The PARADIGM® Patient API provides resources for patient searches to retrieve internal unique identifiers to be used to retrieve data through the PARADIGM® Patient API as a C-CDA or through the PARADIGM® FHIR API set of resources.

This document provides guidance on the usage of the PARADIGM® Patient API.

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Patient Search

Patient search is used to identify the unique patient code used to retrieve patient data. Sufficient information must be provided to uniquely identify a patient and at least one of the request parameters must be included.

Request: GET https://api.qrshs.com/v1/patient/search

❖ **Request Headers**

Name	Type	Required	Description
Authorization	Basic	required	Client ID and secret

❖ **Request Parameters**

Name	Type	Required	Description
first_name	string	conditional	First name
mid_name	string	conditional	Middle name
last_name	string	conditional	Last name
birthdate	date	conditional	Date of birth
ssn	string	conditional	Social Security Number

JSON Response Parameters:

Name	Type	Example
patient	string	"10006-111-20180823"

Error Messages:

Message	Description
auth_failure	Authentication failure
no_criteria	At least one request parameter must be included
non_unique_return	More than one patient identified, search must be refined
not_found	No patient found matching search criteria

Patient C-CDA

Patient C-is used to retrieve a C-CDA CCD document for a given patient. The return is an XML document unless an error is encountered, in which case the return will be in JSON format.

Request: GET https://api.qrshs.com/v1/patient/ccda

❖ **Request Headers**

Name	Type	Required	Description
Authorization	Basic	required	Client ID and secret

❖ **Request Parameters**

Name	Type	Required	Description
patient	string	required	Unique patient identifier
date	date	optional	Exact date of data to retrieve
start_date	date	optional	Start of date range for data
end_date	date	optional	End of date range for data

Error Messages:

Message	Description
auth_failure	Authentication failure
no_patient	A valid patient code is required
bad_date	Invalid date format – should be DDMMYYYY