

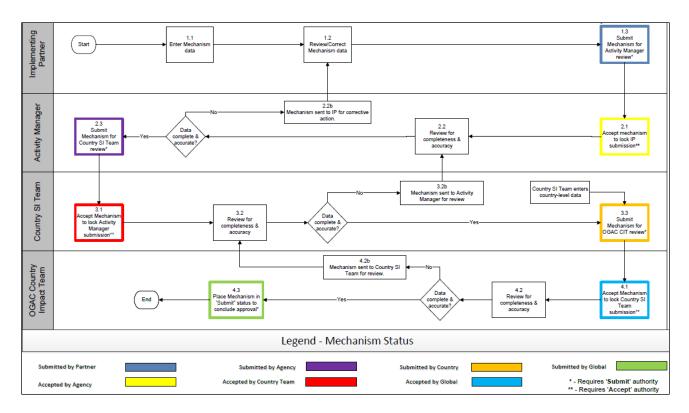
PEPFAR Data for Accountability Transparency Impact Monitoring (DATIM)

PEPFAR Data Approval User Guide

Background

The Data Approval application is a function within DATIM that facilitates the process of submitting facility, community, and national indicator data for review and approval from the Implementing Partner through the OGAC HQ/Global level.

The image below illustrates the overall workflow process of the Data Approval application:



User roles within DATIM have been broadly defined across three levels: Implementing Partner, Activity Manager (Agency level), and Country SI Team (Interagency level).

Implementing Partner users can view, enter, and edit site-level MER data associated with their mechanism(s). In addition, Implementing Partners may also use DATIM's analytic and visualization tools to review data and/or run reports associated with their entered data. Implementing Partner users also have the ability to "submit" data to their respective Activity Manager for review and approval in DATIM.

User examples: IP M&E Staff, Data Clerks, Country Director and/or Senior Leadership

Activity Manager (Agency level) users are responsible for "accepting" data submissions from Implementing Partners, reviewing these submissions, and then "submitting" data up to the interagency space in country. While Activity Managers have the ability to accept and submit any Implementing Partner data associated with their "home" agency (i.e., USAID, CDC, DoD, Peace Corps, etc.), it is important to establish clear approval workflow protocols outside of DATIM to minimize confusion and

ensure accountability within and across teams. Typically, country teams assign IP data approval duties to relevant AORs/CORs or Activity Managers during planning and reporting cycles. However, in the event of staff travel or access issues, other agency-level users will be able to accept and submit data on behalf of the assigned Activity Manager.

User examples: Agency AORs/CORs, SI/M&E Staff, in-country Agency Lead(s)

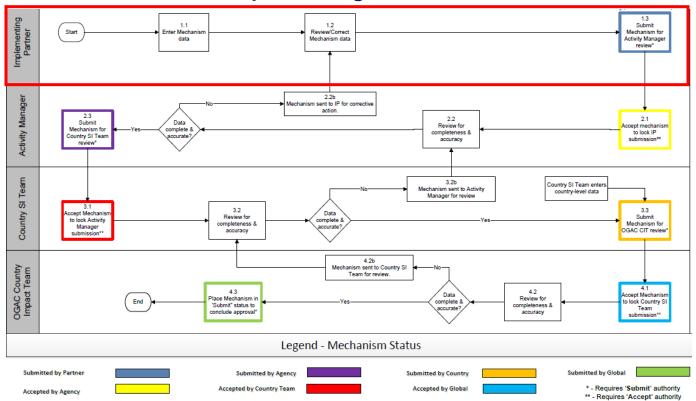
Country SI Team (Inter-Agency level) users "accept" Agency submissions, review data that will aggregate to the inter-agency technical area totals, and potentially take action to deduplicate data across partners/agencies. Once the inter-agency reviews have been completed, the PEPFAR Coordination Office and/or SI Liaison then "submits" these site-level data to OGAC HQ for final review. Please note that DATIM users with a formal agency role (i.e., as an Activity Manager) will not receive direct access to the inter-agency dataset; to view this data, your DATIM User Administrator will need to create "read-only" inter-agency accounts for all those associated with the inter-agency review process.

User examples: PEPFAR Coordination Office stakeholders, Senior Management, Agency SI Advisors, inter-agency TWG reviewers, and the SI Liaison

<u>Note:</u> The data approval workflow enables DATIM users to submit and approve mechanisms through the workflow after a reporting period has expired. Additionally, if a data set is locked for data entry, approval workflow still allows users to submit and approve mechanisms.

