

## Patient Authorization (PS)

To proceed with the creation or editing of the Patient Summary, as a physician you must first ensure that you are interacting directly with the patient and not a third party.

Once logged into the system, follow the steps below:

### **1. Patient Identification or Registration**

When creating the Patient Summary (PS) for the first time, you must enter the patient's demographic details as well as their phone number.

Alternatively, you may search for the patient using their ID Card Number or ARC number and date of birth.

### **2. Patient Authorization via OTP**

The National Contact Point system sends a unique OTP (One-Time Password) to the patient, which the patient provides to you, and you enter it into the system. The OTP serves as valid consent from the patient, granting you access to their medical data for healthcare purposes.

### **3. Acceptance of the Author Role for the Patient Summary**

When you proceed with the creation or editing of the Patient Summary, the system displays an intermediate screen prompting you to accept the role of the PS author.

This acceptance is required in order to continue with the creation or editing of the Patient Summary.