

Phonak Target 7.2

Phonak Target/ALPS User Guide



This guide contains details on using Phonak Target/ALPS available in Phonak Target fitting software. Phonak Target/ALPS allows you to enter data via Phonak Target directly into ALPS. This one step process avoids duplicate entry and allows you to manage all relevant Lyric fitting and subscription information in an easy way.

To use Phonak Target/ALPS, the computer you are using for fitting must have an internet connection.

For every Lyric fitting, Phonak Target will automatically connect you to ALPS. A wizard will guide you through all the necessary steps to complete a successful lyric fitting. Please note that the Lyric device activation code must be entered the first time Phonak Target is launched.

More information is also be available under [Web Help](#).

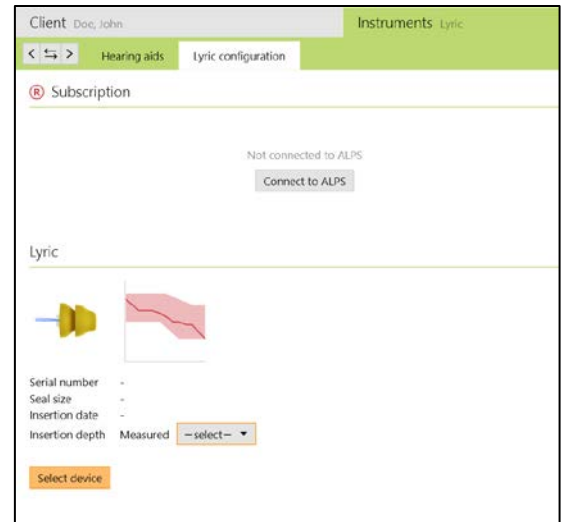
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Create a new client in Phonak Target

To create a new client in Phonak Target:

1. Click on [Instruments] and select Lyric devices in [Hearing aids]
2. Click on [Lyric configuration] and click on [Select device] to open the Phonak Target/ALPS wizard.



The ALPS button indicates your current connection status:

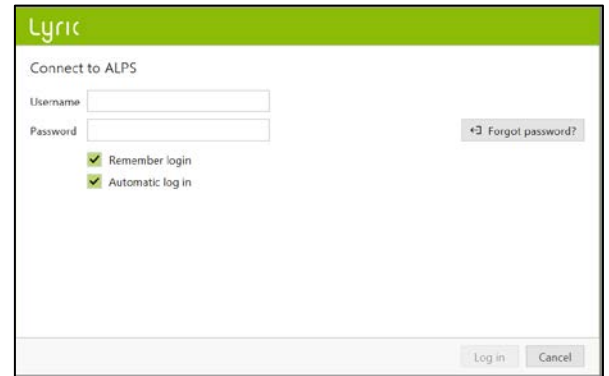
- Green – connected
- Black – disconnected



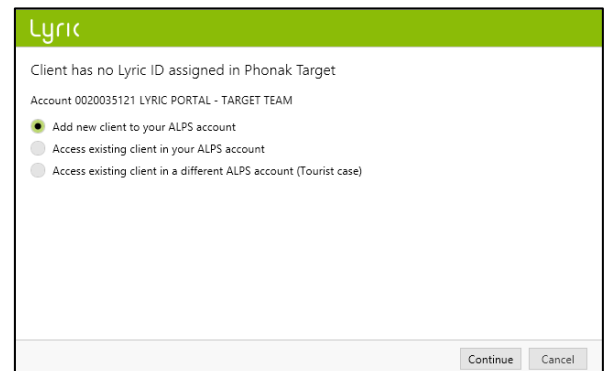
To connect into ALPS, enter your user name and password to log into your Lyric account.

We strongly recommend that you select the [Automatic login] function. This time-saving feature enables you to remain logged into ALPS without the need to reenter your credentials. That only applies if you're not working on a shared workstation.

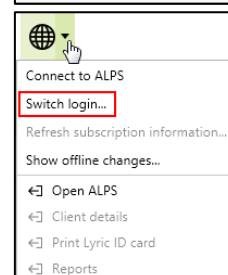
In case you have forgotten your password, click on the link [forgot password] and change it in www.phonakpro.com directly.



You will be asked to [Add new client to your ALPS account]. Your account information is shown on this screen, that is very helpful for providers working with multiple logins.



In case you don't intend to login with the last login shown, choose [Switch login] under the ALPS button and login with another username.



You can now see the client's first and last name, date of birth and gender as entered in Phonak Target.

The additional information (date of birth and gender) is optional. You can uncheck [Submit additional information] if you do not wish to transmit this data.

For new clients, you are then asked to confirm that the client understands and gave consent that his/her data will be transferred to Sonova for processing. If the box is not ticked, the fitting cannot continue.

Lyric

Enter client details

First name:

Last name:

Date of birth: 01.01.1948

Gender: -

Submit additional information

I hereby confirm that I fully informed my client that his personal data will be transferred to the hearing aid manufacturer for processing purpose. My client consented to such transfer.

Create Lyric ID Cancel

To select the appropriate Lyric device, choose the measured seal size and pick the first device in the list as it is the closest to expire.

Please note that expired devices can no longer be fit. To return an expired device, use the [device return process] in ALPS, select the serial number and the reason for device return as "expired" and send it back to Phonak.

