



Central Registry OTP Training

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COLORADO
Behavioral Health
Administration

Training Agenda

- Onboarding
- Admitting & Discharging
- Other Features
- Pulling Reports

Training Goals

We hope you will leave this session feeling confident about your ability to use the Central Registry and with a clear understanding of where to go for support when needed.

All linked materials in this session are posted on [BHA's website](#).

What is the Central Registry?	An automated system to admit and discharge Opioid Treatment Program clients built within the CommCare system.
Why does BHA have a Central Registry?	It is federally-mandated that States must maintain an OTP central registry. This automated system reduces client wait times, provider administrative burden and improves system accuracy. People used to have to email the Colorado’s SOTA (Ryan Muller) everytime they admitted someone new to an OTP!
Who are users of the Central Registry?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colorado OTP staff including admissions/intake, front desk, and data/technology teams to admit and discharge clients. • BHA staff to monitor OTPs and resolve admissions conflicts.
How can users get Central Registry tech support?	<p>For Central Registry support, email cdhs_bha_provider_support@state.co.us, monitored Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. Please include “Central Registry” in the subject line.</p> <p>Central Registry client admission, lock and edit requests are monitored from Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm by BHA’s OTP program team.</p>
How is this data used?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data is used by BHA employees to validate that OTP clients are only enrolled at one OTP at a time to avoid duplicate dosing. • OTP users of the Central Registry can view only the clients enrolled in their OTP and conflicting admissions. • High level data (non PHI/PII level data) is sometimes used to do analysis on Colorado OTP usage for program improvement.



Central Registry Key Terms

- **Client:** A participant in an OTP program.
- **User:** Someone who has access to the Central Registry system
 - **Single Clinic User:** A user only assigned to one clinic location, only able to admit and discharge clients from that one location.
 - **Multi Clinic User:** A user assigned to multiple clinic locations, able to admit and discharge clients from all of those locations.



User Maintenance

To add or remove users at *existing* OTP clinics and locations, please email cdhs_bha_provider_support@state.co.us

In the future, there will be admin level OTP accounts that will be able to automatically manage their staff accounts permissions for more efficient on and offboarding.

OTP's are responsible for informing BHA's Tech support team when a user needs to be added or removed from Central Registry.

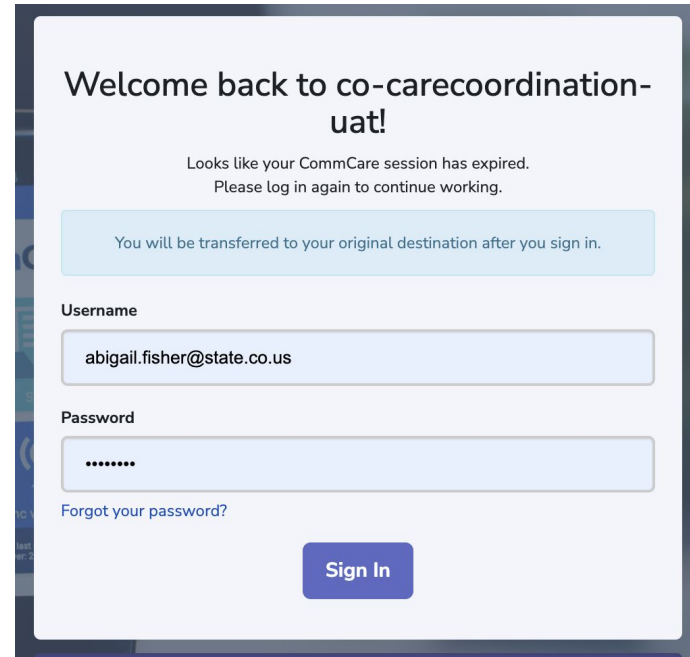
Getting Central Registry Access

For *new* OTP clinics or locations, please contact Ryan Muller, Colorado's State Opioid Treatment Authority (SOTA) at ryan.mueller@state.co.us to get the onboarding process initiated.

Logging In

At the start of this session, you should have received an email from the CommCare platform with an invitation to create an account.

📌 If you can't find your invitation, start by checking your spam folder! The email would be from sender `cdhs_bha_provider_support@state.co.us`.



Welcome back to co-carecoordination-
uat!

