | Gender |
|------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------------|--------|
| TEMP000000100323 | Wilson | Stephanie | | 01/03/1978 | Female |

Show 10 entries Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries Previous 1 Next







Telligen Provider Portal – Adding a new review




- **The Member Hub:**

- The Telligen Provider Portal allows you to view information related to this member based on rights of your role.
- You will be able to see their contact information
- You will be able to see any reviews that have been submitted for them on behalf of your organization.

 Stephanie Wilson View Member Details

 Member ID: TEMP000000100700  Date of Birth: 01/03/1978  Phone Number: Client: Mississippi

 Utilization Management View Cases + Add



Telligen Provider Portal – View Member Details



- Clicking on the **View Member Details** box opens the window to provide the user with more information for the member.

Stephanie Wilson Hide Member Details

Member ID: TEMP000000100700 **Date of Birth:** 01/03/1978 **Phone Number:** **Client:** Mississippi

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Phone | Mailing Address | Preferred Contact Information | |
| Home: Cell: Work: Other: | Physical Address 1776 West Lakes Parkway West Des Moines, IA 50266 | Method | Language |
| Email | | Notes | |
| Home: Work: | | | |

[View Even More Member Details](#)

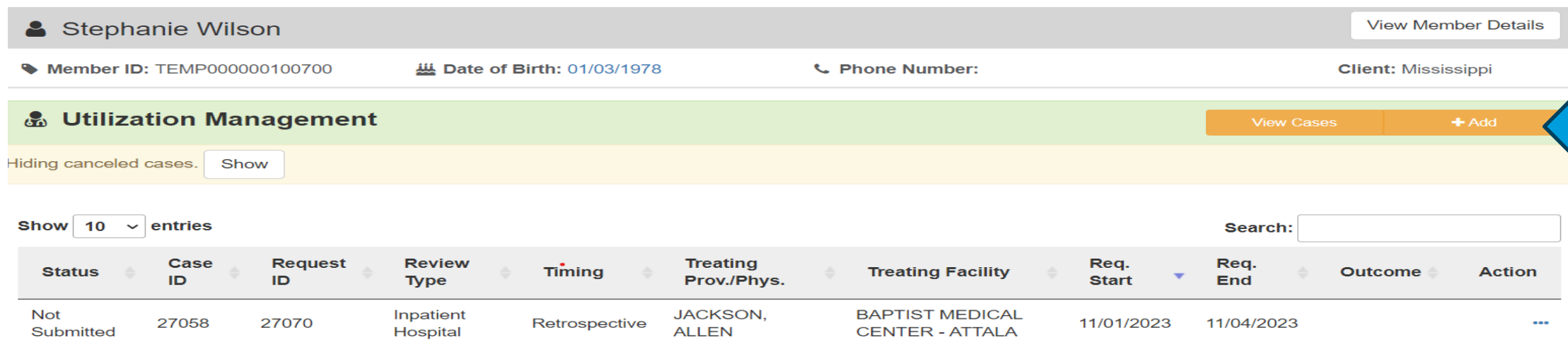


Telligen Provider Portal – Utilization Management Panel



The **Utilization Management Panel** will contain all information related to all UM reviews submitted for the member on behalf of your organization or those that were shared with your organization through the provider visibility panel

Use the  button to start a new request.



The screenshot shows the Utilization Management Panel for Stephanie Wilson. It includes a header with the user's name and a 'View Member Details' button. Below this, member information is displayed: Member ID: TEMP000000100700, Date of Birth: 01/03/1978, Phone Number, and Client: Mississippi. The main section is titled 'Utilization Management' and contains a '+ Add' button, which is highlighted with a blue arrow. Below the title, there is a 'Show' button and a search bar. A table of utilization management cases is displayed below, with columns for Status, Case ID, Request ID, Review Type, Timing, Treating Prov./Phys., Treating Facility, Req. Start, Req. End, Outcome, and Action.

| Status | Case ID | Request ID | Review Type | Timing | Treating Prov./Phys. | Treating Facility | Req. Start | Req. End | Outcome | Action |
|---------------|---------|------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|------------|---------|--------|
| Not Submitted | 27058 | 27070 | Inpatient Hospital | Retrospective | JACKSON, ALLEN | BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER - ATTALA | 11/01/2023 | 11/04/2023 | | ... |

Telligen Provider Portal – Required sections



The following panels will be required for your request:

- **Authorization Request**
- **Dates of Service**
- **Coverage**
- **Providers**
- **Provider Organization Visibility**
- **Diagnosis**
- **Procedures**
- **Documentation**

We will review each of these sections



Telligen Provider Portal – Add New Request



To begin a new request, fill in the **Authorization Request** panel.

- Date will prepopulate with the current date

Authorization Request

| | | | |
|---|--|---|--|
| Date Request Received * 06/14/2022 12:41 pm | Review Type * <input type="text"/> | Place of Service * <input type="text"/> | Type of Service * <input type="text"/> |
| Timing * <input type="text"/> | | | |




Authorization Request Panel- Review Type



- Enter the **Review Type**: This is where you will select the type of review you are requesting.
 - The review appropriate for this include:
 - Content will be located under education on the website

Review Type *  Review Type is a required field

A screenshot of a web form's dropdown menu. The dropdown is open, showing a list of service categories. A blue arrow points to the 'Expanded EPSDT' option. The list includes: Autism Spectrum Disorder Services, Cardiac Rehabilitation Services, Community Mental Health (Inpatient), Community Mental Health (Outpatient), Dental Services, Diabetes Self-Mgmt Training, DME, Expanded EPSDT, Expanded Home Health Services, Hearing Services, Hospice Services, Hospital Outpatient Mental Health, Inpatient Hospital, Inpatient Psych, Level of Care, Molecular (Genetic) Testing, Monitoring Services, Non-Emergency Outpatient Advanced Imaging, and Organ Transplant Services.

- Autism Spectrum Disorder Services
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- Hearing Services
- Hospice Services
- Hospital Outpatient Mental Health
- Inpatient Hospital
- Inpatient Psych
- Level of Care
- Molecular (Genetic) Testing
- Monitoring Services
- Non-Emergency Outpatient Advanced Imaging
- Organ Transplant Services

Authorization Request Panel cont.



- **Place of Service:** This is where you will select the place where care is being given.
- **Type of Service:** This is the type of service being requested.
- **Timing:** This is where you will select Prospective, Concurrent or Retrospective
- Select **Add New Request** to complete the process.
 - If the request was entered in error, you can select Cancel to remove the request

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Authorization Request" with a light green header. The form contains several input fields:

- Date Request Received ***: A date and time picker showing "06/14/2022 12:41 pm" with a calendar icon.
- Review Type ***: A dropdown menu with "Behavioral Health Outpatient" selected.
- Place of Service ***: A dropdown menu with "Office" selected.
- Type of Service ***: A dropdown menu with "Youth (Under 21)" selected.
- Timing ***: A dropdown menu with "Prospective" selected.

At the bottom right of the form, there are two buttons: a white "Cancel" button and a green "Add New Request" button with a plus icon.