Lyric

Select Lyric device from consignment stock

Serial#

Insertion date: 06.06.2014

Serial#	Model	Seal size	Insert by
1406NYOJR	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJV	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJP	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJT	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOKO	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJX	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJW	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJN	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJG	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015
1406NYOJE	Lyric3	M	08.05.2015

Select Cancel

Select the measured insertion depth.

Lyric

Select measured insertion depth

Initial device insertion for this ear.

-select-

- 3 mm
- 4 mm
- 5 mm
- 6 mm
- 7 mm
- 8 mm
- 9 mm
- 10 mm
- 11 mm
- 12 mm
- 13 mm
- 14 mm
- 15 mm

Continue Cancel

Choose the subscription duration you want to create for your client. Make sure to click the check box, in case the customer is using Lyric for the treatment of tinnitus.

Lyric

Select a subscription

Subscription type: 1-year subscription

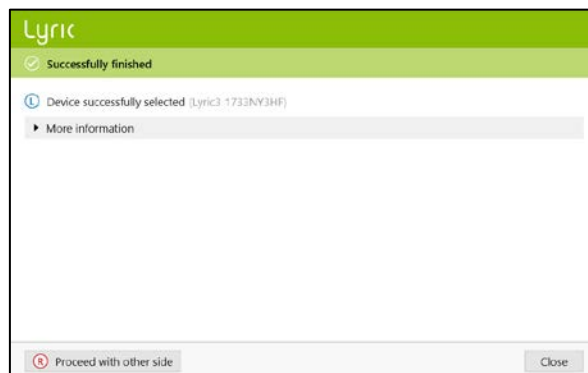
Payment type: Yearly upfront

Start date: 11.11.2019

Lyric is used for tinnitus treatment

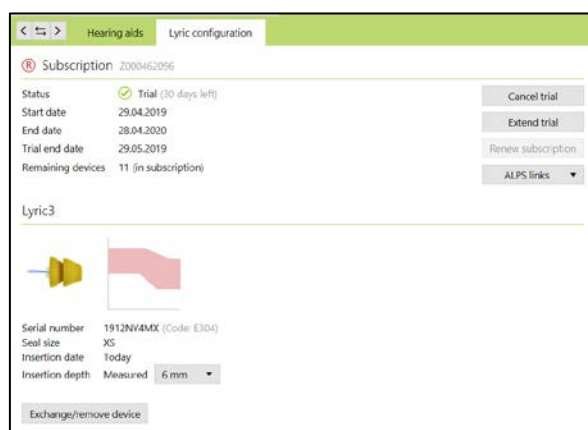
Continue Cancel

Phonak Target confirms the device selection. You can get [More information] about the subscription in this window or choose [Close]. For binaural fittings, you are asked to [Proceed with other side] which leads you directly to selecting another device from your consignment stock.

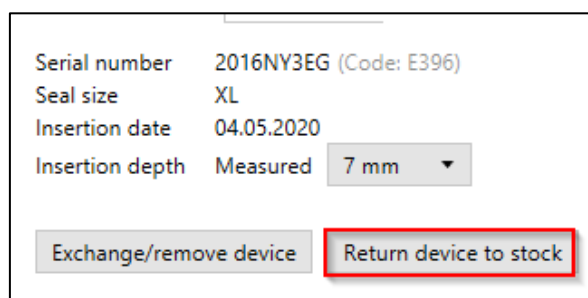


Below the start and end date of the subscription and actual days remaining to the trial end date are shown.

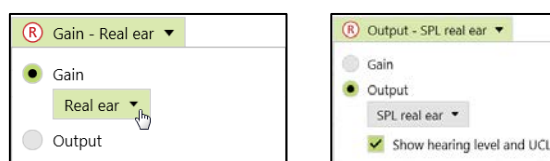
It is now possible to extend a trial once for an amount of 10 days. The new end date will then be shown in Target/ALPS.



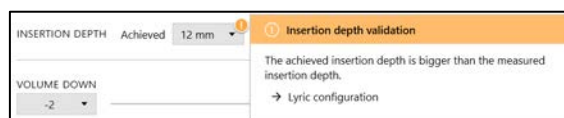
In case a wrong serial number has been chosen, it can be returned to the stock by clicking "return device to stock".



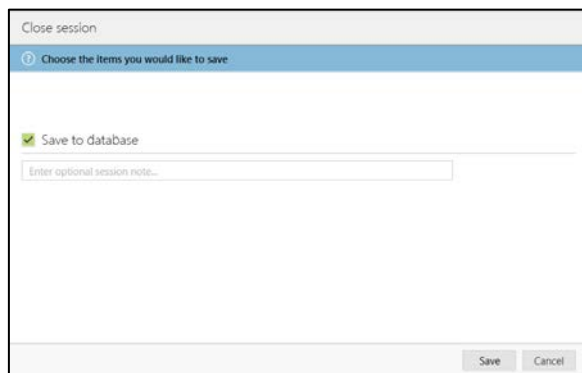
You have the possibility to choose between Gain (Real ear and Coupler 0.4cc) and Output display (SPL real ear and coupler 0.4cc) when fitting Lyric. Click on the [Output] menu to select your desired output curve display. When selecting the output curve display, you may also choose to show or hide the hearing level and UCL.



