

# SSO Authentication and Authorization

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## Abstract

Currently, OpenMRS uses a custom-developed mechanism for authentication & authorization. Some implementers of OpenMRS may want to use their own authentication system instead -- for example, to use a single-sign on (SSO) system between OpenMRS and another system used in an organization.

## Project Champions

- TBD

## Objectives

- Create abstraction for the authentication process
- Create a proof of concept where a user can authenticate using external entity

## Extra Credit

- TBD

## Resources

- [+ TRUNK-384](#) - Support for alternate authentication schemes CLOSED