

HiTrack Screening Data Web Services API

Introduction

HiTrack 5 offers web services that can be used to automate hearing screening data interactions. These services are implemented as Microsoft .NET Windows Communication Foundation (WCF) REST Service Contracts and require a few site-specific data elements: A SSL Web Service base URL (HTTPS), a HiTrack User Name and Password and a HiTrack Facility Name.

Authentication

HiTrack handles validating whether the specified username is an active, valid user, whether they have rights to merge and whether they have access to the specified Facility. It will be important for you to handle HiTrack's various authentication result codes to display user-friendly messages if their credentials cannot be authenticated.

Services

The following services are available:

- `public int BeginMergeCompanionSession(byte[] user_cara, string facility_name, string user_name)`
 - Starts the user merge session. Returns an integer result code indicating authentication success.
 - Requires the encoded user password byte array, facility name and user name.
 - Please contact the HiTrack Dev Team for information on proper password encoding.
- `public DataSet MergeSourcesList(string user_name, string facility_name)`
 - Returns a DataSet of user specified merge sources. Each source has a name, a type of screening equipment and a path where the file is expected on the client.
 - Requires user name and facility name.
- `public byte[] LoadDemoFlatFile(DateTime lastExportDate, Guid facilityID, byte[] user_cara, string userName)`

- Returns a comma separated list of patient information following a name similar to "hitrack[facility id][datetime]....txt"
 - LastExportDate is used to determine which patient records to include in the flat file.
 - Facility ID is obtained from the selected Merge Source.
- public byte[] LoadProgramInfo()
 - Exports Picklists based on the merge session
 - Returns a zip file named "mcpi.zip"
- public WebCommon.MergeExecutionResult ProcessFile(byte[] file, int source_id, string user_name, byte[] user_cara, string facility_name, string fileName)
 - Imports the data from the uploaded file and attempts to merge the data into HiTrack. Returns a merge execution result enumeration code. Various results include Merge Complete, Manual Attention Required, etc.
 - Requires a file (byte array), the Merge Source ID, user name, encoded password, facility name and client side file name (for documentation purposes).

Development and Testing

Please include the HiTrack Dev Team early in your process of developing code that utilizes these web services. Whenever possible, the Dev Team will provide a URL to a hosted development server for your team to test against. These API parameters and functionality are subject to change without notice – always contact the HiTrack Dev Team to get the latest API documentation.

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