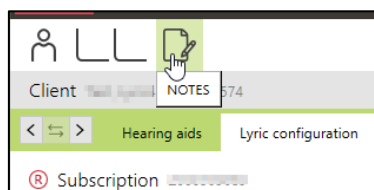
In the event the achieved insertion depth varies from the measured one, both values can be entered in [Fitting]. A warning will be shown if the achieved insertion depth is higher than the measured one.



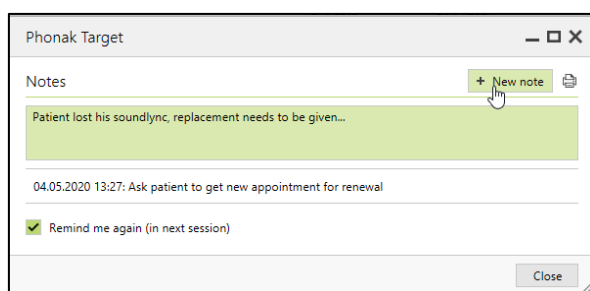
By clicking [Save to database] at the end of the session, your fitting data will be synchronized with ALPS.



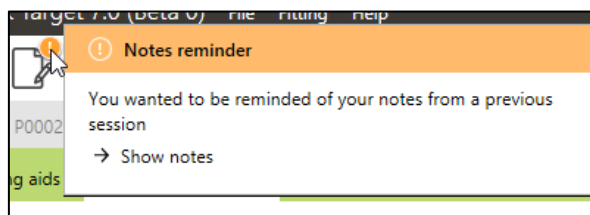
In case you need to have more notes stored around the patient, fill them in on the new notes section.



A new note can be added and Target allows a "remind me again in next session" function.



All note are then visible under [Client, Notes].



The following reports can be printed from the Print menu:

For Professional:

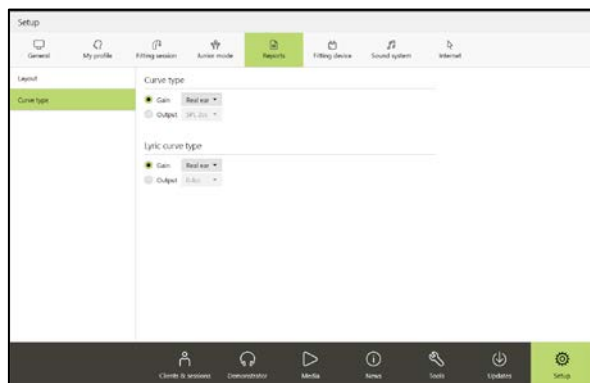
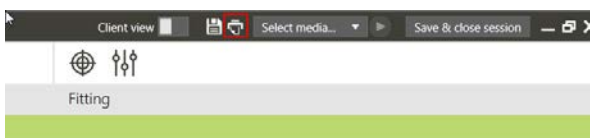
- Fitting Report
- Lyric Datasheet

For Client:

- Hearing Aid Instructions (SoundLync)
- Communication tips
- Diary of observation
- Understanding hearing loss

The curves reports can be printed as follows:

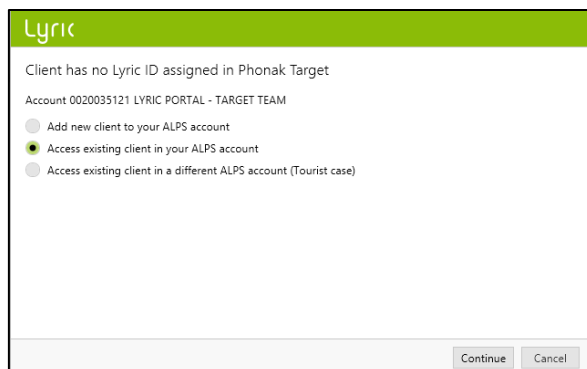
Choose [Setup], [Reports], [Curve type] and choose between Gain or Output. The selected curve type will then be visible on the curve report.



Access an existing client in your ALPS account

If the client exists in ALPS but not in Target (or a first access within a satellite office), you can [Access existing client in your ALPS account].

First, create a new client in Noah and enter the client's data. This will be transferred into Phonak Target. Proceed until you reach the screen where you are asked to add or access an existing client.



Lyric

Client has no Lyric ID assigned in Phonak Target

Account 0020035121 LYRIC PORTAL - TARGET TEAM

- Add new client to your ALPS account
- Access existing client in your ALPS account
- Access existing client in a different ALPS account (Tourist case)

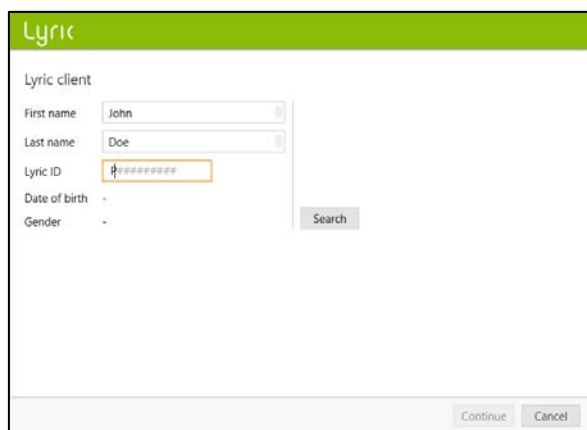
Continue Cancel

Enter the correct Lyric ID and/or the first and last names as stored in ALPS.