Timings

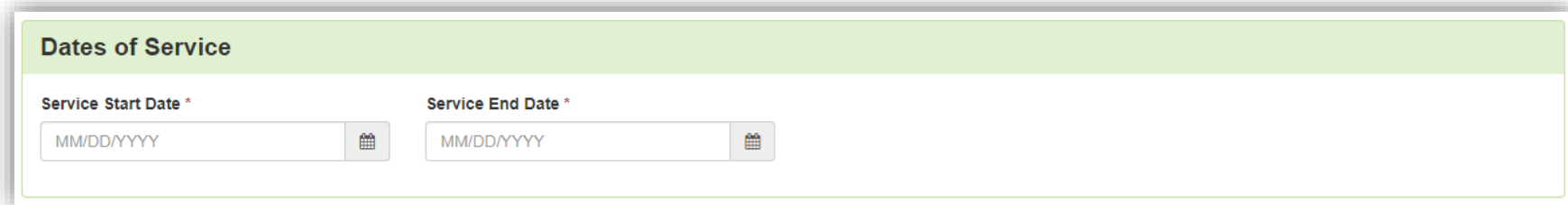


- **Prospective** – This is a review timing that is submitted prior to any services starting or before any type of inpatient stay. The requested start date must be in the future.
- **Concurrent** – This is the first review that is submitted if services have started. The requested start date should be the day of the request.
- **Retrospective** – This is a review timing that is submitted after all services have been provided. The start date and the discharge/end date should both be prior to the request date.



Dates of Service Panel

- Once you select Add New Request, the page opens to fill in all the remaining information necessary to process the request.
- **Dates of Service Panel** is used to enter the Service Start Date and the Service End Date



The screenshot shows a web form titled "Dates of Service" with a light green header. Below the header, there are two input fields. The first is labeled "Service Start Date *" and contains the placeholder text "MM/DD/YYYY" with a calendar icon to its right. The second is labeled "Service End Date *" and also contains the placeholder text "MM/DD/YYYY" with a calendar icon to its right.



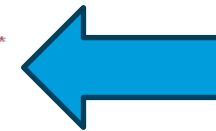
Coverage Panel

- The **Coverage Panel** will detail information about the member's eligibility.
- The Medicare Indicator and Third-Party Liability will default to No/Not Supplied unless there is information from MESA stating that the member has Medicare or other insurance.

⚠ Member Not Eligible

This member appears to either not meet eligibility requirements or has multiple coverage plans. We cannot confirm eligibility for the entire span of care. Please provide rationale for continuing with this request.

| Group | Section | Plan | Start Date | End Date |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|------------|---|
| No Coverage Found | | | | |
| Medicare Indicator * | | Third Party Liability * | | EPSDT Indicator * |
| <input type="text" value="Yes"/> | | <input type="text" value="No"/> | | <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
| Eligibility Comment * | | | | |
| <input type="text"/> | | | | |



Coverage Panel cont.



- There is an Eligibility comment box where you can enter information related to the member's eligibility.
- This will also allow the submitter to override lack of eligibility for those member's whose eligibility may be at a future date and the request is being submitted in advance.

Medicare Indicator *

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Third Party Liability *

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EPSDT Indicator *

Yes No

Eligibility Comment *



Providers Panel: Physician and Provider Information



- **Providers:** This section requires information related to who is ordering and providing the care:
 - *Ordering Provider*- The person or Organization ordering the care
 - *Treating Physician* – The person providing the care; this may or may not be a physician, i.e. Social Worker providing counseling
 - *Treating Provider* – The **organization** providing the care

| Type | Name | NPI | Address | Phone | Primary Taxonomy | PPO Redirect Reason | Comments | Action |
|----------------------|------|-----|---------|-------|------------------|---------------------|----------|--------|
| Ordering Provider * | | | | | Not Supplied | | | + Add |
| Treating Physician * | | | | | Not Supplied | | | + Add |
| Treating Provider * | | | | | Not Supplied | | | + Add |

★ click the Add button on each box to fill in the necessary provider information



Entering Physician and Facility Information

- Clicking **+ Add** will open a search box. You can search by entering an NPI number or by filling in any of the information boxes provided if the NPI is not known.
- Once you have entered the necessary information, click search to locate the physician or facility you are looking for.

Dashboard / Task Queue / Member Hub / Request / Provider Selection Stephanie Wilson - TEMP000000100323 - 01/03/1978

| | | | |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| NPI Number ? | Other ID Number ? | Last / Organization Name | First Name |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| City | State | Zip Code | Taxonomy |
| <input type="text"/> | Wyoming ▼ | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |





Entering Physician and Facility Information



- Clicking search will return **all** results that meet your entered criteria.
- Click the blue hyperlink in the provider's name to view additional details.
- Check the provider details before selecting, validating the correct provider and the taxonomy ID aligns to the services being requested

| Taxonomy | | | | Search: |
|----------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------|-------------|
| Primary | Taxonomy | State | License Number | Source |
| PRIMARY | 2084N0400X - Psychiatry & Neurology | | | Client File |


- Use the green plus box next to the name to select the provider/facility that you need for the review.


| Name | NPI | Primary Number | Other ID | Type | Address | Phone | Primary Taxonomy | Source |
|---|-----|----------------|-----------|---|--|----------------|------------------|---------------|
|  JACKSON, ALLEN | | 000126363 | 000126363 |  | Clinic #: 1 Addr: 2351 Highway 1 S Greenville, MS, 38701 | (662) 344-1817 | General Practice | Provider File |



Entering Physician and Facility Information



- You will see the physician's name or facility name and information populated in the corresponding panel.
- You can access the delete button by clicking the 3 dots to the right if selected in error
- You can use the  button to search and find a new physician/facility for the one that was deleted.

| Providers | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--|-----|--|----------------|------------------|--|
| Type | Name | NPI | Address | Phone | Primary Taxonomy | |
| Treating Physician |  JACKSON, ALLEN | | Clinic #: 1 2351 Highway 1 S Greenville, MS, 38701 | (662) 344-1817 | General Practice | |



Provider Organization Visibility Panel





- **Provider Organization Visibility:** This box is not required but it allows you to share this review with everyone in the organization you are submitting it for.
- This will also allow you to share the review and allow visibility by the Treating Providers organization for their knowledge and information

The screenshot shows a web interface for 'Provider Organization Visibility'. It has a light green header with the title and a help icon. Below the header, the user 'Wilson, Stephanie, User' is identified. A dropdown menu is open, showing 'ST LUKE'S REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER' as the selected option.




Diagnosis Panel

- **Diagnosis Panel:** This is where you can enter the diagnosis information related to this review.
- You will use the  button to add a new diagnosis to the panel.
- You can enter as many diagnoses as needed.
- You do have the ability to reorder or prioritize the diagnoses using the drag and drop feature.

| Diagnosis  | | | | | | | |
|---|------|-------------|----------|-----|-----|--------|--|
| Seq. | Code | Description | Final Dx | POA | NOS | Action | |
| No Diagnoses Supplied | | | | | | | |



Diagnosis Panel cont.

- Once you click  , you will have the ability to search for a diagnosis either by Code or by Term.