Getting Started with PEPFAR DATIM Data Approval Application

Implementing Partners

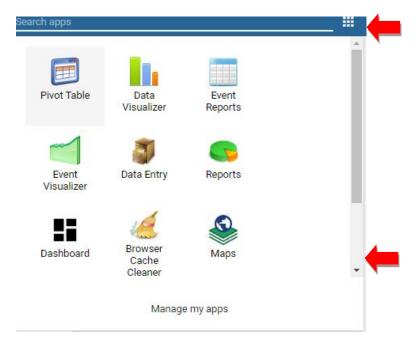


1. Reviewing and Submitting Data (Implementing Partners)

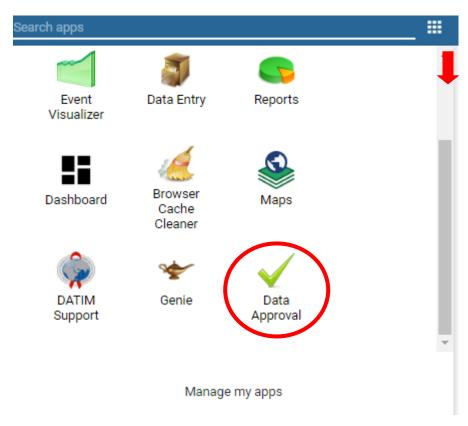
This section describes accessing the PEPFAR DATIM Approval App for *Implementing Partners*. If you're an Agency Manager level user, please begin at Page 12.

The Data Approval app allows DATIM users to submit Site-level data and above for approval by the <u>Agency Manager</u>, <u>Inter Agency</u> and ultimately, <u>OGAC Headquarters/Global</u>.

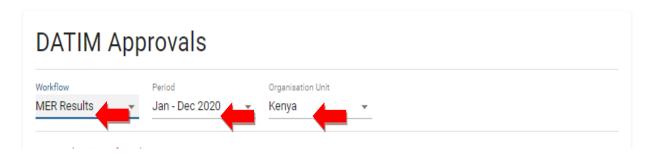
To begin the PEPFAR Approval process for MER indicator data pertaining to a mechanism, select the **Apps** feature on the navigation ribbon located at the top right of the screen. Once accessed, select the **arrow button** at the bottom of the App section to see more options (if necessary).



Use the side bar to scroll down to the bottom of the application options. Select **Data Approval**, which will appear in the application list.

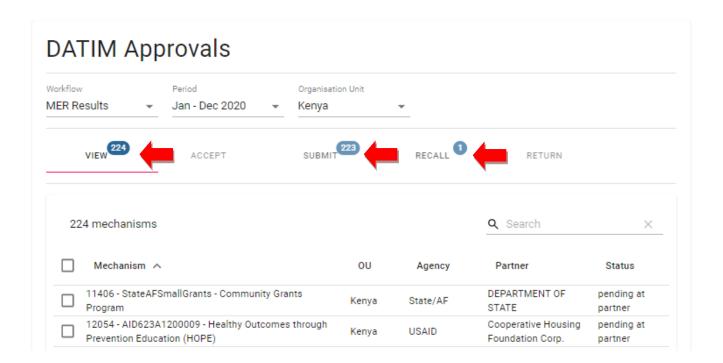


1. Once you have selected Data Approval your screen will appear as follows:



- On the left hand side of the screen you can select the data set (MER, ER, etc.) which you
 would like to submit for approval. As an Implementing Partner, the data you intend to submit
 will most likely be "MER" data (Targets or Results).
- In the middle of the screen you can select the reporting period as it applies to the data set.
- On the right hand side of the screen you will see your Organisation Unit.

The example below demonstrates what the Data Approval screen will look like after you select a data set from the menus displayed above.