To retrieve the Lyric ID you can open the ALPS portal in a separate browser or obtain it from the printed Lyric ID card. Select search to find P# (Lyric ID).

The Lyric ID has to be entered if you are connecting an existing client for the first time. When opening the session again, you will automatically be connected to the ALPS data.

By selecting the search button the P# will populate, if the P# does not populate, this means the patient is not an existing patient or the name does not match the ALPS information.



Lyric

Lyric client

First name John

Last name Doe

Lyric ID P#

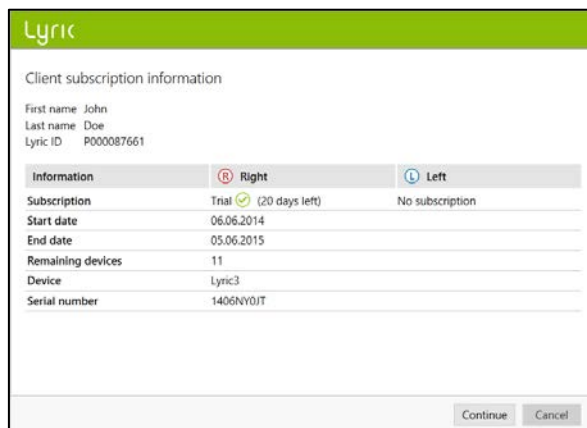
Date of birth -

Gender -

Search

Continue Cancel

If the data of the client was found, the client subscription information screen will show all the relevant information.



Lyric

Client subscription information

First name John

Last name Doe

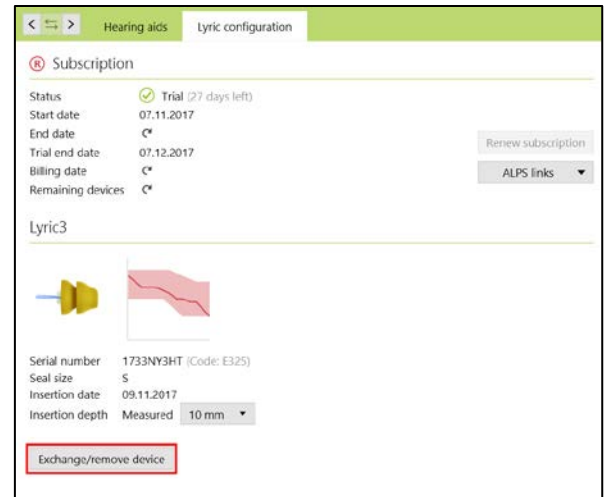
Lyric ID P000087661

Information	Right	Left
Subscription	Trial (20 days left)	No subscription
Start date	06.06.2014	
End date	05.06.2015	
Remaining devices	11	
Device	Lyric3	
Serial number	1406NY0JT	

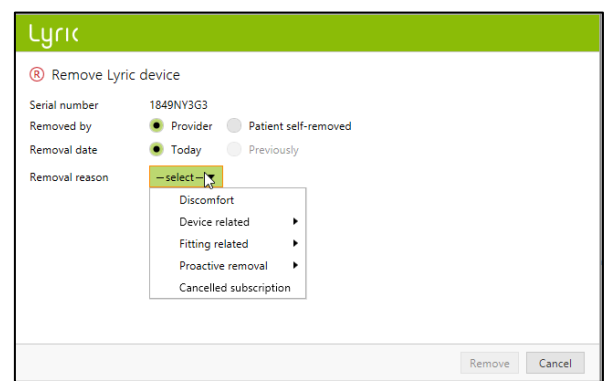
Continue Cancel

Device exchange (including ear canal observation)

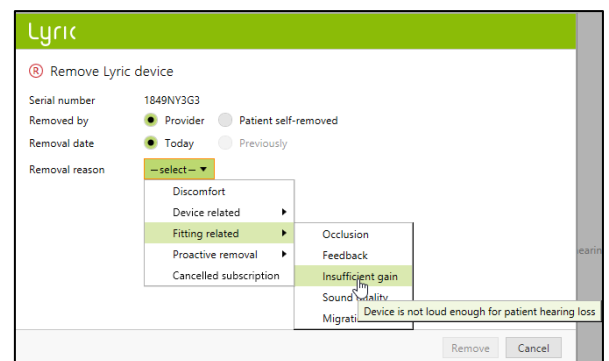
To exchange a Lyric device, please log into Phonak Target/ALPS, go to [Instruments], [Lyric configuration] and click [Exchange/remove device].



Select if the provider or the patient has removed the device and specify the removal date. Choose the corresponding removal reason. The removal reasons are separated into four categories (Discomfort, Device related, Fitting related, Proactive removal and Cancelled Subscription).



Hovering over individual removal reasons activates the "tooltips", which gives more information to help determine which reason to select.



Phonak Target will ask you for the status of the ear canal. You can choose between: [OK for immediate refit], [OK for refit after rest] and [Requires medical referral]. When choosing [OK for immediate refit], the device exchange can happen immediately. If the ear canal was irritated and needed rest or a medical referral, the system will inform you accordingly.*

The comments for removal reason and ear canal observation are both optional.

When [Requires medical referral] is chosen, additional details about the state of the ear canal must be chosen.

