



## **FHIR Layer EXchange (FLEX) Release Notes**

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### **What's New with this Release**

#### **A. Access Management**

##### **1. Admin Portal**

- a. No new enhancements for this release

##### **2. Vendor Portal**

- a. No new enhancements for this release

##### **3. Member Portal**

- a. No new enhancements for this release

##### **4. Authorization/Authentication**

- a. RMHP and Sierra Authentication process has been changed to HSID from OneHealthCareID now. RMHP/Sierra users will use their HSID to login to UHC portal to access Patient Access APIs and the correct HealthPlan logo also will be visible based on the logged-In user (RMHP/Sierra).

#### **B. Framework**

##### **1. FLEX Server**

- a. No new enhancements for this release.

#### **C. Patient Access APIs**

##### **1. Eligibility**

- a. No new enhancements for this release.

## 2. Claims

- a. No new enhancements for this release.

## 3. Clinical

- a. No new enhancements for this release.

## 4. Formulary (Plan/Member)

- a. No new enhancements for this release.

# D. Public Directory APIs

## 1. Provider Directory

- a. Enhanced Search Capabilities: `_revinclude` and `_include` functionality added.

- a. Location Resource Enhancements.

`_include` Parameter Updates: The `_include` parameter has been expanded to support searches related to **Location:partOf**, allowing users to retrieve resources directly referenced by the primary resource being searched.

`_revinclude` Parameter Support: The `_revinclude` parameter with **HealthcareService:location**, **OrganizationAffiliation:location**, **PractitionerRole:location** is now supported, enabling the retrieval of related resources referencing the primary resources being searched.

- b. Organization Resource Enhancements .

`_revinclude` Parameter Support: The `_revinclude` parameter with **HealthcareService:organization**, **InsurancePlan:administered-by**, **InsurancePlan:owned-by**, **PractitionerRole:organization**, **PractitionerRole:network**, **OrganizationAffiliation:participating-organization** is now supported, enabling the retrieval of related resources referencing the primary resources being searched

- c. OrganizationAffiliation Resource Enhancements .

`_include` Parameter Updates: The `_include` parameter has been expanded to support searches related to **OrganizationAffiliation:participating-organization**, **OrganizationAffiliation-location**, **OrganizationAffiliation-service**, **OrganizationAffiliation-network** allowing users to retrieve resources directly referenced by the primary resource being searched.

## **2. Formulary Directory**

A. No new enhancements for this release.

## **E. Known Defects.**

No defects to report in this release.