Diagnosis + Add

| Seq. | Code | Description | Final Dx | POA | NOS | Action |
|-----------------------|------|-------------|----------|-----|-----|--------|
| No Diagnoses Supplied | | | | | | |

Add Diagnosis

Method

Search By Code
 Search By Term

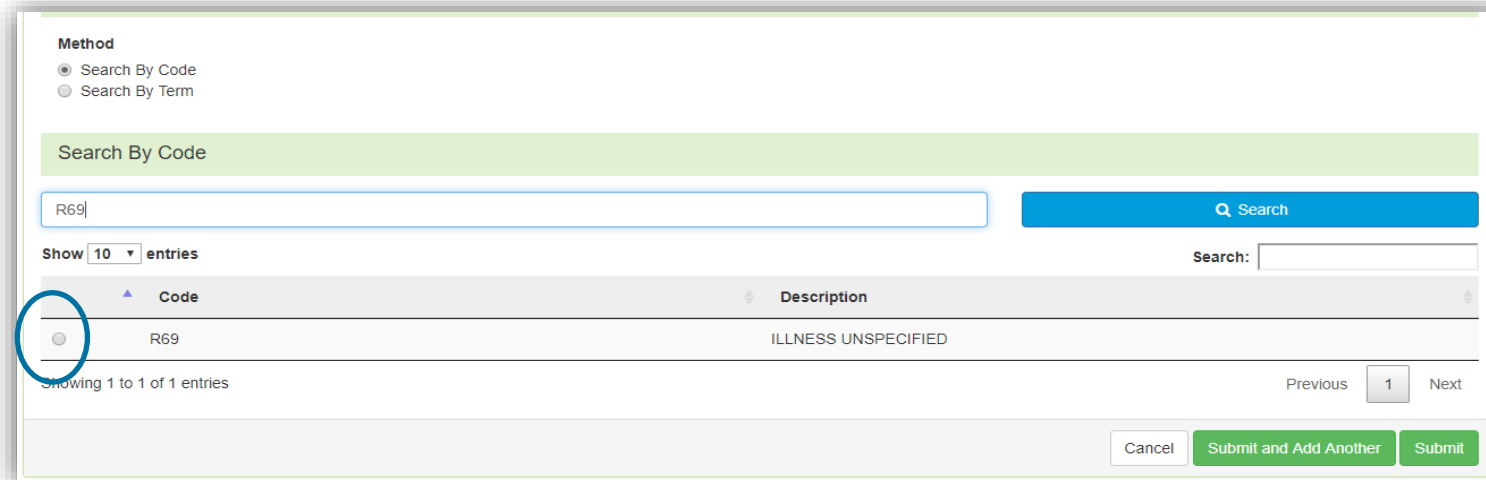
Search By Code

Enter Full ICD Code



Diagnosis Panel: Populating the Diagnosis

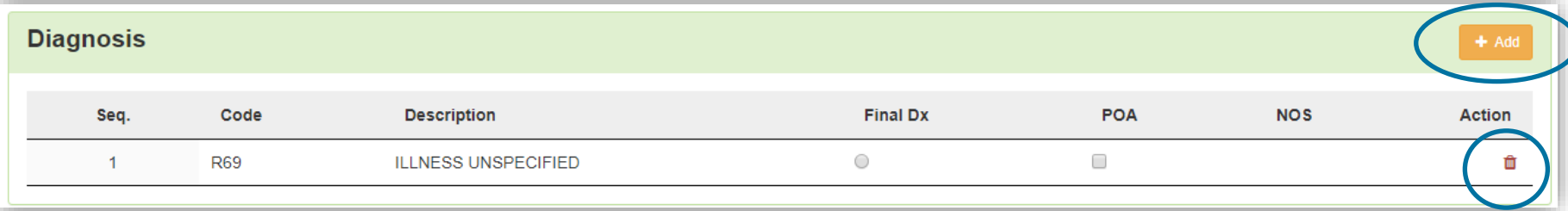
- **Entering a code:**
 - Select method: Code or term to search (radio button to select)
 - Enter information in the search box
 - Click Search
- The system will provide you a list of results you can select from. Select the one that you want added to the review by clicking on the radio button to the left of the code.




The screenshot shows a web interface for searching diagnoses. At the top, under the heading "Method", there are two radio buttons: "Search By Code" (which is selected) and "Search By Term". Below this is a green bar labeled "Search By Code". A search input field contains the text "R69", and a blue "Search" button is to its right. Below the search bar, there is a "Show 10 entries" dropdown and a "Search:" input field. A table with two columns, "Code" and "Description", displays one result: a radio button next to the code "R69" and the description "ILLNESS UNSPECIFIED". The radio button is circled in red. At the bottom of the table, it says "Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries". To the right of the table are "Previous", "1", and "Next" buttons. At the very bottom of the interface are three buttons: "Cancel", "Submit and Add Another", and "Submit".


Diagnosis Panel cont.

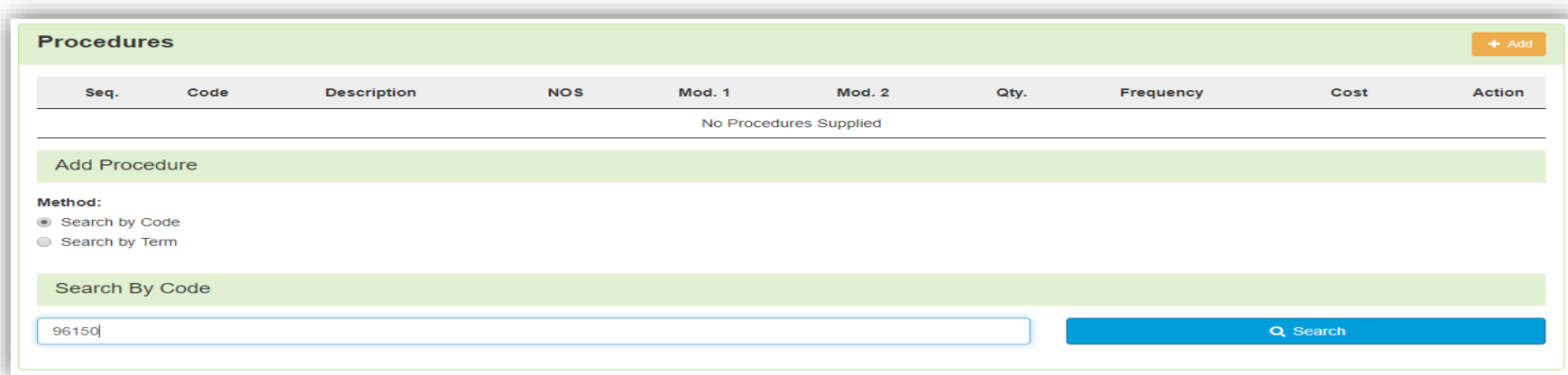
- After selecting the diagnosis you want added to the review, you can select Submit or Submit and Add Another.
- **Submit** will add the diagnosis to the review.
- **Submit and Add Another** will allow you to submit the diagnosis to the review and re-open the window where you can search for another diagnosis.
- You can use the **trash can** icon on the right side of the diagnosis to delete anything entered incorrectly in this panel.



| Seq. | Code | Description | Final Dx | POA | NOS | Action |
|------|------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-----|---|
| 1 | R69 | ILLNESS UNSPECIFIED | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |  |

Procedure(s) Panel

- The **Procedures Panel** is where the procedure code information related to this review is added.
- Click the  button to add a new procedure to the panel.
 - Select Radio button to indicate a code or term search
 - Enter information in the search box
 - Click search



The screenshot shows the 'Procedures' panel in a software application. At the top right, there is a '+ Add' button. Below it is a table with columns: Seq., Code, Description, NOS, Mod. 1, Mod. 2, Qty., Frequency, Cost, and Action. The table is currently empty, displaying 'No Procedures Supplied'. Below the table is a section titled 'Add Procedure' with a 'Method:' label and two radio buttons: 'Search by Code' (selected) and 'Search by Term'. Underneath is a 'Search By Code' section with a text input field containing '96150' and a blue 'Search' button with a magnifying glass icon.

Procedure(s) Panel cont.

