

# Authenticate Users

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## Windows Authentication

When you use Windows authentication to authenticate users:

```
AuthenticatedUser user = engine.GetServiceWithCheck().Authenticate();  
user.CurrentUserInfo.DisplayName;
```

Add the following section to the configuration file.

```
<!-- Configuration section -->
```

## User Name and Password Authentication

When you use user name and password authentication to authenticate users:

```
AuthenticatedUser user = engine.GetServiceWithCheck().Authenticate("john", "1");  
user.CurrentUserInfo.DisplayName;
```

Add the following section to the configuration file.

```
<!-- Configuration section -->
```