Looks like your CommCare session has expired.
Please log in again to continue working.

You will be transferred to your original destination after you sign in.

Username

Password

[Forgot your password?](#)

Sign In

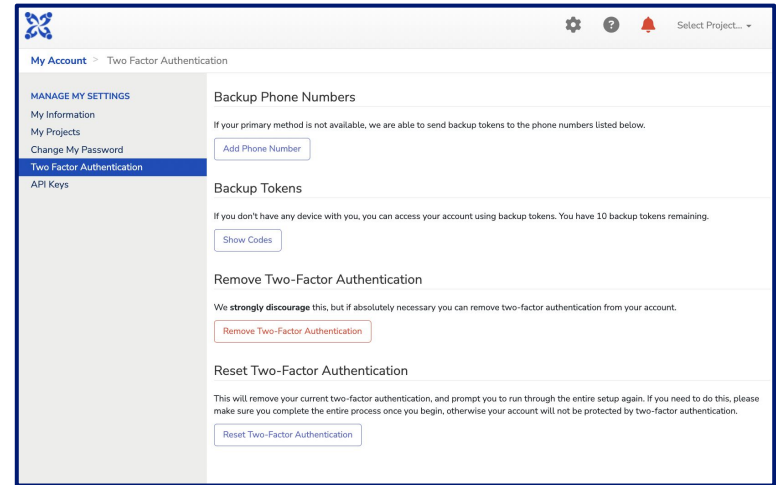
Two-Factor Authentication (2FA)

2FA is a measure that strengthens security by requiring two methods to verify your identity (i.e. login credentials and a secondary code). OTP users are required to set up 2FA to ensure the security of this system.

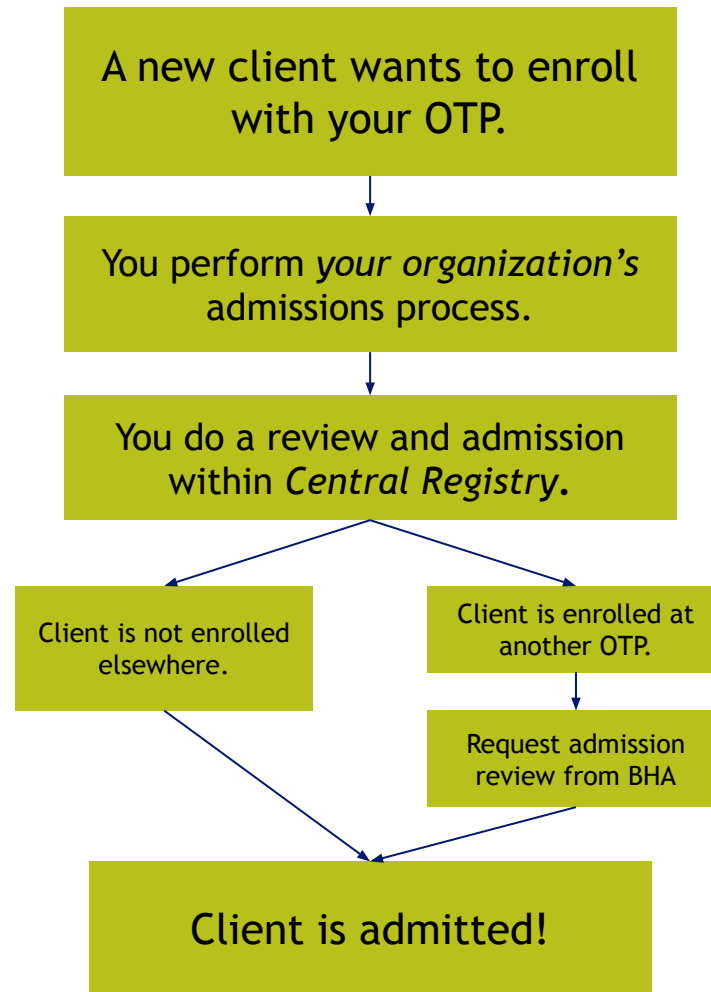
You can choose to use the following options:

- Google Authenticator app for your smartphone
- Text Message
- Phone Call

📍 Each user at your organization should have their own unique login account, no account sharing please!