- The Term search allows for the user to search based on Section, category and sub-category if needed



Search By Term

Section

Category

Sub-Category

Enter Search Term

- Once Query has populated, Use the radio button to Select the correct Procedure(s)

| <input type="radio"/> | Code | Description |
|-----------------------|-------|---|
| <input type="radio"/> | 10021 | FINE NEEDLE ASPIRATION W/O IMAGING GUIDANCE |

Procedure(s) Panel cont.



- Complete Modifiers and procedure details as needed

A screenshot of a web form titled 'Procedure(s) Panel'. The form is divided into two main sections: 'Modifiers' and 'Procedure Details'. The 'Modifiers' section has a header bar and a single text input field labeled 'Modifier 1'. The 'Procedure Details' section has a header bar and several input fields: 'Units *' (text input with '1'), 'Units Qualifier *' (dropdown menu with 'unit(s)'), 'Frequency' (text input), 'Frequency Qualifier' (dropdown menu), 'Total Cost' (text input with '\$'), and 'Allowed Amount' (text input). At the bottom right, there are three buttons: 'Cancel', 'Submit and Add Another', and 'Submit'.

After selecting the procedure(s) you want added to the review:

Submit will add the procedure to the review.
Submit and Add Another will allow you to submit the procedure to the review and re-open the window where you can search for another procedure


Enter as many procedures as needed.

Note: Modifiers are not required by the system, but PA should match what you expect to submit on your claim



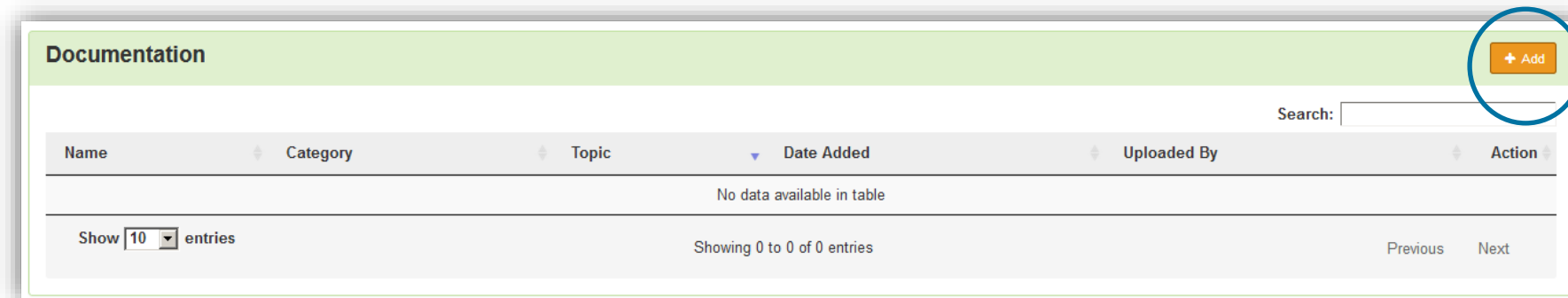
Procedure(s) Panel cont.

- Use the trash can icon on the right side of the procedure to delete anything entered incorrectly in this panel.
- Prioritize the procedures using the drag and drop features.

| Procedures + Add | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------|---|-----|--------|--------|-----------|-----------|------|---|
| Seq. | Code | Description | NOS | Mod. 1 | Mod. 2 | Qty. | Frequency | Cost | Action |
| 1 | 96150 | HLTH&BEHAVIOR ASSMT EA 15 MIN W/P 1ST ASSMT | | | | 1 unit(s) | | |  |

Documentation Panel

- **Documentation Panel** is the final panel on the page to submit the review.
- This is where you can upload any clinical documentation related and necessary for the review to be processed.

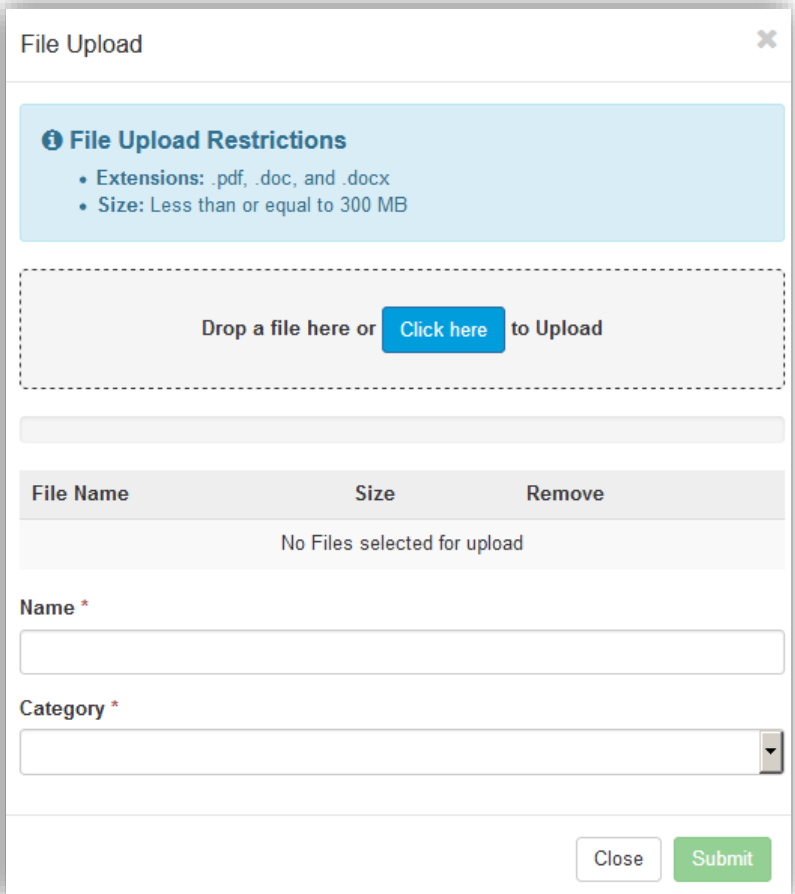


The screenshot shows a web interface for the 'Documentation Panel'. At the top left, the word 'Documentation' is displayed in a green header bar. In the top right corner of this bar, there is an orange button with a white plus sign and the text '+ Add', which is circled in blue. Below the header, there is a search bar with the label 'Search:'. Underneath the search bar is a table with the following columns: 'Name', 'Category', 'Topic', 'Date Added', 'Uploaded By', and 'Action'. The table is currently empty, with the text 'No data available in table' centered below the column headers. At the bottom left of the table area, there is a 'Show 10 entries' dropdown menu. At the bottom center, it says 'Showing 0 to 0 of 0 entries'. At the bottom right, there are 'Previous' and 'Next' navigation links.



Documentation Panel cont.

- To submit documentation, click the button on the Documentation Panel. This will open a modal where you can drag and drop files or select Click here to open a windows directory and find the necessary files.

A modal window titled 'File Upload' with a close button in the top right corner. It contains a section for 'File Upload Restrictions' with a list of allowed extensions and a size limit. Below this is a dashed box for file dropping with a 'Click here' button. A table below shows no files are selected. At the bottom are input fields for 'Name' and 'Category', and 'Close' and 'Submit' buttons.

File Upload

File Upload Restrictions

- Extensions: .pdf, .doc, and .docx
- Size: Less than or equal to 300 MB

Drop a file here or [Click here](#) to Upload

| File Name | Size | Remove |
|------------------------------|------|--------|
| No Files selected for upload | | |

Name *

Category *

Close Submit

Documentation Panel cont.

- Please note:
 - Documents must be a .pdf or word document
 - The size is limited to 300MB per document.