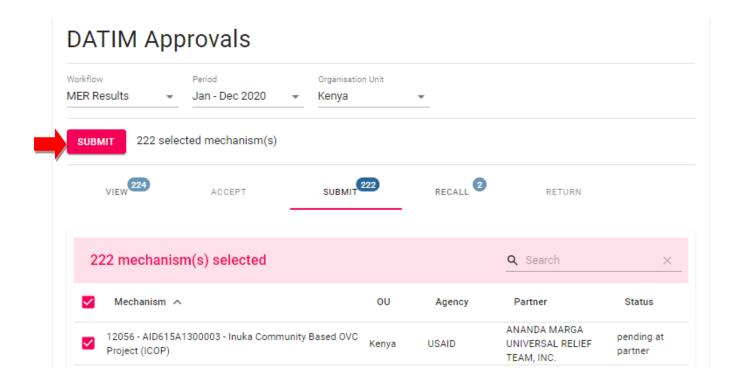


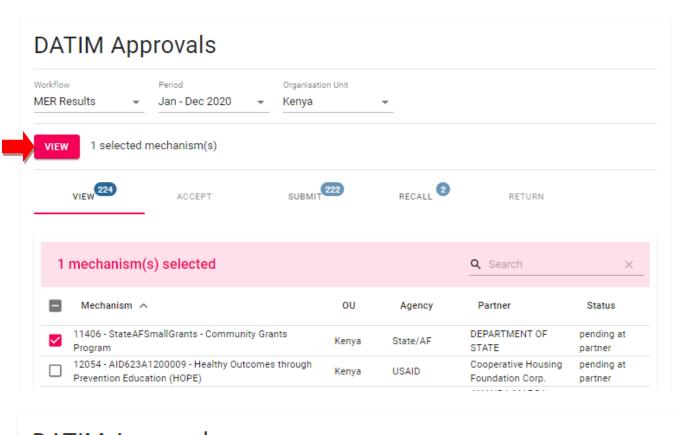
2. From here, three tabs display any applicable mechanisms that have been submitted for review and approval. Select the tab that corresponds to the action you would like to take:

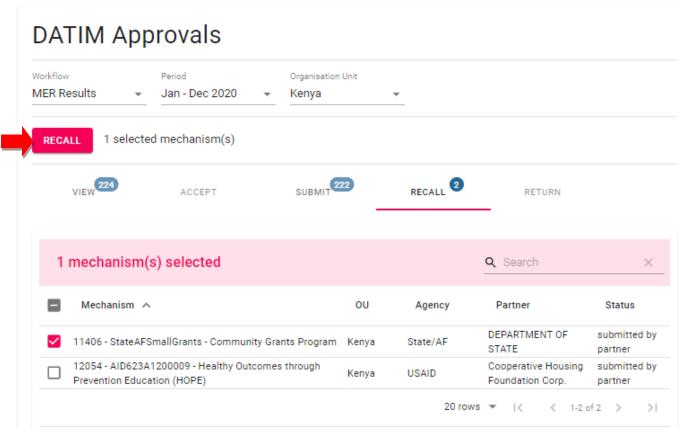
- **View:** This tab displays all of your mechanisms, regardless of their status or whether the mechanims appear under Submit or Recall tabs.
- **Submit:** This tab displays mechanisms with data that have not yet been submitted for review and approval. (These may be submitted in future steps).
- Recall: This tab displays mechanisms with data that have been submitted for review and approval and can be recalled.

Once you have selected the tab that corresponds to the action you want to take, then select the mechanisms for which you would like to view, submit, or recall data. A mechanism is selected when the box on the far left side is checked.

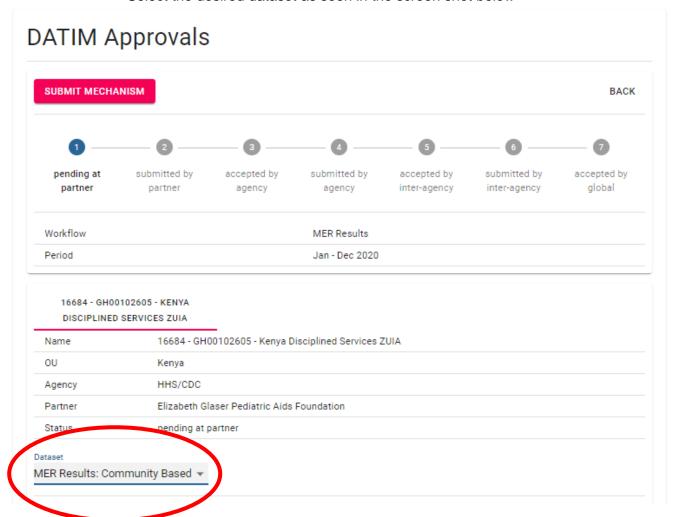
Please note that within each of the tabs displayed, you can select one or more of the listed mechanisms and execute the Action by selecting the applicable checkbox for each of the mechanisms listed. All available mechanisms with the same status can be selected by checking the box at the top next to the word "Mechanism".





