
Question

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How Does InterSystems FHIR profile validation works?

Hi folks!

Examining FHIR profile validation with InterSystems FHIR server. FHIR profiles is a very useful feature of FHIR standard that helps an organization or solution to establish constraints to a very disperse FHIR standards that are relevant to a particular business solution. [Learn more on FHIR profiles](#).

I created a very simple FHIR profile with the following JSON:

Spoiler

As you can see in "differential" section it makes mandatory fields of id, name and gender.

I managed to successfully submit the profile via the POST request to:

```
localhost:52773/fhir/r4/StructureDefinition
```

Then I submitted the following test Patient profile, where I omitted the "id" field and included the FHIR profile link in the meta section to:

```
localhost:52773/fhir/r4/Patient
```

```
{
  "resourceType": "Patient",
  "meta": {
    "profile": [
      "http://example.org/fhir/StructureDefinition/TutorialPatient"
    ]
  },
  "text": {
    "div": "<div xmlns=\"http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml\"><h1>Elon Musk</h1></div>",
    "status": "generated"
  },
  "name": [
```

```
{  
  
  "use": "official",  
  
  "given": [  
  
    "Elon"  
  ],  
  
  "family": "Ramesh"  
}  
  
],  
  
  "gender": "male",  
  
  "birthDate": "1997-09-08",  
  
  "telecom": [  
  
    {  
  
      "value": "9876543210",  
  
      "use": "mobile",  
  
      "system": "phone"  
    },  
  
    {  
  
      "system": "email",  
  
      "value": "elon.musk@gmail.com"  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

And instead of the expected error I'm getting the successfully created patient.

What am i doing wrong? How are the FHIR validation profiles supposed to be used in InterSystems FHIR server?

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