Complete the File upload fields

- **Name:**
 - The **Name** box allows you to name the file to what makes sense, if needed
 - The file name cannot have any spaces or special characters.



File Upload ✕

File Upload Restrictions

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| File Name | Size | Remove |
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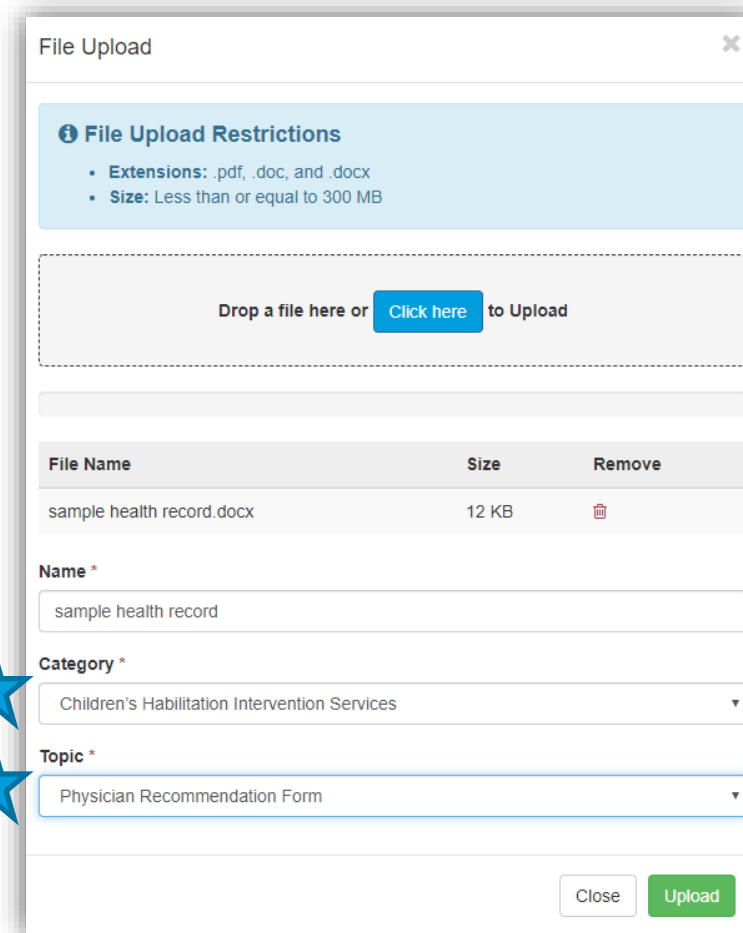
Name *

Category *

Close Submit

Documentation Panel cont.

- **Category:**
 - select from the drop down the type of document that you are attaching.
- **Topic:**
 - Select from the drop-down type of document being attached.
- Click Upload to attach the information to the review.
- **NOTE:** This can be repeated as many times as necessary to get all relevant documentation added.



File Upload

File Upload Restrictions

- **Extensions:** .pdf, .doc, and .docx
- **Size:** Less than or equal to 300 MB

Drop a file here or [Click here](#) to Upload

| File Name | Size | Remove |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|
| sample health record.docx | 12 KB | |

Name *
sample health record

Category *
Children's Habilitation Intervention Services

Topic *
Physician Recommendation Form

Close Upload



Completing your Review

- Once all the panels have been filled out, click Continue in the bottom right of the page to complete the review.

Documentation + Add

Search:

| Name | Category | Topic | Date Added | Uploaded By | Action |
|----------------------|----------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------------|--------|
| Smoking Stop Smoking | Clinical | Medical & Treatment History | 11/18/2018 | swilsonexternal | |

Show entries Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries Previous Next

Continue



Criteria



- **The criteria being used is NOT changing at this time.**
- Telligen will be using State-specific criteria.

- Note: The physicians are also not changing. The physicians performing the reviews for Alliant are the same physicians that will be reviewing cases for Telligen.



InterQual Process



- InterQual is integrated into Qualitrac to provide transparency into the clinical guidelines and criteria we use to review your authorization requests
- The system automatically takes the end user through the InterQual process

Select Subset *Refine search with Product, Version, Category, Keywords or Medical Codes*

PRODUCT VERSION CATEGORY CLINICAL REFERENCE

Enter Keywords 99233,K65.0 FIND SUBSETS CLEAR ALL BOOKMARKS

Results Count: 5

| Subset 1 ↑ | Product | Version 2 ↓ |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| | | |
| Acute Infections (SAC-SNF) | LOC:Subacute / SNF | InterQual 2023 |
| Infection: GI/GYN | LOC:Acute Adult | InterQual 2023 |
| Medical Management (SAC-SNF) | LOC:Subacute / SNF | InterQual 2023 |
| Medically Complex | LOC:Long-Term Acute Care | InterQual 2023 |
| Pediatric (SAC) | LOC:Subacute / SNF | InterQual 2023 |



InterQual Process cont.



- If there are clinical guidelines that apply, you will see the procedure or diagnosis with a Guideline Title line and the user will select the InterQual Action button to document which criteria are present.
- Select all that are relevant and choose save once all information has been entered.

Clinical Guidelines

● 99233 - Subsequent hospital care, per day, for the evaluation and management of a patient, which requires at least 2 of these 3 key components: A detailed interval history; A detailed examination; Medical decision making of high complexity. Counseling and/or coordination of care with other physicians, other qualified health care professionals, or agencies are provided consistent with the nature of the problem(s) and the patient's and/or family's needs. Usually, the patient is unstable or has developed a significant complication or a significant new problem. Typically, 35 minutes are spent at the bedside and on the patient's hospital floor or unit.

InterQual® Actions ▾



InterQual Process cont.

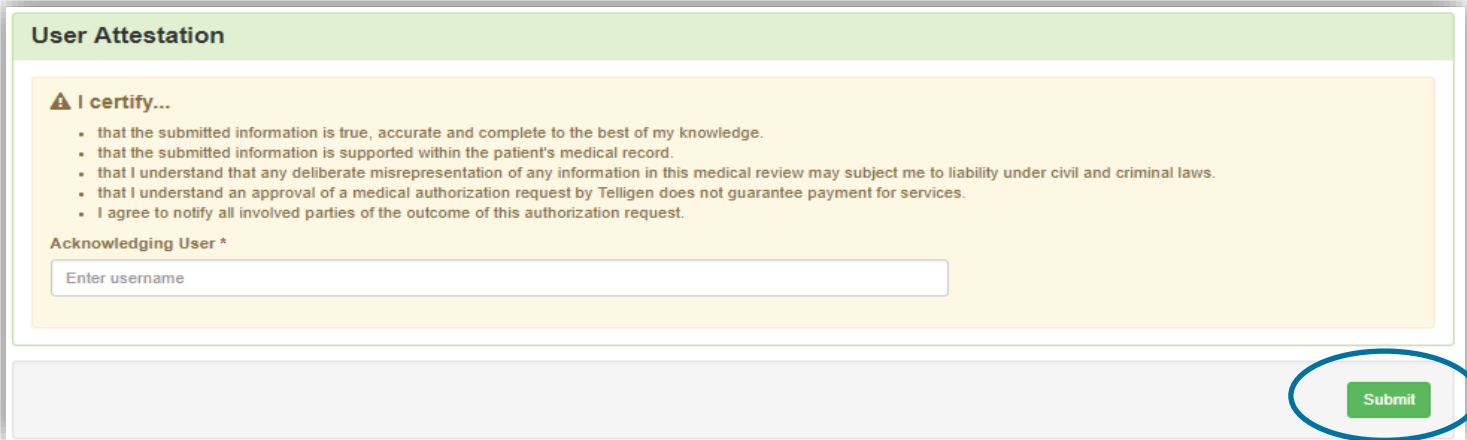


- If there are no clinical guidelines that apply, you will be presented with a text box where clinical information relevant to the review can be entered.
- Once all applicable data has been entered, click the **submit** button to finish the documentation.

