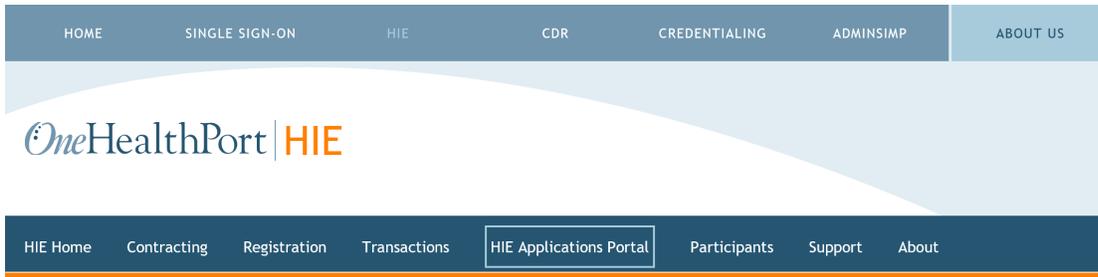# OneHealthPort | HIE

C-CDA Validation Testing User's Guide

C-CDA documents must be validated for conformance with national standards for file structure and format before submission to the clinical data repository. The instructions below outline the steps to take to test C-CDA documents.

1. Open a browser and go to http://www.onehealthport.com/hie/hie-applications-portal
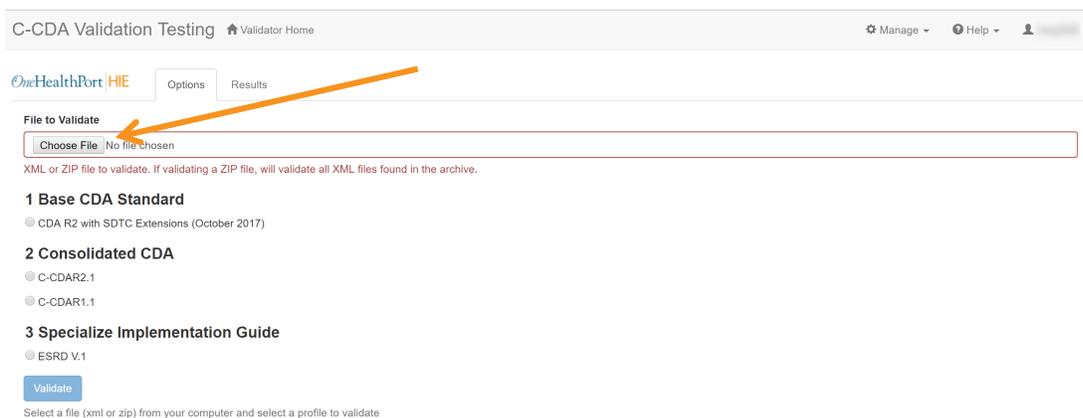2. Click on the **HIE Applications Portal** button.