At a high level, this is what the process for **admitting** clients with the integration of the Central Registry might look like for your OTP.



Admit Client

Let's say you have a new client ready to enroll in your OTP! In addition to your organization's admissions process, you will also need to search the Central Registry to check if that client is already enrolled at another OTP in Colorado.

You'll begin by searching for the client using, at minimum, their first name, last name, DOB, and SSN (or the reason the client doesn't have a SSN) within the **Search and Admit Client** page.

Note: A client will remain admitted within your facility until the point that they will no longer be coming to your facility (i.e. they move out of state, they want to start going to a different OTP program entirely, etc.). Once a client is admitted, no further action is needed on your part until the point at which they will be discharged from your clinic entirely.



Home > Central Registry > Search and Admit Client

SEARCH AND ADMIT CLIENT

Please perform a search.

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Client ID ?

* (Required) First Name

Middle Name

* (Required) Last Name

* (Required) DOB
MM/DD/YYYY

Medicaid ID

Social Security Number ?

* Reason for no SSN
Please select one

* (Required) Consent obtained by provider for the purposes of searching the Central Registry to confirm admission ?
 Yes

Admit Client

If no results are returned, that means there are no active records in the system that match the information you entered. Then you can select *Admit New Client* and proceed with filling out and submitting that form.

Home > Central Registry > Search and Admit Client

SEARCH AND ADMIT CLIENT

Client ID

* (Required) First Name
dobby

Middle Name

* (Required) Last Name
dobby

* (Required) DOB
07/04/2023

Continue

SELECT ALL LAST NAME FIRST NAME DATE OF BIRTH CURRENTLY ADMITTED

No potential client matches. Proceed to admit new client.

Continue Admit New Client

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Client Information

- First Name: Tim
- Middle Name: t
- Last Name: Tim
- Date of Birth: 01/01/2010
- Social Security Number: (none provided)
- Reason for no SSN: Does not have SSN
- Medicaid ID:

* (Required) Where would you like to admit this client? Please choose an item

* (Required) Admission Date 07/17/2024

* (Required) Admission Time 4:23 pm

Controlled Dispensed Medication

Buprenorphine

Methadone

Suboxone

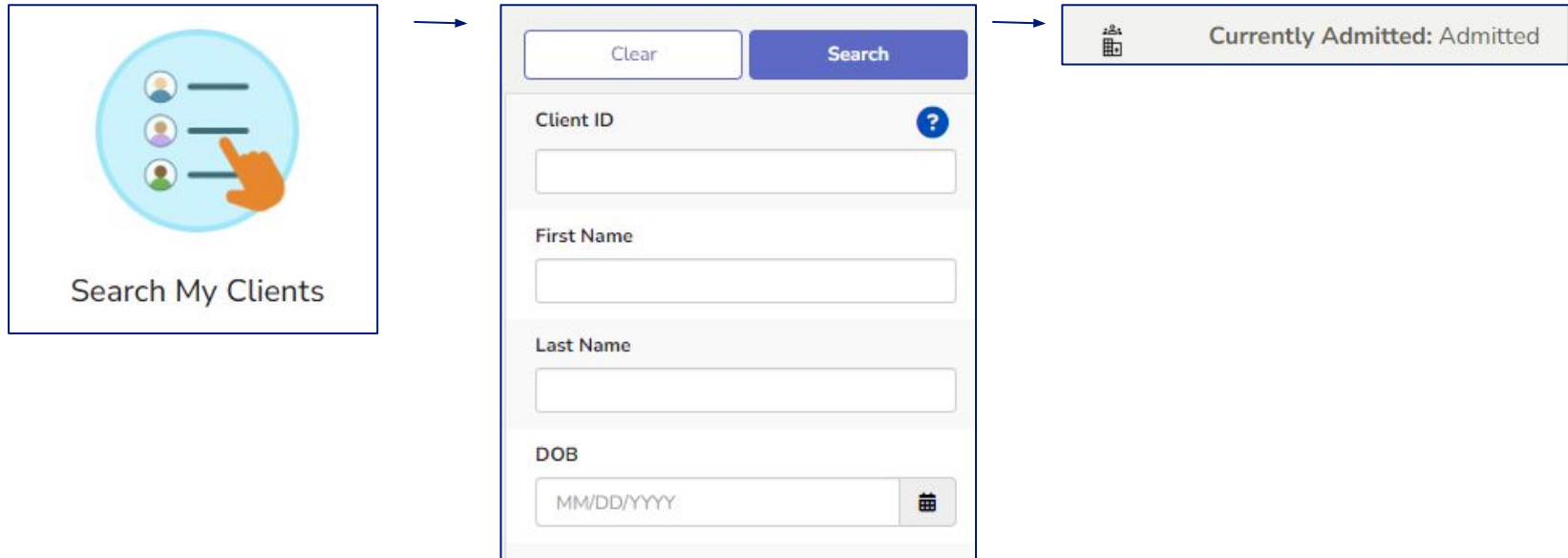
Submit

'Admit Client' successfully saved!

Once submitted a green box will appear letting you know the record has been saved

Admit Client

You can check to see if the client was admitted correctly by searching within the **Search My Clients** page and ensuring that their *Currently Admitted* status is “Admitted”.



Admit Client

If results are returned, that means the client might already be enrolled at another OTP or have an active lock status. That means you have a few extra steps to take.

You'll select *Request Admission Review* and answer the required questions.

Once completed, select "Submit" so that BHA can review the duplication.

Now the client will appear in your pending requests.

REQUEST ADMISSION REVIEW

✕ Potential Matches

	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Date of Birth	Active Admission	Lock Status
Admitting Client Request	ronald		mcdonald	01/02/2000	-	-
Potential Match	Ronald		Mcdonald	01/02/2000	Clinic Name: Denver Recovery Group - Colorado Springs / Clinic Phone Number: (719) 300-7021 / Clinic Address: 2531 Airport Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80910	None

You are attempting to admit a client who has at least one potential match with an active admission OR active lock status. Before you can proceed, the conflict must be reviewed by the Behavioral Health Administration. Select "Request admission review" to submit the request. Check the status of this request at any time by clicking on the "Pending Admissions" module.

*(Required) Next step

Request admission review
 Cancel

Submit



Pending Requests

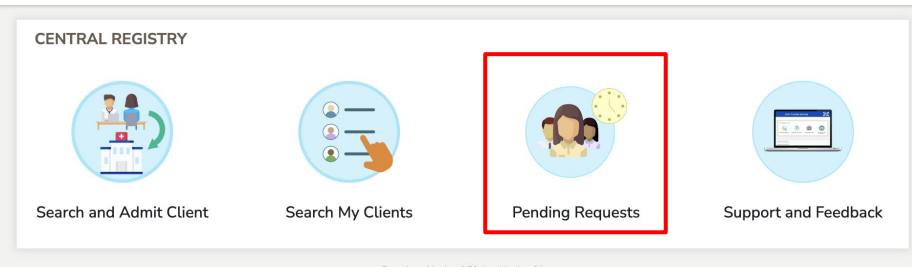
Clients who have a “Request Admission Review”, can be found in the **Pending Requests** page.

BHA will first have to approve or reject the request. Once the admission is approved or rejected, you will receive an email notification to alert them that a determination has been made.

Note: You must accept the admission in order for the admission to be recorded in Central Registry.

Response Times

Central Registry requests are monitored from 8am-5pm Monday-Friday. If you are not hearing back, please reach out to cdhs_bha_provider_support@state.co.us.



CLIENT ID	NAME	REQUEST TYPE	DAYS OPEN	STATUS
[pending]	ronald mcdonald	Admission Review	0	Pending

PENDING ADMISSION MANAGEMENT

Admission Summary

- Client Name: ronald mcdonald
- Date of Birth: 01/02/2000
- Social Security Number: -
- Medicaid ID: -
- Admission Clinic: Denver Recovery Group - Lakewood
- Controlled Dispensed Medication: -

Status

The admission request for *ronald mcdonald* is **pending** 🟡. The Behavioral Health Administration is still reviewing this request. **You can choose to cancel this admission request if desired.**

Next Action

* (Required) Cancel admission request? Yes, cancel this Pending Admission No, keep this Pending Admission open

Submit



At a high level, this is what the process for **discharging** clients with the integration of the Central Registry might look like for your OTP.

A client is being discharged from your OTP



You perform *your organization's* discharge process.



