Patient Authentication
How to allow a third-party app to access your health record

Patients that use Henry Ford MyChart are able to connect to third-party applications (apps) to retrieve parts of their health record for their own personal use. Examples of data that can be pulled into an app include lab results, allergies, medications, and immunization history.

In order to authenticate an app to retrieve your health data, follow these steps (*note that images may not reflect Henry Ford's exact layout or content for each step in the process*):

1. Make sure you have a Henry Ford MyChart (patient portal) account created. You will need your login credentials (Username and Password) for the authentication process.
2. Access the application on your personal device. Carefully review the app's terms and conditions.
3. The app may ask you to select your healthcare provider from a list. Select your healthcare provider, 'Henry Ford MyChart'.
4. You will now be redirected to the Henry Ford MyChart login screen. Enter your Henry Ford MyChart Username and Password to continue.
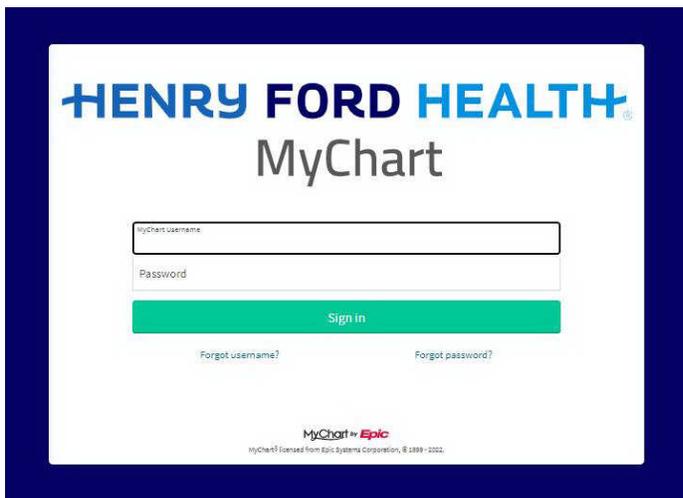
5. If you have proxy access to another person's account, you will need to select which account you are linking the app.
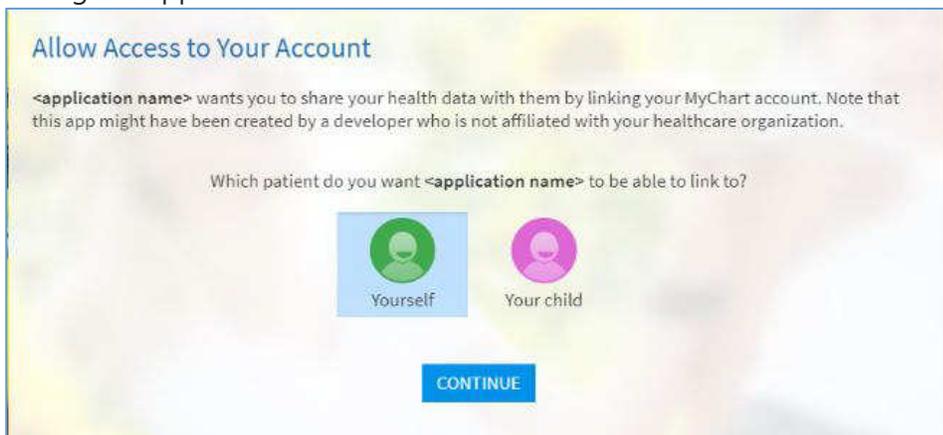
6. You may see a page with details about the application. These details come from a questionnaire that the app developer fills out and attests to, such as how the app is funded, whether it distributes your data to other parties, and whether you're able to delete or see records of the data the app collects. Review this information carefully and determine whether you would like the app to have access to your health information.

You will see the individual types of data, or resources, the third-party app is requesting access to. That page appears in a card beside a checkbox, you can select or clear resources to share or deny the third-party app access to your MyChart data.

If you would like to allow the app to access your data, then click "Allow Access".

Example of an app that has filled out questionnaire with useful information:

What would you like to share?

<application name>   is requesting the following types of information. Select the information you want to share:

☑ **Allergies**
- 🌟 Allergies

☑ **Care Plans**
- 📅 Appointments
- ✏️ Clinical Notes
- 🎯 Health Goals
- 💊 Medical Conditions
- 📄 Procedural and Diagnostic Orders
- 👥 Referrals

> **Clinical Notes** includes free text notes written about you that might contain many different types of data.

☑ **Demographic Information**
- 🪪 Demographics
- 👤 Primary Care Provider

☑ **Health Goals**
- 🎯 Health Goals

☑ **Health Issues**
- 💊 Medical Conditions

☑ **Health Observations**
- 🧪 Lab Results
- 🚬 Smoking Status
- 📈 Vitals

> **Vitals** may include observations about your health beyond basic diagnostic measurements.

☑ **Immunizations**
- 💉 Immunizations

☑ **Implants**
- 🔧 Implants

☑ **Medications**
- 💊 Medications

☑ **Procedures**
- 🏥 Procedures

☑ **Provider Details**
- 🏢 Non-Patient Data

☑ **Results**
- 🧪 Lab Results

☑ **Visit Records**
- 📄 Documents

> **Documents** includes files attached to your record that might contain many different types of data.