3. Log in using the OneHealthPort SSO subscriber ID and Password.
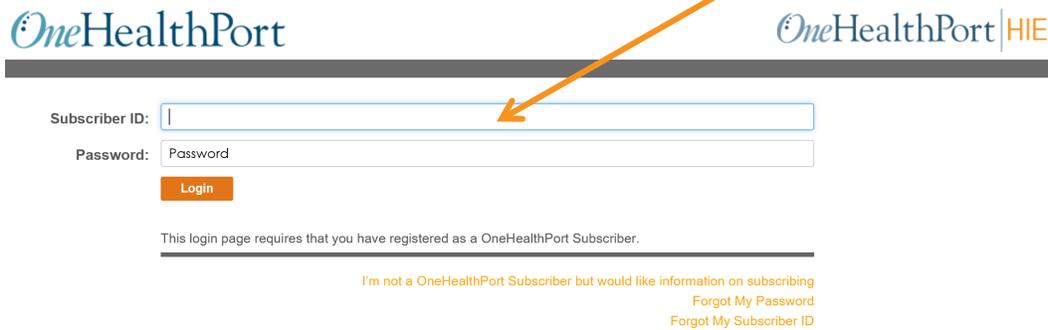
4. Click on the **C-CDA Validation Testing** tab.
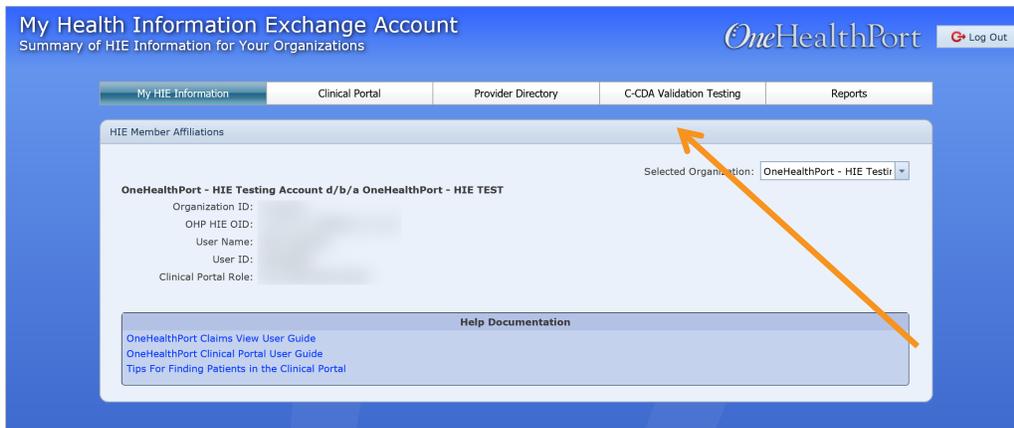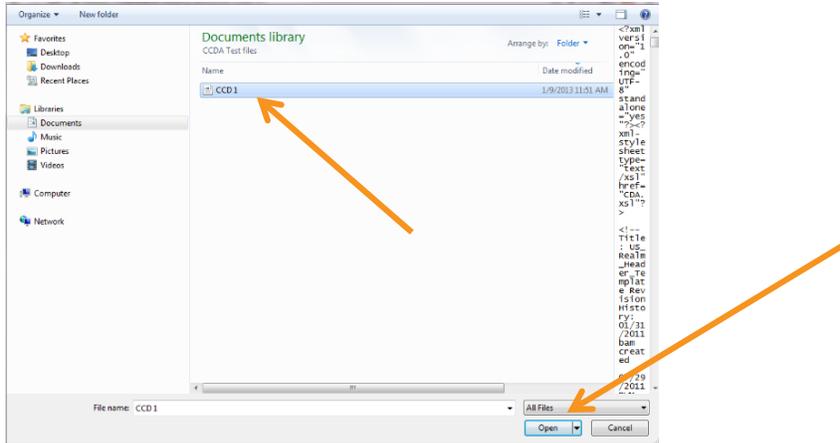

5. On the C-CDA Validator home page, navigate to the file location on your computer or server by clicking the **Choose File** button.
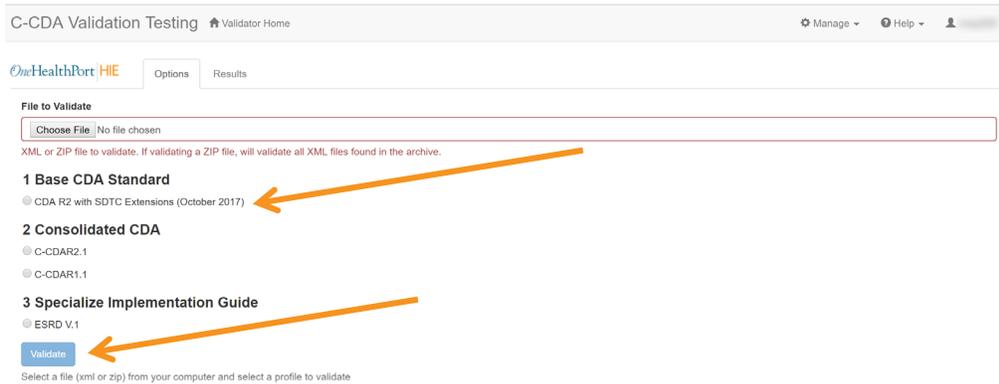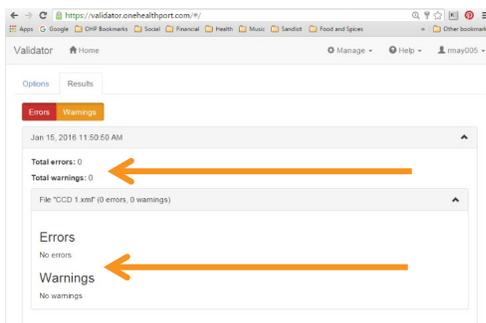
6. Select the file to validate and click open.

7. Click on the **Base CDA Standard** CDA_R2 radio button, and then click on the validate button.

8. The screen that returns will have the results of the validation test. Files with **no errors**, "pass" validation.

Files with **errors** do not "pass" validation. Errors much be cleared and files retested for validation.

9. There could be **warnings** shown in the result. Warning messages are informational to submitting organizations to improve the quality of the file content. Results with no errors, but that have warnings are considered to have passed validation.