

# Authentication and Security API Guide for Health IoT Devices

## 1. Introduction

This guide provides details on authentication and security endpoints for integrating Health IoT Devices with secure APIs.

## 2. Authentication Flow

- All endpoints require HTTPS.
- Bearer token authentication (OAuth 2.0) is used for all resources.

## 3. API Endpoints

### 3.1 Obtain Access Token

Send a POST request to obtain an OAuth 2.0 access token.

```
POST /oauth/token HTTP/1.1
Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
grant_type=client_credentials&client_id=YOUR_CLIENT_ID&client_secret=YOUR_CLIENT_SECRET
```

#### Response

```
{
  "access_token": "string",
  "token_type": "Bearer",
  "expires_in": 3600
}
```

### 3.2 Device Registration

Register a new IoT device to establish a secure identity.

```
POST /api/v1/devices/register HTTP/1.1
Authorization: Bearer ACCESS_TOKEN
Content-Type: application/json
{
  "device_id": "string",
  "device_name": "string",
  "public_key": "string"
}
```

#### Response

```
{
  "status": "registered",
  "device_id": "string"
}
```

## 4. Security Best Practices

- Always use HTTPS for all API calls.
- Keep client credentials and device keys secure.
- Rotate access tokens and keys regularly.
- Validate and sanitize all inputs.

## 5. Error Responses

```
{  
  "error": "invalid_token",  
  "error_description": "The access token is invalid or expired"  
}
```

```
{  
  "error": "invalid_request",  
  "error_description": "Missing required field: device_id"  
}
```

## 6. Contact & Support

For further assistance, contact [support@healthiot.example.com](mailto:support@healthiot.example.com).