You discharge the client within *Central Registry*.



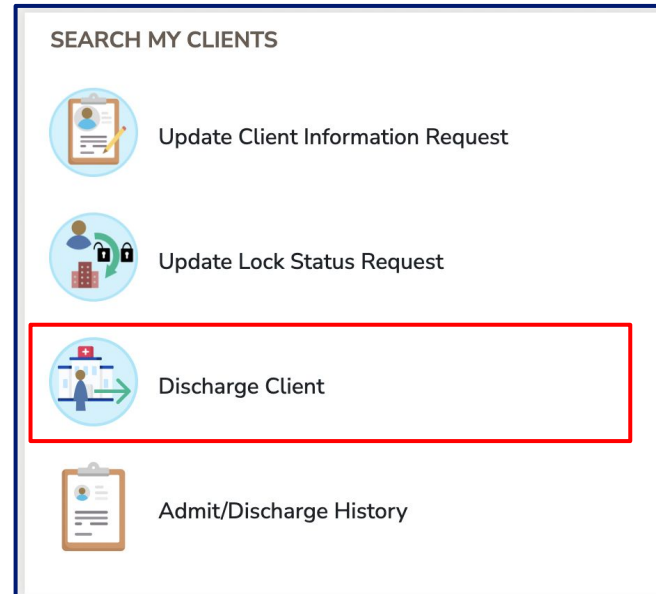
Client is discharged!

Discharging Clients

Let's say you have a client who you are discharging from your OTP. First you will search for the client within the **Search My Clients** page.

Once you click on the client, you will be taken to a page where you can select **Discharge Client**.

You can check to see if the discharge went through properly by re-searching the client on the **Search My Clients** page and looking for the admission status *Discharged*.



Locking Clients

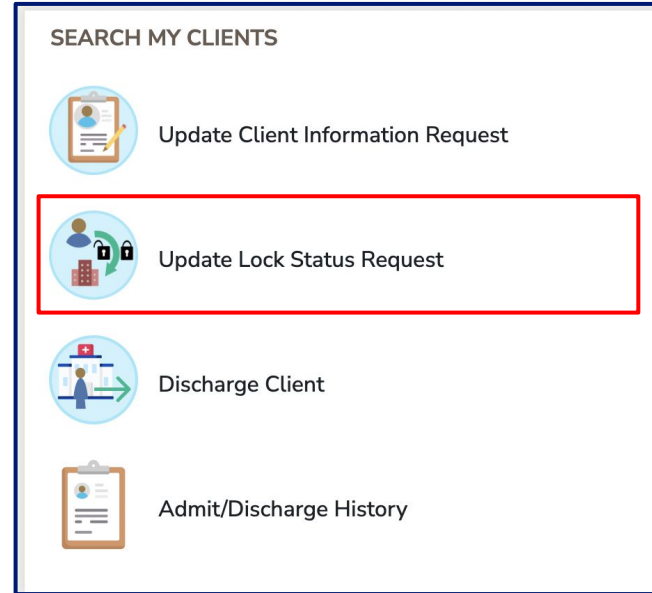
Note: This only pertains to clinics that have multiple locations within Colorado.

There may be situations where you need to lock clients in or out of your OTP.

- Lock In: The client can only visit a specific OTP.
- Lock Out: The client cannot visit a specific OTP.

Find the client in **Search My Clients** and navigate to **Update Lock Status Request**.

Once a lock status is submitted, BHA has to review the request. You will receive an email of approval or denial from BHA on the submitted lock status for that client. You must approve the update in **Pending Requests**.