Additionally, if "other reason" is chosen, a comment to give more explanation is required.

To remove a second device, click on [Proceed with other side]. There are some reasons (scheduled removal, near end of device life and clinical proactive removal) that will automatically populate the second side as a default but it can be changed if the removal reason is different.

*If you have chosen [OK for refit after rest] or [Requires medical referral], Phonak Target will inform you on the main screen.

Before you can exchange a device, it is mandatory to confirm that the [Ear is ok for immediate fit (today)] by checking the box at the bottom of the screen. Adding the comments about the patient's ear canal is optional.

After confirming the ear is OK for immediate fit, choose another Lyric device to exchange.

Serial#	Model	Seal size	M	Insert by
1406NYOJV	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOJN	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOKO	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOIX	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOJJ	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOJH	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOJM	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015
1406NYOJK	Lyric3	M		08.05.2015

The comments you entered are saved under [Client, Notes].

Please note that if the device has been worn longer than 30 days, the [Easy Refit] is enabled and will show default values:

- Removed by provider
- Removed today
- Removal reason: scheduled removal
- Ear canal observation: "ok for immediate refit"

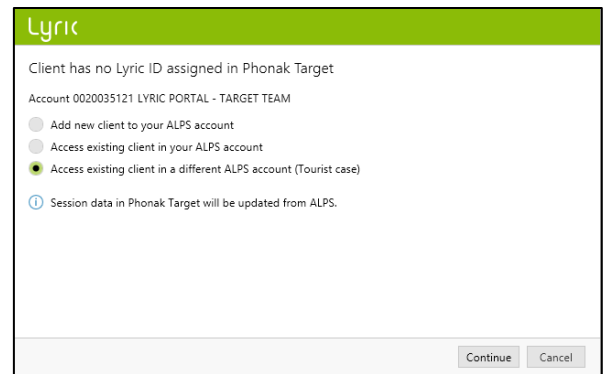
Click [Remove] and then choose a new device accordingly. When the criteria doesn't match the default value, please change it and continue.

Tourist case: Device exchange for a tourist client

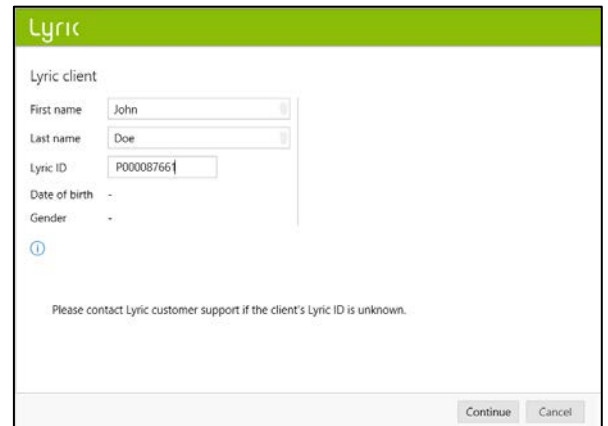
If you need to exchange a Lyric device for a client who was originally fit by another Authorized Lyric Partner, you need to obtain access to the client's ALPS fitting data. To do so you need the client's individual Lyric ID.

To start the tourist case, proceed as you would with a new client. Log into your ALPS account and select [Access existing client in a different ALPS account] (Tourist case)].

Enter the client's Lyric ID, and check if the name is displayed correctly (as printed on the Lyric ID card). Proceed with the exchange of the device, and adjust the fitting parameters if necessary. If the patient does not know their Lyric ID, it can be obtained by calling Lyric customer service.



The screenshot shows the Lyric ALPS interface with a green header. The main content area displays the following text: "Client has no Lyric ID assigned in Phonak Target", "Account 0020035121 LYRIC PORTAL - TARGET TEAM", and three radio button options: "Add new client to your ALPS account", "Access existing client in your ALPS account", and "Access existing client in a different ALPS account (Tourist case)". The "Tourist case" option is selected. Below the options is a blue information icon and the text "Session data in Phonak Target will be updated from ALPS." At the bottom right, there are "Continue" and "Cancel" buttons.



The screenshot shows the Lyric ALPS interface with a green header. The main content area displays the following text: "Lyric client", "First name John", "Last name Doe", "Lyric ID P00008766", "Date of birth -", and "Gender -". Below the form is a blue information icon and the text "Please contact Lyric customer support if the client's Lyric ID is unknown." At the bottom right, there are "Continue" and "Cancel" buttons.

Tourist case: Your client has been refit by a different Authorized Lyric Partner

If your client has been refit by a different Lyric Provider, you will be alerted that there is a mismatch between ALPS (tourist fitter) and Phonak Target (your fitting). This indicates that the serial number has been changed.

By clicking [Continue] the system will synchronize the newest serial number.

Lyric

Data conflict between ALPS and Phonak Target

First name John
Last name Doe
Lyric ID P000087661

Device data in ALPS and Phonak Target do not match:

Information	Right	Left
Subscription	Trial (20 days left)	Trial (30 days left)
ALPS	1406NY0YG (Tourist exchange)	No serial number
Target	No serial number	No serial number
Action	Serial number will be updated in Phonak Target	No action required

Press "Cancel" to resolve the conflicts manually.