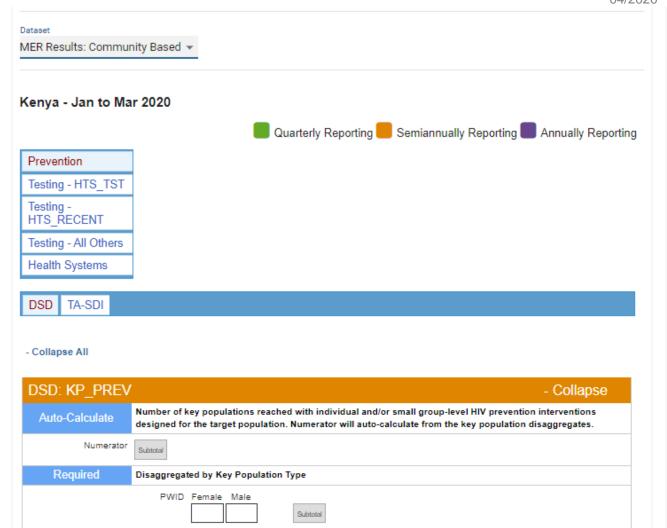


- Once a desired mechanism is selected from one of the tabs and the applicable action has been chosen, click the **Submit**, **Review**, **or Recall** buttons located above the tabs (highlighted above via the red arrows).
 - Select the desired dataset as seen in the screen shot below

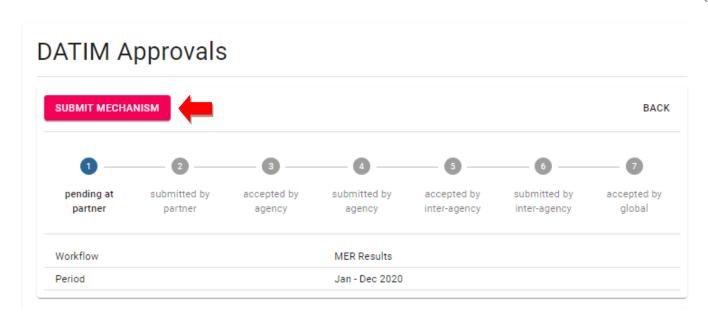


 The dataset form containing the data to be approved will display, allowing you to execute the desired action.





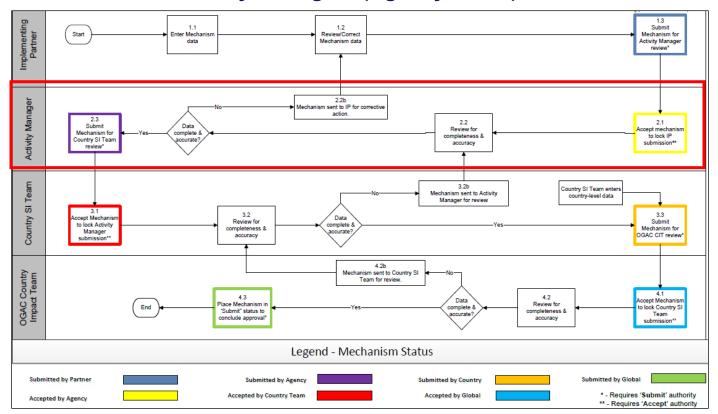
4. **Submit Data**: Once the mechanism data has been reviewed and is ready for submission to the applicable Agency, click the **Submit Mechanism** button at the top of the screen.



5. **Recall Mechanism:** If your data has been submitted and has been determined to be unready for approval, click the **Recall Mechanism** button.



Activity Managers (Agency Users)



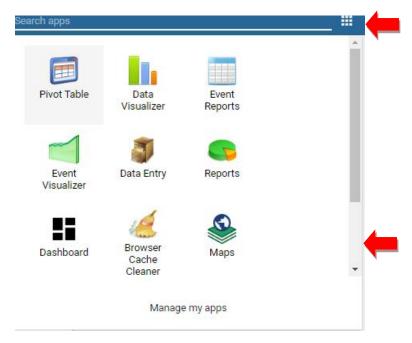
2. Reviewing, Accepting and Submitting Data (Agency Approvers Level)

This section describes accessing the PEPFAR DATIM Approval App at the Agency Approvers level.

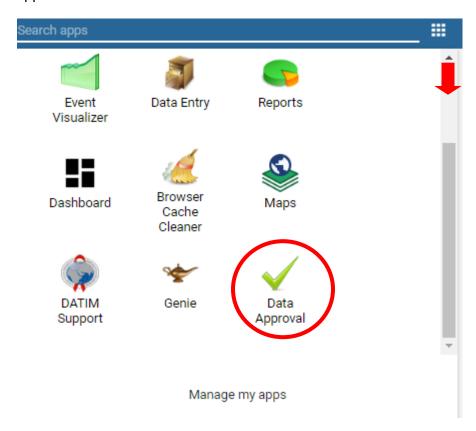
Once data has been submitted at the site-level by an Implementing Partner, the Agency Manager must review and approve the submitted mechanism data.