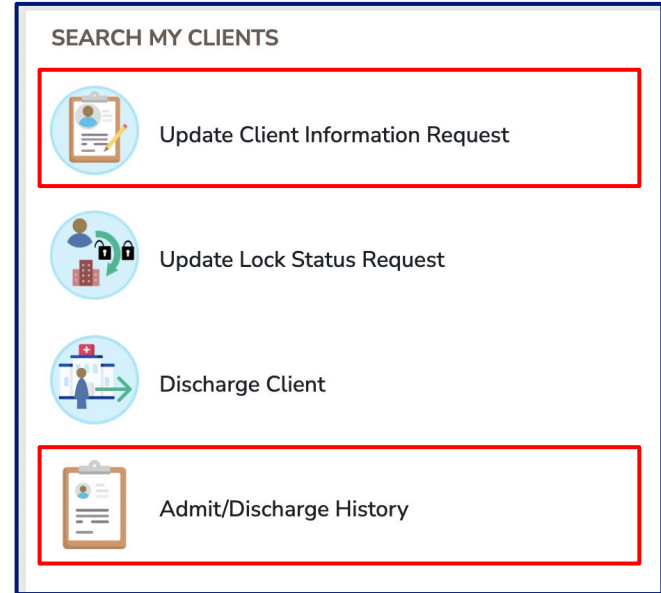


Editing Client Information

There may be situations where you need to edit client information after you initially admit them. To do this, you'll navigate to the **Update Client Information Request** page, and fill out the necessary information.

The update request will have to be reviewed by BHA, and you will receive an email when that review has been completed. You must accept the change in **Pending Requests**.

Follow this same process to update the client's **Admit/Discharge History**, which can be useful if you ever have to make adjustments to your organization's census.



Email Notifications

All users are notified via when a change has been made in the app that requires their attention or for them to take an action. Email notifications will occur in the event of:

- Client Admission Determination
- Lock Status Determination
- Client Information Update Request Determination
- Update Admission Information Request Determination

Email notifications requiring user follow-up will include a smart link with accompanying instructions prompting the user to take action.

A admission request was submitted by Aurora Therapy Center LLC - 13th Ave on 9/5/2022, 2:34 PM. Please log-in to BHA Provider Services https://www.google.com/url?q=https://www.commcarehq.org/a/co-carecoordination-dev/app/v1/541f3359a4c642cb9f74db9a692d872b/state_pending_requests/?case_id%3D4ddda8c5-b47c-4d30-903f-0142283b050b&source=gmail-imap&ust=1663007665000000&usg=AOvVaw0qEy3bJkYwKP-X6VyT3WFW to review the admission request.

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Thank you for using BHA Provider Services. If you have any questions, please email CDHS_BHA_Provider_Support@state.co.us



Printing

From the hamburger menu in the top right corner of the screen, select “Print”. In your print settings you can opt to “Save as PDF” on your computer or to print the form.

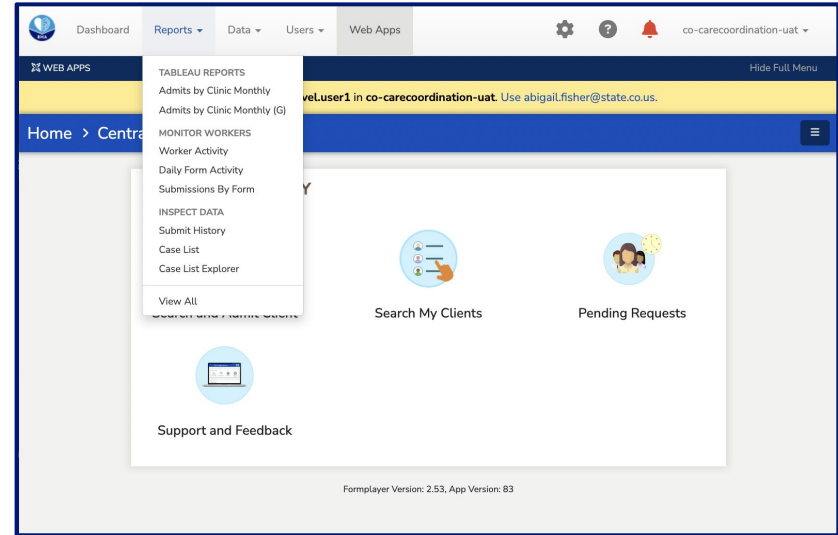
The screenshot displays the user interface of the Central Registry application. At the top, a yellow status bar indicates the user is logged in as 'clinic.level.user1' in the 'co-carecoordination-uat' environment, with the email 'Use abigail.fisher@state.co.us'. Below this is a blue navigation bar with 'Home > Central Registry' and a hamburger menu icon in the top right corner. A red box highlights the 'Print' option that appears in the dropdown menu from the hamburger icon. The main content area is titled 'CENTRAL REGISTRY' and contains four large circular icons representing different functions: 'Search and Admit Client' (with a hospital icon), 'Search My Clients' (with a list of people icon), 'Pending Requests' (with a clock icon), and 'Support and Feedback' (with a laptop icon). At the bottom of the screen, the text 'Formplayer Version: 2.53, App Version: 83' is visible.