A screenshot of the Qualitrac local web application interface. At the top left, it says 'Qualitrac local'. On the right, there are several navigation icons. Below this is a dark grey breadcrumb trail: 'Dashboard / Task Queue / Member Hub / Clinical Guidelines / InterQual@'. On the far right of the breadcrumb trail, it shows the user's name and ID: 'Robert Paulson - 122333 - 01/01/2001'. The main content area displays the message 'No InterQual Guidelines found for 50205: RENAL BIOPSY OPEN'. Below this message is a checkbox labeled 'No Guidelines Applicable *' with a blue arrow pointing to it. Underneath the checkbox is a 'Comment *' label and a large, empty text input box. At the bottom right of the text box is a green 'Submit' button. At the bottom center of the page, there is a copyright notice: '© Copyright 2023 Telligen. All Rights Reserved.' The bottom of the slide features a blue background with a white stylized 'T' logo.

Attestation

- The last piece of submission is to enter your **Username** in the attestation section



The screenshot shows a 'User Attestation' form. At the top, there is a green header with the text 'User Attestation'. Below this is a yellow box containing a warning icon and the text 'I certify...'. Underneath are four bullet points: 'that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.', 'that the submitted information is supported within the patient's medical record.', 'that I understand that any deliberate misrepresentation of any information in this medical review may subject me to liability under civil and criminal laws.', and 'that I understand an approval of a medical authorization request by Telligen does not guarantee payment for services.'. Below the yellow box is a section titled 'Acknowledging User *' with a text input field containing the placeholder 'Enter username'. At the bottom right of the form is a green 'Submit' button, which is circled in blue.

- Click the Submit button to send the review to Telligen
- If any information is missing, an error will indicate what is missing

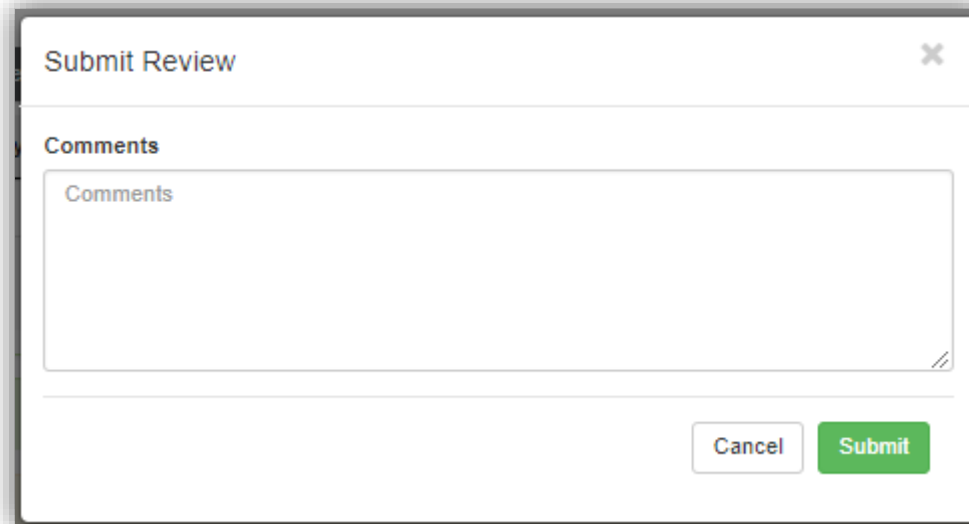
❗ Error saving your Request

There was an error with the following panel(s):

- [Documentation](#) - You must have one or more documents

Comments

- Users have the option to add comments to the review before it is sent to Telligen.
- A comments modal will open, and the user can enter additional information related to the review.
- **This is not required to complete the review.**

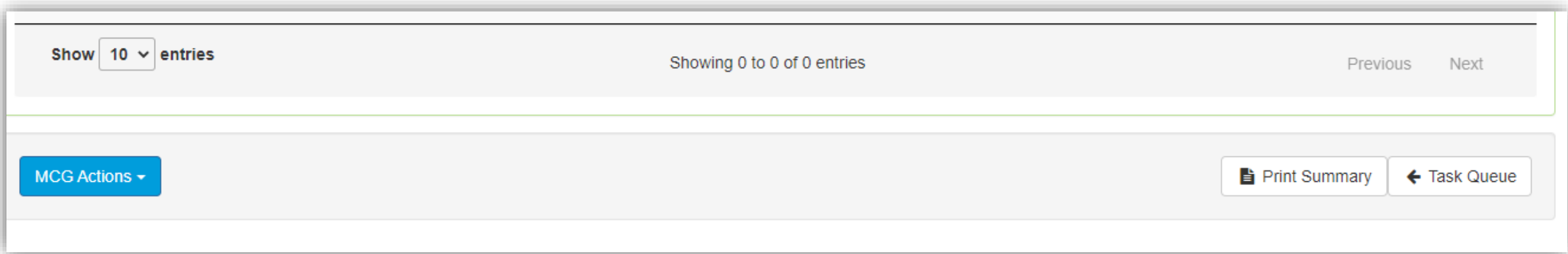


The image shows a screenshot of a web application modal titled "Submit Review". The modal has a close button (an 'x' icon) in the top right corner. Below the title, there is a section labeled "Comments" which contains a large, empty text input field. At the bottom of the modal, there are two buttons: a white "Cancel" button and a green "Submit" button.



Summary

- After submitting you will be taken to a summary of the review
- Users will have the option to Edit or Delete via the **Actions** button
- To navigate off of the request, scroll to the bottom of the page and select **← Task Queue**
 - This will return the user to the tasks page where you can begin a new search and submit other reviews.



Where Did My Review Go?



- Once a review has been submitted, you can find the review by:
 - searching for the Case ID
 - searching for the member and looking at the UM panel in the Member Hub.
- **Member Hub functions:**
 - Allows the user to look at the Review to check for determination and any correspondence
 - Submit a Reconsideration which is titled 1st Level Appeal
 - Delete a review that was submitted incorrectly

A screenshot of the Qualitrac software interface. At the top left, it says 'Qualitrac stage'. On the right side of the top bar, there are several icons for social media and communication. Below this is a breadcrumb trail: 'Dashboard / Task Queue / Member Hub'. On the far right of this bar, the user's name and ID are displayed: 'Stephanie Wilson - TEMP000000100700 - 01/03/1978'. The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left is a 'Control Panel' with a menu icon. On the right is the 'Member Hub' for Stephanie Wilson, which includes a 'View Member Details' button and a list of member information: 'Member ID: TEMP000000100700', 'Date of Birth: 01/03/1978', 'Phone Number:', and 'Client: Mississippi'. At the bottom left, there is a 'Scheduled Tasks' button with a calendar icon. The bottom of the slide features a blue background with a white stylized 'T' logo.

Review



- Once in the **UM Panel**:
 - Navigate to your request
 - Click on the ellipsis at the right side of the line request. This menu will allow you to view the request in more detail, submit a reconsideration (1st Level Appeal), and other options.