To begin the PEPFAR Approval process for indicator data pertaining to a mechanism, select the **Apps** feature on the navigation ribbon located at the top right of the screen. Once accessed, select the **arrow button** at the bottom of the App section to see more options (if necessary).

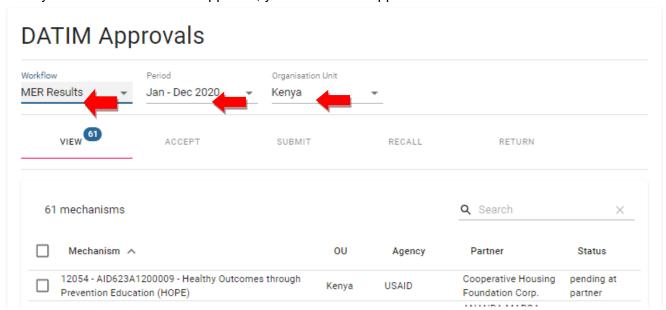
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Use the side bar to scroll down to the bottom of the application options. Select **Data Approval**, which will appear in the application list.

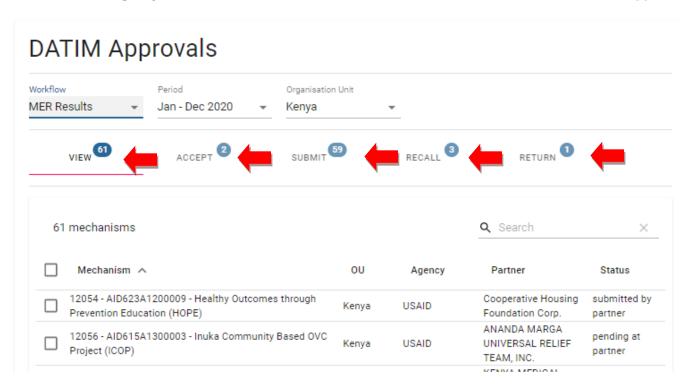


1. Once you have selected Data Approval, your screen will appear as follows:



- On the left hand side of the screen you can select the data set (MER, ER etc.) that you'd like to review, submit for approval, or return to the implementing partner.
- In the middle of the screen you can select the reporting period as it applies to the data set you are attempting to review and approve.
- On the right hand side of the screen you will see Organisation Unit.

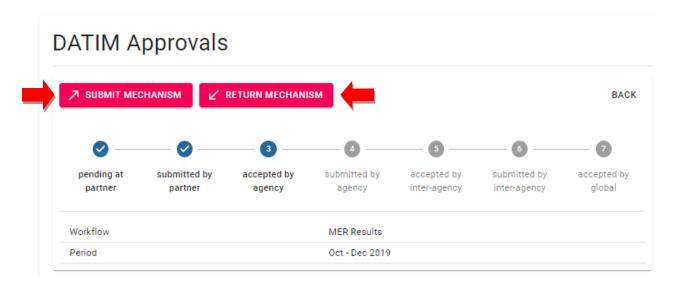
The example below demonstrates what the Data Approval screen will look like after you select a mechanism(s) from the menus displayed above.



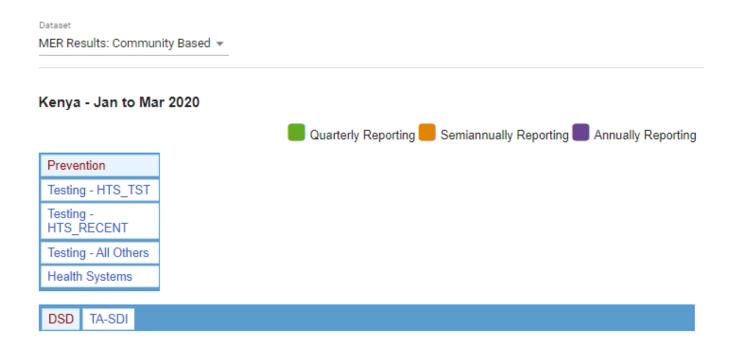
- 2. From here, five tabs display with all applicable mechanisms that have been submitted by IPs for agency review and approval.
- View: This tab displays all available mechanisms, regardless of their status or whether the mechanims appear under Accept, Submit, Recall or Return tabs.
- Accept: This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted from the Implementing
 Partner for your review and approval. Accepting a mechanism in this tab moves the mechanism
 to the Submit tab.
- Submit: This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted by the Implementing
 Partner and have been accepted and reviewed by you and are ready for submission to the InterAgency level, or need to be returned to the Implementing Partner. Once approved, the
 mechanism is moved to the Inter-Agency level for review.
- **Recall:** This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted by you. Recalling a submitted mechanism in this tab moves the mechanism to the Accept tab.
- Return: This tab displays the mechanisms that can be returned to the Implementing Partner.

