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Overview

The Genetic Diagnostic Testing (GDx) mobile application (app) for Veterans is an informational tool to display results of genetic and molecular diagnostic tests that have been ordered by your VA clinicians.

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The GDx App also provides links for you to access current research, education and other helpful information related to genetic and molecular diagnostic testing. The GDx App can also be used as a communication tool to allow you to contact your VA care team via Secure Messaging with questions.



The Basics

Prerequisites

To use the GDx App, you must have a DS Logon Level 2 (Premium) Account. If you do not have a DS Logon Level 2 (Premium) Account, or you are not sure, visit **mobile.va.gov/dslogon** for more information.

Logging in

Access the GDx App, and you will go to a Login screen. Enter your DS Logon Level 2 (Premium) credentials, and tap **Sign In**. You will proceed into the app.

NOTE: If this is your first time using a VA app that requires a DS Logon Level 2 (Premium) Account, you may have to provide your Right of Access as part of the log in process. The app will prompt you if this is necessary. If it is necessary, you will be taken to a Right of Access screen. Read the Request for Access to Your Health Information. If you would like to continue, tap **Next**. You will go to a Review screen. Read VA Form 10-5345a. If you agree, tap **Verify** to "sign" the form, and you will proceed into the app.

Important Information

When you first log into the app you will see a pop-up Important Information box letting you know the test results are provided for your awareness and that if you have any questions, you should contact your health care team. Tap **OK** to close the pop-up Important Information box.



Getting to Know the Screen

When you log into the GDx App, you will see your name (last name, first name) in the upper right corner of the Home screen. There is an app menu just below your name, which displays four tabs: Home, Features, About and Help. In the middle of the screen, you can see your test results, education information and access Secure Messaging in My HealtheVet. Throughout the app, you can tap the < button or **Back** to return to the previous screen.

Accessing the VA Launchpad

In the upper right corner of the screen, you will see your name. Tap your name, and a drop-down menu will appear. Tap **Return to Launchpad**, and you will go to the VA Launchpad.

Logging Out

You will be automatically logged out after 15 minutes of inactivity. A Session Timeout warning is shown when you have two minutes remaining. To continue working, tap **Continue**. To log out, tap **Logout**. To log out manually, tap your name in the upper right corner of the Home screen. A drop-down menu will appear. Tap **Log Out**, and you will be logged out of the app.



Access Your Test Results

View your genetic diagnostic testing results. From the Home screen, tap **My Test Results**, and you will go to the My Test Results screen where you will see a table of your tests including the test name, date reported and test result. To view details of a specific test, tap **View Details**. You will see the details of the test including the test result, reference range, test result details, clinical implication, accession/specimen number, specimen/site, ordering location, ordering provider and performing lab.

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Test Result Details						
Your provider will contact you about the information about GDx tests.	these test results. If you have q	uestions before then, please	contact your provider. Visit t	he Educational Information	on link for more	
Test Name LIPO NMR	Date Reported 2017-02-08	Test Status Final	Test Result 1079		Abnormal Flag Above high no	rmal
			Reference Range <1000			
Observation Notes Low < 1000 Moderate 1000 - 1299 B	Borderline-High 1300 - 1599 Hig	h 1600 - 2000 Very High > 2	000 01 LabCorp Burlington 1	447 York Court		
Ordering Facility						
Ordering Provider	null, null					
Performing Lab	442	442				
Clinical Details						
LOINC Code	54434-6	3				
LOINC Description	LDL-P (LDL-P (LDL Particle Number)				
CPT Description						
Accession / Specimen Number						

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Access the Veteran's Health Library

Browse information on genomic tests, test descriptions and treatment options alphabetically or by topic. From the Home screen, tap **Educational Information**, and you will go to the Educational Information screen. Tap **Veteran's Health Library**, and a pop-up External Website box will appear informing you that you will be leaving the GDx App to go to an external website. Tap **Continue** to go to the Veteran's Health Library.





Access MedlinePlus

MedlinePlus is a medical resource for health topics. From the Home screen tap **Educational Information**, and you will go to the Educational Information screen. Tap **MedlinePlus**, and a pop-up External Website box will appear informing you that you will be leaving the GDx App to go to an external website. Tap **Continue** to go to MedlinePlus.

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Access Secure Messaging

Send a message to your healthcare team using My HealtheVet. From the Home screen, tap **Secure Message**, and a pop-up Secure Message box will appear informing you that you will be leaving the GDx App to go to My HealtheVet. Tap **Continue** to go to My HealtheVet and send a secure message.

Secure Message					
You are now leaving the GDx application and transferring to the My Health <i>e</i> Vet site to send a secure message.					
Are you sure you want to continue?					
Cancel					

Help and Additional Information

Additional training materials for the GDx App

More resources, such as a User Manual, Slideshow and FAQs, can be found on **mobile.va.gov/appstore**, and search for the app to access the resources.

Help Desk information

If you need assistance with the GDx App, dial **1-877-470-5947** to speak with a VA representative. The Help Desk is open weekdays from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT. For TTY assistance, dial **711**. For clinical questions regarding your personal medical information, please contact your VA care team.

Emergencies

If you feel your information may have been compromised, contact your local VA facility to get contact information for your Privacy Officer. To locate your local VA facility, visit VA's Facility Locator: *http://www.va.gov/directory/guide/home. asp?isflash=1*. NOTE: You should never use this app in an emergency. If you encounter an emergency, call your local medical center or dial 911 immediately.

DS Logon Help

If you have questions about your DS Logon account, visit **mobile.va.gov/dslogon** or dial 1-800-983-0937 for assistance.