Details and more options

🕐 How long will the app have access to my information?

<application name>   2 will have access to your information for 1 hour(s) and 0 minute(s), until **Tuesday April 12, 2022 1:39 PM EDT**   <application name>   2 may access your information even when you are not using that app, and you can revoke access at any time.

🚫 Deny access   ✔️ Allow access   Back

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You can choose which resource categories to share, and by clicking the "Details and more options" link you can learn more about those resource categories or individual resources being requested to share.

Information requested by `<application name>`
Learn more about the information included.

Allergies
⚡ Allergies
Information about all allergies in your record, such as known allergens and the severity of your allergic reactions.

Care Plans
📅 Appointments
Information about previous and upcoming appointments, such as the type, date, location, associated care providers and any notes about the appointment.

📝 Clinical Notes
Information about notes written by your care providers, such as the author, date, and a full copy of the note.

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✅ Health Goals
Information about your documented long- and short-term health goals, such as a description of the goal, the health problems it addresses, and your progress.

🏷️ Medical Conditions
Information about your current and past health issues, chronic conditions, and acute illnesses, such as the name, severity, onset date, status, and evidence of the issue.

📋 Procedural and Diagnostic Orders
Details of requests from your provider for procedures and diagnostic tests, such as the name, date, and status of the request, as well as the reason it was requested.

👥 Referrals
Information about referrals your care provider has made to other providers such as specialists or for management of your health such as physical therapy.

Demographic Information
🪪 Demographics
Basic information about you, such as name, gender, address, date of birth, contact information, ethnicity, marital status, and your preferred language.

👤 Primary Care Provider
The name and credentials of your primary care provider.

Health Goals
✅ Health Goals
Information about your documented long- and short-term health goals, such as a description of the goal, the health problems it addresses, and your progress.

Health Issues
🏷️ Medical Conditions
Information about your current and past health issues, chronic conditions, and acute illnesses, such as the name, severity, onset date, status, and evidence of the issue.

Health Observations
🧪 Lab Results
Information about your laboratory tests, such as result values, reference ranges, and interpretation.

🚬 Smoking Status
Information about your past and present use (if any) of inhaled tobacco products, such as when you started smoking and how frequently you smoke.

📈 Vitals
Information about basic diagnostic measurements including heart rate, temperature, and blood pressure, such as the type, status, date, and value of the measurement and any associated comments by your care provider.

Vitals may include observations about your health beyond basic diagnostic measurements.

Immunizations
💉 Immunizations
Information about your documented immunizations, such as the type and manufacturer of the vaccine, who administered the vaccine, how the vaccine was administered, and when the vaccine expires.

Implants
🔩 Implants
Information about medical devices you may have attached to or embedded in your body, such as pacemakers or artificial joints.

Medications
💊 Medications
Information about your current and past over-the-counter, prescription and inpatient medications, such as the name, brand, and dose of the medicine as well as any instructions for taking it.

Procedures
🔒 Procedures
Information about surgeries and other operations you've had, such as the name, status, and date of the procedure as well as the care provider who performed it and why it was performed.

Provider Details
🏥 Non-Patient Data
Information that is not about you or anyone whose health record you have access to, such as available appointment times at your healthcare organization.

Results
🧪 Lab Results
Information about your laboratory tests, such as result values, reference ranges, and interpretation.

Visit Records
📄 Documents
Information about files attached to your record, such as the date, author, and a full copy of the file.

Documents includes files attached to your record that might contain many different types of data.

Or Select Individual Resources
Choose specific resources to authorize if you know which resources you want to select.

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Example of an app that has neglected to fill out the questionnaire:

Allow Access to Your Account

<application name> wants you to share your health data with them by linking your MyChart account. Note that this app might have been created by a developer who is not affiliated with your healthcare organization.

⚠ This app's developer has NOT yet submitted to us how they plan to use your data. Once your data has been shared with <application name>, it could be made public and you may not be able to revoke access to it.

We recommend that you deny access to your account.

This app's developer has not shared any of the following Terms of Use:
- What type of organization is offering this app
- How the app is funded
- How your data will be stored
- Who will have access to your data when it is provided to the app
- If this app tells you about the data it has collected about you
- How your data will be retained
- How your data will be used

Allow or Deny Access

<application name> wants your permission to access the following information:

This app will have access to your information until
Monday February 25, 2019, 5:36 PM

- Allergies
- Primary Care Provider
- Demographics
- Problems
- Procedures
- Immunizations

Because the app's developer has not informed us of how they plan to use your data, we recommend that you deny access to your account.

If you want to grant access, please proceed by confirming you have read the statements above. You can find further information within the app's privacy policy and statements.

☐ I have read the statements above

[DENY ACCESS] [ALLOW ACCESS]

7. You can review and remove app access to your health data at any time by navigating to the 'Manage My Linked Apps and Devices' page in MyChart.

Manage My Linked Apps and Devices

Services Accessing My Account
You've given the following apps permission to access your data.

<application name>
ⓘ View Permissions   [REMOVE ACCESS]

My Linked Devices
You've added the following devices as trusted devices.

You have not authorized any devices.

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