Once you have selected the tab that corresponds to the action you want to take, then select the mechanisms for which you would like to view, accept, submit, recall, or return data. A mechanism is selected when the box on the far left side is checked.

Please note that within each of the displayed tabs, you can select one or more of the listed mechanisms and execute the applicable action by clicking the button on the tab. All available mechanisms with the same status can be selected by checking the box at the top next to the word "Mechanism".

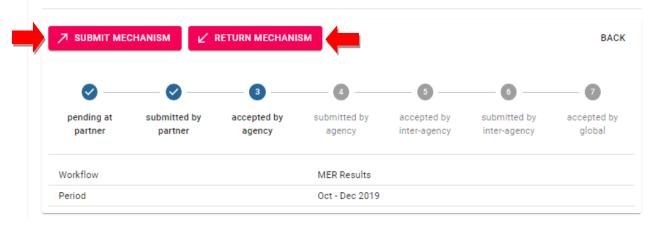


- 3. Once a desired mechanism(s) is selected from one of the tab, click on the applicable action (highlighted above via the red arrows).
 - The data set form containing the data to be approved will display allowing you to execute the desired action.



4. Submit/Return Mechanism buttons: Once the data has been reviewed and is ready for submission, you can click the Submit Mechanism button. If the data is reviewed and edits are required by the Implementing Partner, click the Return Mechanism button. (See the image below for a highlighted example)

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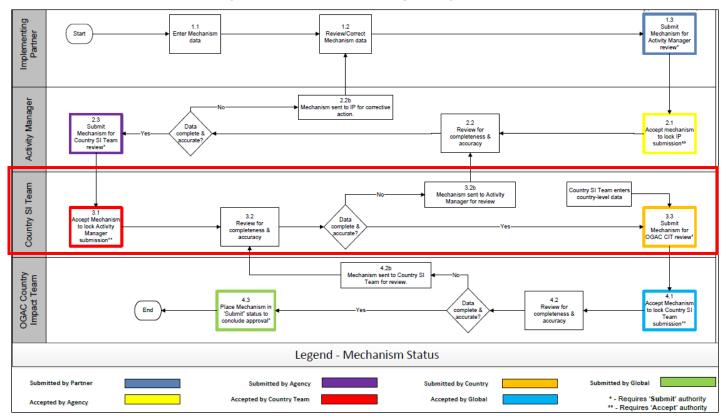


5. **Recall button:** If a mechanism is submitted and the data requires additional edits, click the **Recall** button to unsubmit the data.

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Country SI Team (Interagency Users)

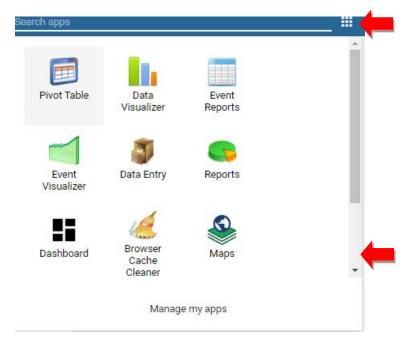


3. Reviewing, Accepting and Submitting Data (Inter-Agency Level)

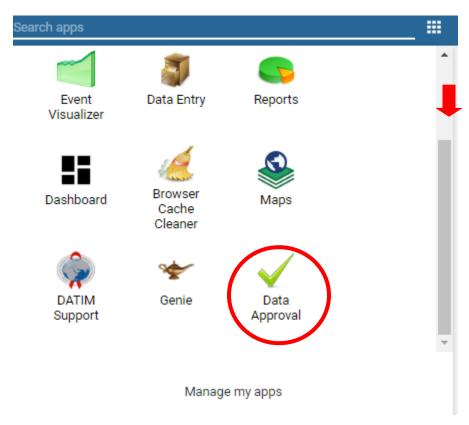
This section describes accessing the PEPFAR DATIM Approval App at the Inter-Agency Level.

Once data has been submitted by the Agency level user, the Inter-Agency Level user must review and approve the submitted mechanism data.