Inpatient Hospital (27058) Treating Physician: JACKSON, ALLEN Treating Facility: BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER - ATTALA

Show entries Search:

| Module | Timing | Status | Date Request Received | Case Completed | Outcome | Actions |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| Medical Necessity | Retrospective | Not Submitted | 12/01/2023 04:35 pm | | Pending | ⋮ View Request Delete |

Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries



View Request
Delete



Request for Information (RFI)



A Note About Timelines



Telligen Timelines

- Telligen has two (2) business days to complete a prospective request
- Telligen has ten (10) business days to complete a retrospective request

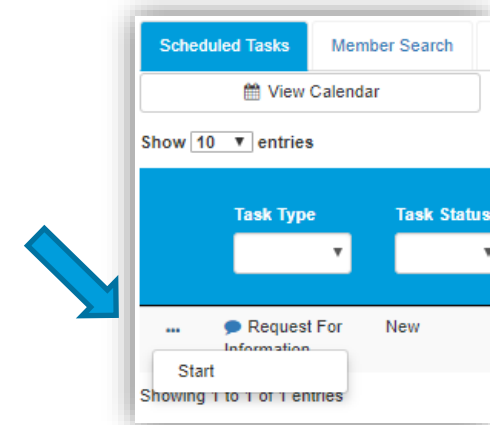
Provider Timelines

- Providers have ten (10) business days to respond to a request for information.
- Providers have thirty (30) calendar days to submit a reconsideration request



Request for Information

- When a reviewer needs additional clinical documentation to make a determination, the submitter will be notified that additional Information is needed.
- Notification Methods:
 - Email to user that they have a request for more information
 - A task will populate in the Qualitrac system
- User steps:
 - Log into Qualitrac
 - Proceed to scheduled tasks
 - Click on the ellipsis to the left of the page, to start the task.



Request for Information



- Scroll down the **summary page** of the review
- Proceed to the correspondence section.
- Click on the blue name of the letter to open it and see what information is being requested.

The screenshot shows a web interface for a 'Correspondence' section. At the top right is an orange '+ Add' button. Below it is a search bar with the label 'Search:'. The main content is a table with three columns: 'Letter', 'Addressee', and 'Date Sent'. There are two rows of data. The first row shows a 'DRG Request for Information' link, a download icon, a trash icon, and the text 'Treating Facility: UMEHR Test Provider 6 NPI: 8888888806' with a date of '06/16/2022 10:57:18'. The second row shows a similar 'DRG Request for Information' link, download and trash icons, and the text 'Ordering Provider: PhysicianLastName5, PhysicianFirstName5 NPI: 8888888815' with the same date. At the bottom, there is a pagination control showing 'Show 10 entries', 'Showing 1 to 2 of 2 entries', and 'Previous 1 Next'.

| Letter | Addressee | Date Sent |
|---|--|---------------------|
| DRG Request for Information | Treating Facility: UMEHR Test Provider 6 NPI: 8888888806 | 06/16/2022 10:57:18 |
| DRG Request for Information | Ordering Provider: PhysicianLastName5, PhysicianFirstName5 NPI: 8888888815 | 06/16/2022 10:57:18 |

Request for Information



- Scroll up to the **Documentation panel** to attach additional information.
- Click on the Add button to attach additional clinical documentation to the review.

The screenshot shows a 'Documentation' panel with a green header and an orange '+ Add' button. Below the header is a search bar labeled 'Search:'. A table with columns for Name, Category, Topic, Date Added, Uploaded By, and Action is displayed. The table contains one entry: 'Commit to a Goal' in the Name column, 'Clinical' in the Category column, 'Medical & Treatment History' in the Topic column, '02/17/2019' in the Date Added column, and 'swilsonMD' in the Uploaded By column. The Action column contains a trash icon. Below the table, there is a 'Show 10 entries' dropdown menu, the text 'Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries', and pagination controls with 'Previous', a box containing '1', and 'Next'.

| Name | Category | Topic | Date Added | Uploaded By | Action |
|------------------|----------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|--------|
| Commit to a Goal | Clinical | Medical & Treatment History | 02/17/2019 | swilsonMD | |



Request for Additional Information



- Once you add all necessary information, the system will trigger a task for the reviewer
- Once you have added the additional information, the system will return you to the Scheduled tasks queue and the task will no longer be visible for the user.
- ****Do NOT start a new review** to submit additional clinical information that was requested. This will delay the response. Please follow the steps outlined when a Request for Information task is available in the task queue.



Finding the Determination



Locating A Determination



- **To Locate the determination:** Log in and select search under UM

A screenshot of the Qualitrac web application interface. The top navigation bar includes the Qualitrac logo, a notification bell, a search icon, a menu icon, and a user profile icon. Below the navigation bar, there are four tabs: 'Scheduled Tasks', 'Member Search', 'Cases', and 'Case/Request/Claim Search'. The 'Case/Request/Claim Search' tab is highlighted in blue. Three blue star-shaped callouts with numbers 1, 2, and 3 are overlaid on the interface. Callout 1 points to the 'Case ID' input field, callout 2 points to the 'Member Search' tab, and callout 3 points to the 'Cases' tab. The search form includes a 'Client' dropdown menu, a 'Method' section with four radio button options: 'Search By Case ID' (selected), 'Search By Authorization ID', 'Search By Claim Number', and 'Search By Request ID'. There is also a 'Case ID' input field and a blue 'Search' button.

Locate the member

1. Search for the case by using the case ID
2. Search by the member and locate the case in the member hub
3. Search Cases for the list of all auth requests



Locating A Determination



■ To **Locate the determination:**

1. If searching by the member, once in the member hub:
 - Scroll down to the Utilization Management section
 - Select the appropriate auth request (if multiple are present)
 - Click on the ellipsis on the right side of the page in line with the review you are searching for
 - Select View Request
2. If searching by Case ID
 - Upon selecting the case ID, you will be taken directly to the authorization request
3. If Searching by the case list, you will scroll to locate the case and select
4. Once the review is open, scroll down the page to the Outcomes panel
5. Click on the gray section of the panel to open it and view the details.

Utilization Management

View Requests

+ Add

Hiding canceled requests.

Inpatient Hospital (27058)

Treating Physician: JACKSON,
ALLEN

Treating Facility: BAPTIST MEDICAL
CENTER - ATTALA

View Outcome



Utilization Management

View Requests

+ Add

Hiding canceled requests. [Show](#)

Hearing Services (26754)

Treating Provider: MICHAEL E
STEUER MD PC

Complete

Show entries

Search:

| Module | Timing | Status | Date Request Received | Case Completed | Outcome | Action |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------|--------|
| Medical Necessity | Prospective - Extension | Request Is Complete | 12/13/2023 04:46 pm | 12/13/2023 | Approved | ... |

View Outcome



Outcomes

Review Outcome: Denied

(HCPCS) G0446 - ANNUAL FCE--FCE INTENSV BEHV TX CV DZ IND 15 MIN

Outcome: Denied

Requested

| | |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| Outcome | |
| Authorization Number | |
| Start Date | 06/13/2022 |
| End Date | 07/13/2022 |
| Modifier 1 | |
| Modifier 2 | |
| Units | 20 unit(s) |
| Frequency | 3 Three times weekly |
| Total Cost | |

Final Recommendation

| | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Outcome | Denied (Clinical Denial) |
| Authorization Number | 7000000004 |
| Start Date | 06/13/2022 |
| End Date | 07/13/2022 |
| Modifier 1 | |
| Modifier 2 | |
| Approved | 0 unit(s) (Denied: 20) |
| Frequency | 3 Three times weekly |
| Total Cost | |
| Letter Rationale: | denial |