Continue Cancel

If the tourist Lyric fitter also changed the fitting parameters, a fitting parameter mismatch will be shown. You can solve the conflict by choosing the preferred option.

Please note that the ALPS data is the most up to date information from the tourist fitter and Phonak Target data is the data you entered before the tourist fitting.

Lyric

Fitting parameter mismatch!

Fitting parameters stored in ALPS and Phonak Target do not match.

Right	Left
Resolve conflict	
<input type="radio"/> Use Phonak Target data Last updated 16.06.2014 13:57	Fitting parameters are identical
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Use ALPS data (newer) Last updated 16.06.2014 14:05 Updated by tourist fitter.	

Clicking "Continue" will resolve the conflict.
Press "Cancel" to resolve the conflict manually.

Continue Cancel

Renew a subscription

As soon as a subscription is active (no longer in trial) it can be renewed by clicking on [Renew subscription].

When the subscription is three months from expiration, an orange [Renew subscription] button will appear.

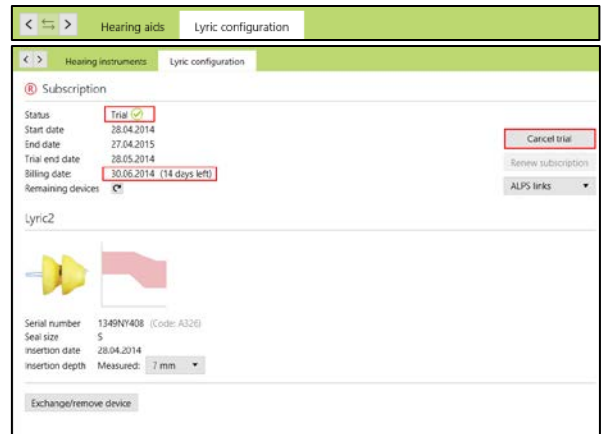
Define which type of subscription you want to create in ALPS for your client and follow the instruction wizard.

After renewing a cancelled subscription (trial or active), a new trial will only be permitted after 60 days. The renewed subscription will automatically be an active subscription after renewing within 60 days of the cancellation.

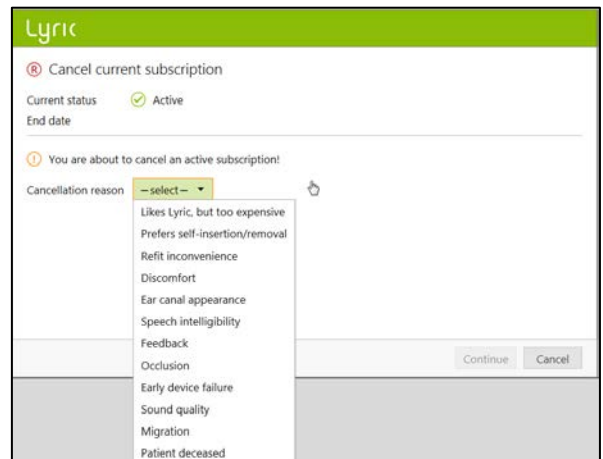


Cancel a subscription in trial prior to the billing date

It is possible to cancel a trial up to the billing date directly from Phonak Target. In order to do so, please go to the Lyric configuration screen and click [Cancel trial]. The status between trial cancellation and the billing date will be stated as trial.

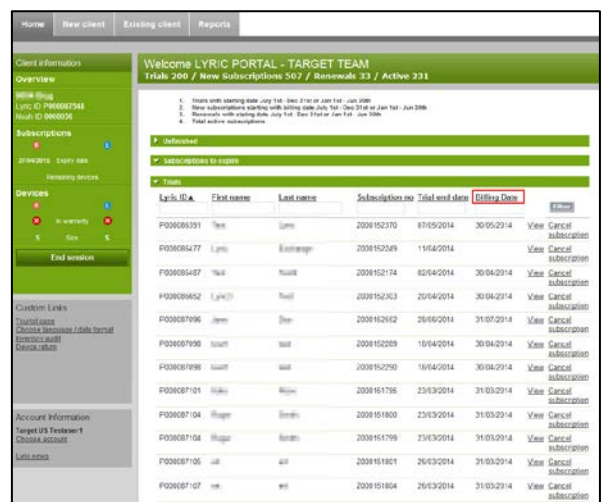


The system will now ask you to select a cancellation reason. Additionally, the devices will need to be removed in order to cancel the subscription successfully. Please note that [patient deceased] and [refit inconvenience] have been added as new cancellation reasons.



The billing date is shown in Phonak Target and also in ALPS, where you can sort all patients by billing date.

Note: You can either enter through Phonak Target or via www.phonakpro.com with the same username and password you use for Phonak Target.



Offline fitting and synchronization

There might be occasions where you have a client set up via Phonak Target/ALPS, however, due to various reasons (such as temporarily no internet connection or computer problems) you will have one or more sessions where you have to work offline. This means that the new data you have in Phonak Target is not synchronized with ALPS.

Removing a device in offline mode works the same way as in removing a device in online mode.

Lyric configuration

Remove Lyric device

Serial number 1633H00L5

Removed by Provider Patient self-removed

Removal date Today Previously

Removal reason Discomfort

Additional details (optional)...

Ear canal observation OK for immediate refit

Additional ear canal observation (optional)...

Not connected to ALPS. All changes will be synchronized later.