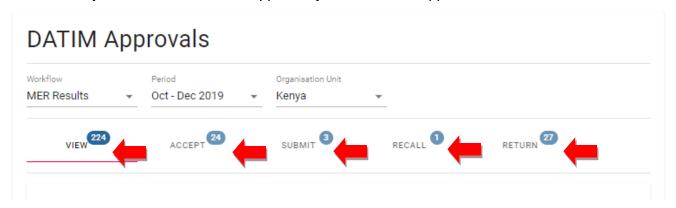
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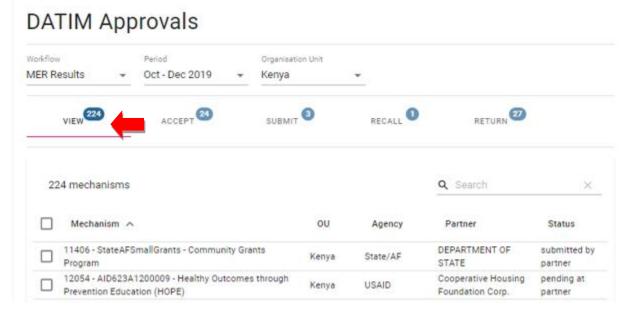
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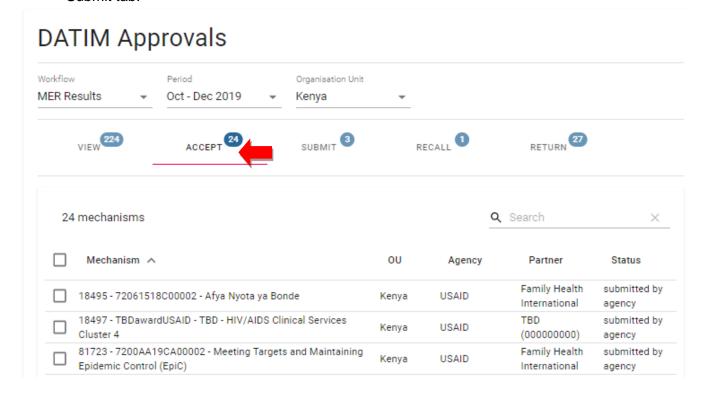
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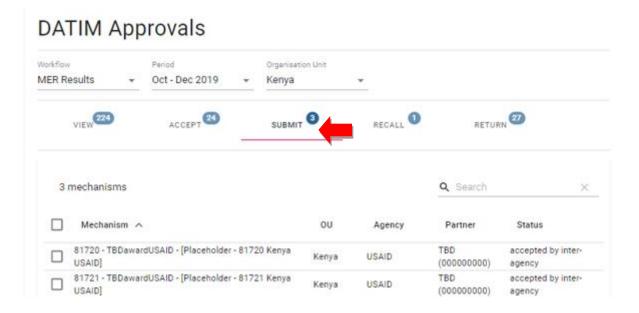
- On the left hand side of the screen you can select the data set (MER, ER etc.) that you'd like to review and submit (or reject) for approval.
- In the middle of the screen you can select the reporting period as it applies to the data set you are attempting to review and approve.
- On the right hand side of the screen you will see Organisation Unit.
- 2. From here, five tabs display with all applicable mechanisms that have been submitted by the Agency Manager for Inter-agency review and approval.
- **View:** This tab displays all of your mechanisms, regardless of their status or whether the mechanisms appear under Accept, Submit, Recall, or Return tabs.



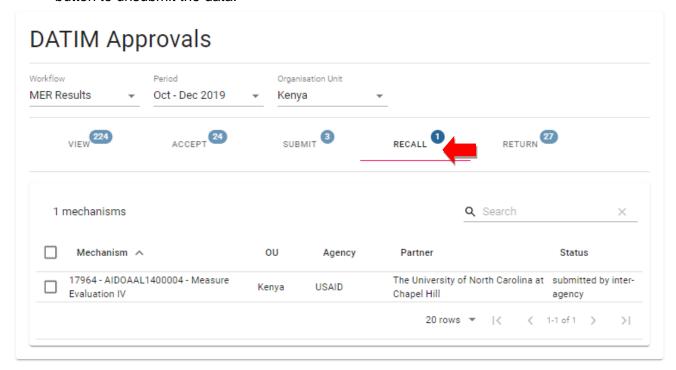
 Accept: This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted from the Agency Manager for your review and approval. Accepting a mechanism in this tab moves the mechanism to the Submit tab.