Submitting a Reconsideration (1st Level Appeal) or P2P Review



Submitting a Reconsideration (1st Level Appeal)



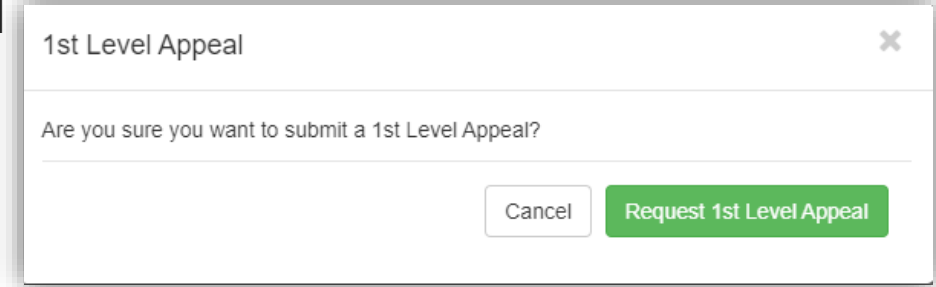
- To submit a reconsideration for a denied review:
 - Go to the **UM panel** in the member hub
 - Click on the blue ellipsis within the denied case to open the action menu
 - Once there, select **1st Level Appeal** from the menu.

The screenshot shows the 'Utilization Management' interface. At the top, there is a header with a user icon, the title 'Utilization Management', and two buttons: 'View Cases' and '+ Add'. Below the header, there is a search bar and a dropdown menu set to '10 entries'. The main content is a table with the following columns: Status, Case ID, Review Type, Timing, Treating Prov./Phys., Treating Facility, Req. Start, Req. End, Outcome, and Action. A single row is displayed with the following data: Status: Request Is Complete, Case ID: 812, Review Type: Acute Medical Surgical, Timing: Retrospective, Treating Prov./Phys.: WILSON MD, DOUGLAS, Treating Facility: JOHN HOPKINS MOORE CL MAC, Req. Start: 02/04/2019, Req. End: 02/08/2019, Outcome: Denied. An action menu is open for the 'Action' column, showing 'View Request' and '1st Level Appeal' options. At the bottom left of the table, it says 'Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries'.

| Status | Case ID | Review Type | Timing | Treating Prov./Phys. | Treating Facility | Req. Start | Req. End | Outcome | Action |
|---------------------|---------|------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|---------|--------|
| Request Is Complete | 812 | Acute Medical Surgical | Retrospective | WILSON MD, DOUGLAS | JOHN HOPKINS MOORE CL MAC | 02/04/2019 | 02/08/2019 | Denied | ... |

Reconsideration (1st Level Appeal) cont.

- The system will ask you if you are sure you want to submit a 1st Level appeal
- Select the green button : **Request 1st Level Appeal**
 - You will still be able to delete the request later

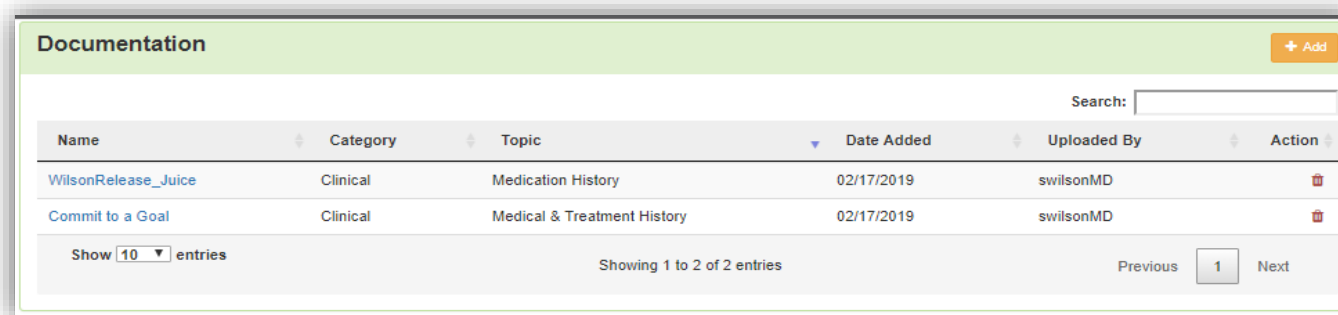


1st Level Appeal

Are you sure you want to submit a 1st Level Appeal?

Cancel Request 1st Level Appeal

- Attach any additional documentation that is necessary to support the appeal



Documentation + Add

Search:

| Name | Category | Topic | Date Added | Uploaded By | Action |
|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|--------|
| WilsonRelease_Juice | Clinical | Medication History | 02/17/2019 | swilsonMD | |
| Commit to a Goal | Clinical | Medical & Treatment History | 02/17/2019 | swilsonMD | |

Show 10 entries Showing 1 to 2 of 2 entries Previous 1 Next

Reconsideration (1st Level Appeal) cont.



- Sign the User Attestation using your **USER ID**

User Attestation

⚠ I certify...

- that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- that the submitted information is supported within the patient's medical record.
- that I understand that any deliberate misrepresentation of any information in this medical review may subject me to liability under civil and criminal laws.
- that I understand an approval of a medical authorization request by Telligen does not guarantee payment for services.
- I agree to notify all involved parties of the outcome of this authorization request.

Acknowledging User *

- Click Submit to have the information sent to Telligen for reconsideration

Outpatient Services (26794)

Treating Provider: MRH MEDICAL GROUP, BROWN MEDICAL CL

Case Creation

Show 10 entries

Search:

| Module | Timing | Status | Date Request Received | Case Completed | Outcome | Action |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------|--------|
| Medical Necessity | Prospective - 1st Level Appeal | Request Has Been Submitted | 12/28/2023 12:28 pm | | Pending | ... |

The system will display your appeal



Reconsideration (1st Level Appeal)/P2P Review



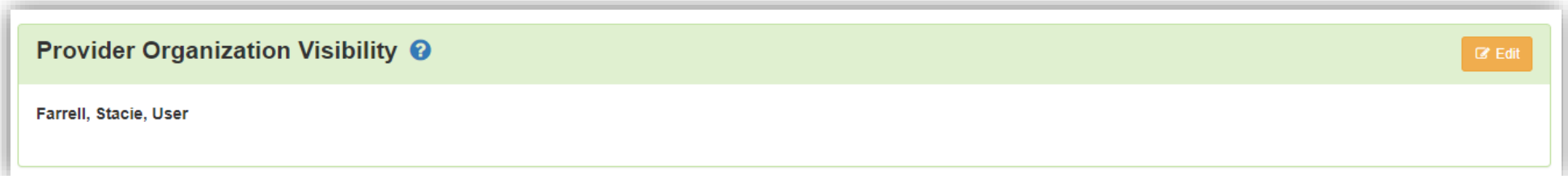
- When a prospective, concurrent or retrospective review has an initial determination of denied or partially denied, the user can submit a request for a reconsideration or a Peer-to-Peer review
- The user will have 30 calendar days from the date and time of the initial determination being rendered to submit the request.
- If the provider wants to request a peer-to-peer, they need to call customer service 1-855-625-7709. They will need the case or member ID when they call in and the customer service rep will be able to create the task in the system
- Someone will contact the requesting provider with scheduling details within five business days of making the request.



E-mail Notifications



- Users will receive email notifications when:
 - Reviews are received from the portal
 - Reviews are updated/changed in status
- To make sure that everyone in your organization that should receive email notification for reviews does get one, please select the organization or facility in the Provider Organization Visibility panel.



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