Remove Cancel

You are now asked to select a new device.

Lyric configuration

Successfully removed

Device successfully removed.

Select new device Close

Enter the serial number as well as the code that is shown on the Lyric package. Enter the measured insertion depth. If needed, the fitting parameters can be changed.

Lyric configuration

Enter device information

Serial number 1633H00L8

Code E396

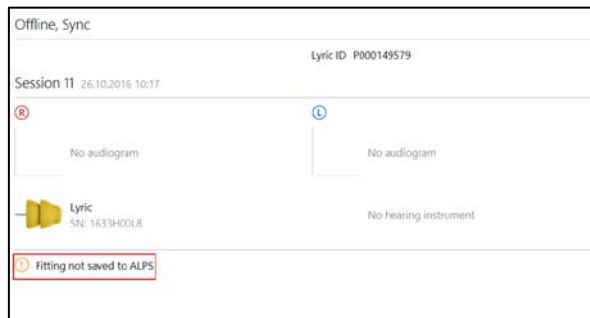
Model Lyric3

Seal size XL

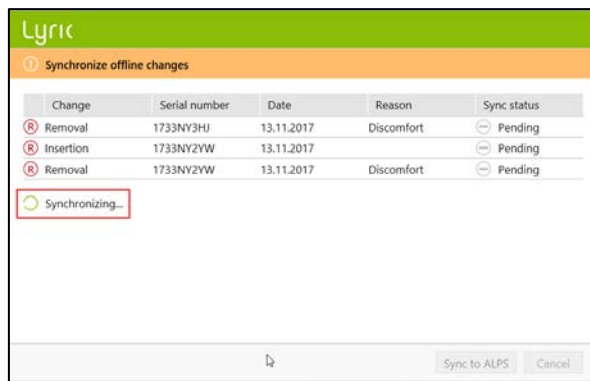
Not connected to ALPS. All changes will be synchronized later.

Select Cancel

Once the internet connection problem is resolved and you are able to use Phonak Target/ALPS online again, you will be notified by an orange exclamation point [Fitting not saved to ALPS] message for each patient that was fit offline.

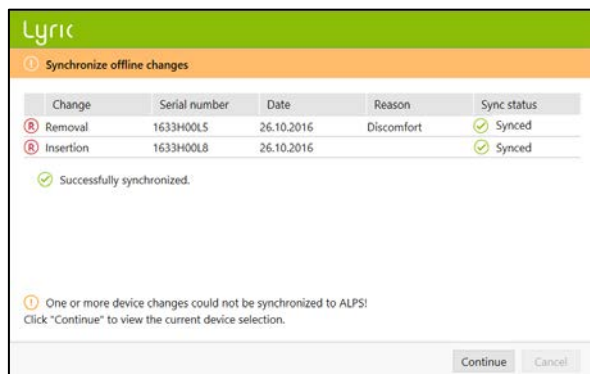


As soon as Phonak Target has started connecting into ALPS again, it will automatically synchronize the offline sessions.



A green check mark will indicate that the synchronization has been successful.

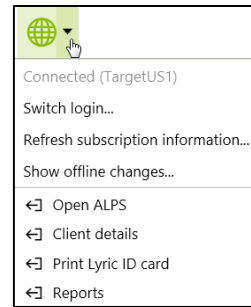
After an offline fitting, logs on your desktop are available.



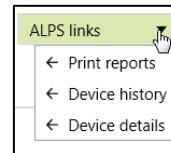
ALPS home and reports

There are some actions that require a direct link to ALPS:

- Open ALPS
- Client details
- Print Lyric ID card
- Reports



- Print reports
- Device history
- Device details



In ALPS, you can see the following details on the home screen:

- Unfinished (subscriptions)
- Subscriptions to expire
- Trials
- Devices to expire
- Devices in ear more than 120 days



Under the section [Home], [Trial] you can sort and search within the individual fields. This helps to find out more about your patient's trial end or billing date.

Lyric ID	First name	Last name	Subscription no	Trial end date	Billing Date	
F0000002	Michael	Went	200000000	13/02/17		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Michael	Went	200000001	11/12/17		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	John	Went	200000002	13/02/17		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	John	Went	200000003	11/10/17		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Sharon	Thompson	200000004	11/12/17	11/02/17	View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Mark	Camp	200000005	11/4/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Mark	Camp	200000006	11/4/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Heather	Went	200000007	13/4/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Mark	Went	200000008	11/5/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	PH	PH	200000009	11/4/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	PH	PH	200000010	13/6/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	PH	PH	200000011	11/8/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Lyric	Lyric	200000012	11/16/2017		View Cancel subscription
F0000002	Sharon	Went	200000013	11/26/2017		View Cancel subscription

To register for the automated email, login to [Patient notification settings] and select the notification for your office (or the whole chain). The information e-mail will send you more details on the following subscriptions:

- Trials to expire
- Subscriptions to renew

Notification Settings

Account Name: Lyric-1234567890

Notification E-Mail 1:

Notification E-Mail 2:

Notification E-Mail 3:

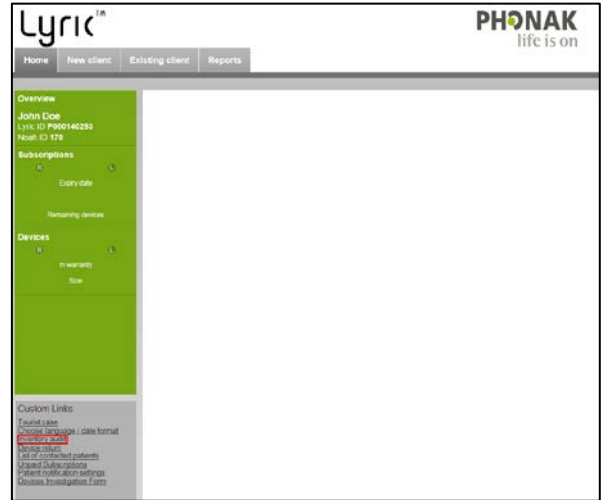
Notification Report Enable Office:

Once the patients have been contacted, they can be removed from your list by clicking on [Renewed] or [Confirmed]. The patient name will no longer show on the list of patients who are eligible for renewal or cancellation. The list can be found under [List of contacted patients].

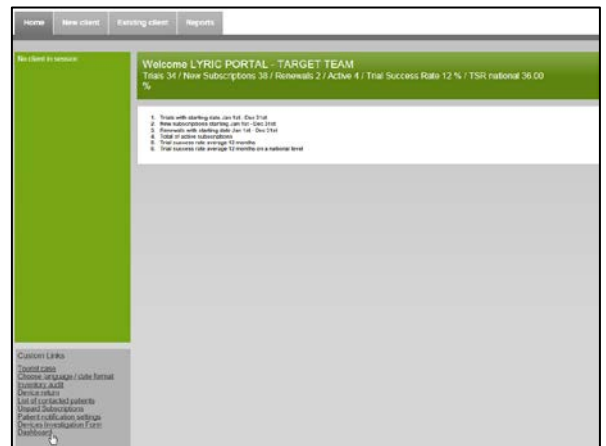
First name	Last name	Subscription no	End date	Renewed	Comment
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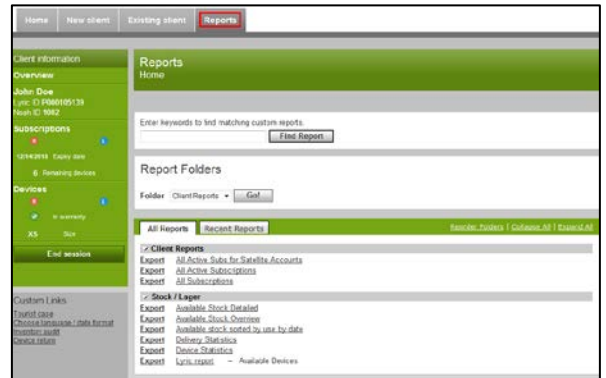
Under section [Inventory audit] you can view or print your Lyric Hearing Aid Consignment Stock Audit.



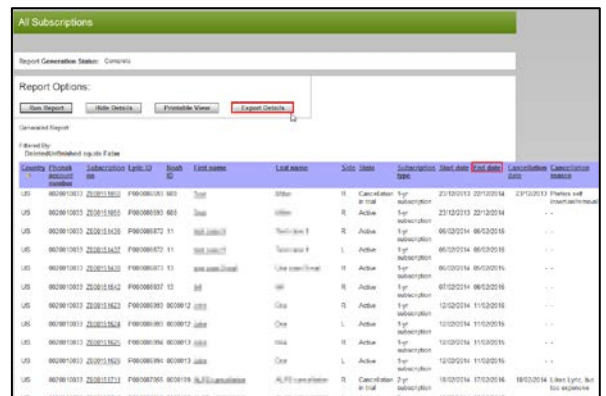
Under [Custom links] you will find the [Dashboard] that shows you your performance.



In the [Reports] tab you can find all necessary reports needed to handle subscriptions and devices.



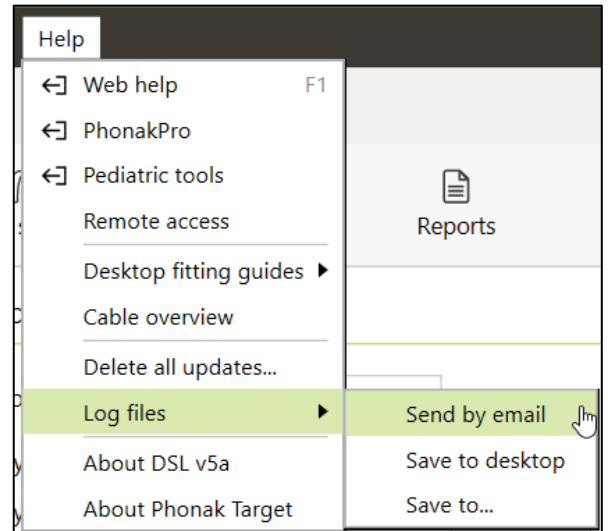
These are sortable by start or end date and they can be exported into Microsoft Excel and edited.



Enhanced log files for support

If you encounter a problem with Phonak Target, enhanced logging can help our Target software support team to find out the root cause.

Please save the log files on your desktop and/or send them by e-mail to your Lyric contact.



Information and description of symbols and System Requirements

Information and the description of symbols and an overview of system requirements can be found in the Phonak Target User Guide



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