Pulling Reports

There are several reports that users are able to pull from the Central Registry. These reports are made from Tableau dashboards within the CommCare platform.

These reports contain tables and graphs that display data related to client admissions, client discharges, and average lengths of stay on a monthly and annual basis.

Users can only pull data from the clinics they are assigned to.

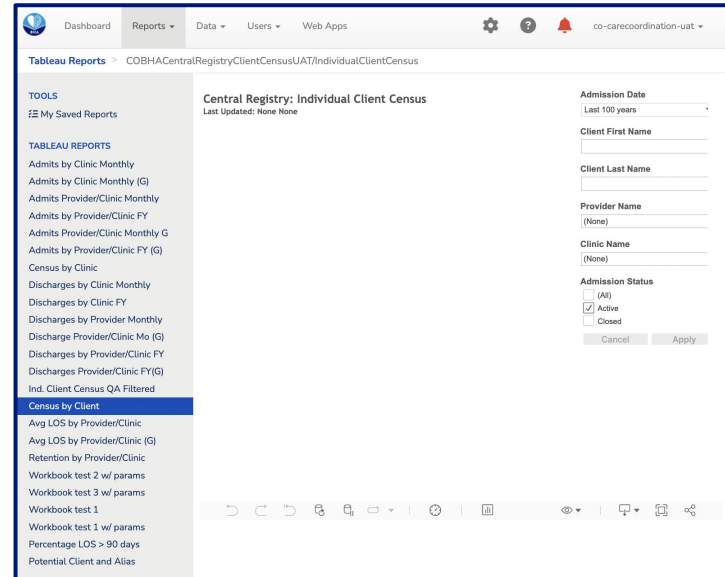


Census Reconciliation

One specific report you may be asked by BHA's OTP team is to perform a census reconciliation between your electronic records and the Central Registry.

To begin, Navigate to the Reports dashboard, and begin by selecting the “Census by Client” report.

For multiple clinics, you must print off/ run reports for each individual clinic.



Central Registry Outage Policy

Infrequently, Central Registry may be down. If this happens we will work as quickly as possible to get it back up and running. Please email cdhs_bha_provider_support@state.co.us as soon as possible if you are unable to access the system or think it might be down.

If Central Registry is down:

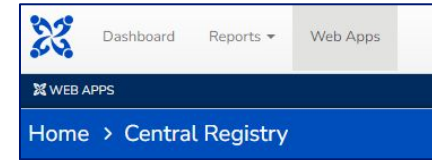
- Consult nearby OTPs as needed to ensure dual enrollment is not a concern prior to admitting new patients.
- Please keep a record of admits and discharges to enter into Central Registry later.

When Central Registry is back up:

- Complete a Central Registry admission and change the admission date to fit the original admission date.
 - This can be done by editing the client admission history after submitting the client.
- Please utilize your best clinical judgment in these situations as they will be on a case by case basis.

Navigation Reminders

- The navy navigation menu at the top of the page will default to hidden
 - Select “Show Full Menu” to expand the navigation bar and see additional features such as ‘Reports’
- If you find yourself lost within the platform and need to get back into Central Registry, use the blue icon in the upper left corner
- “Search and Admit Client” and “Search My Client” look very similar
 - Search & Admit Client should be used for admitting new clients
 - Search My Clients should be used for clients that have already been admitted or for a census of all clients



Updating Dispensed Medication

If the incorrect medication is selected upon admission, you can go back and correct this

1. Select “Search My Client” & select your client
2. Click on “Admit/Discharge History”
3. Under “Which fields would you like to request to edit?” select “Admission Info”
4. Select the admission date you want to update
5. Select the option for “Controlled Dispensed Medication”



* (Required) Which fields would you like to request to edit?

Admission Date

Admission Time

Controlled Dispensed Medication

* (Required) Controlled Dispensed Medication

Methadone

Suboxone

Buprenorphine

Troubleshooting Time!