How do I determine what authentication method my library is using?

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Applies to

- WorldShare Circulation
- WorldShare Management Services
- WorldShare Admin
- WorldShare ILL
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Answer

You can see this by logging into your WorldShare account and reviewing the patron record under **Account Info > Source System**. For example, if your library is using OCLC authentication, you will see IDM in the URL located here.

Additional information

Please see [Authentication methods and patron data load](https://help.oclc.org/WorldShare/WorldShare_Admin/Troubleshooting/How_do_I_determine_what_authentication...) for more information regarding authentication types.