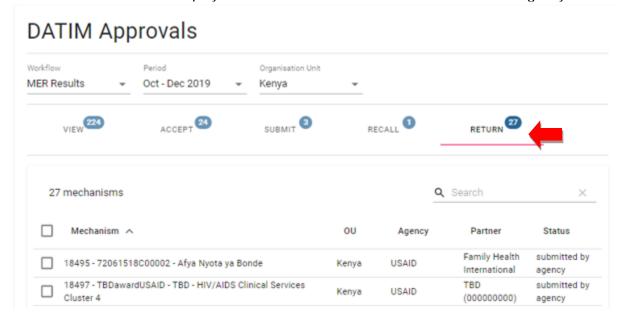
 Submit: This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted by the Agency Manager and have been reviewed and accepted by you and are ready for submission to the OGAC Global level.



• **Recall:** If a mechanism is submitted and the data requires additional edits, click the **Recall** button to unsubmit the data.

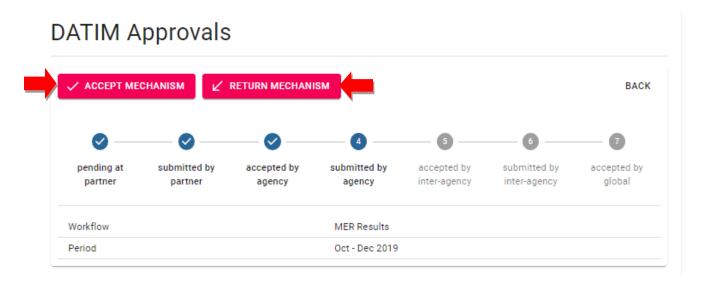


• Return: This tab displays the mechanisms that can be returned to the Agency level user.



Once you have selected the tab that corresponds to the action you want to take, then select the mechanisms for which you would like to view, accept, submit, recall, or return data. A mechanism is selected when the box on the far left side is checked.

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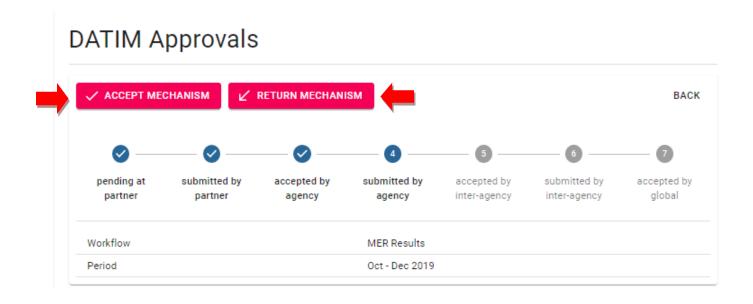


- 3. Once a desired mechanism(s) is selected from one of the tabs, click on the applicable action (highlighted above via the red arrows).
 - The data set form containing the data to be accepted, submitted, or recalled will display allowing you to execute the desired action.

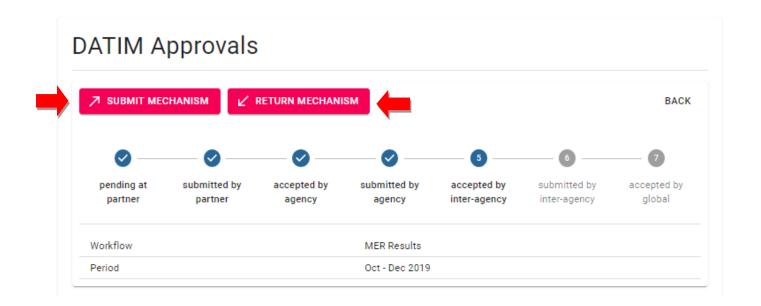


4. Accept/Return Mechanism(s) buttons: Once the data has been reviewed and is ready for acceptance, you can click the Accept Mechanism button. If the data is reviewed and edits

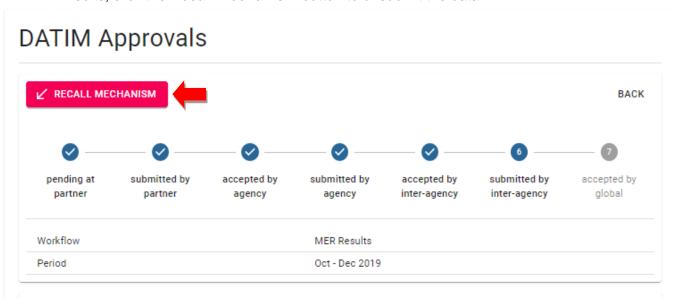
are required by the Agency user, click the **Return Mechanism** button. (See the image below for a highlighted example)



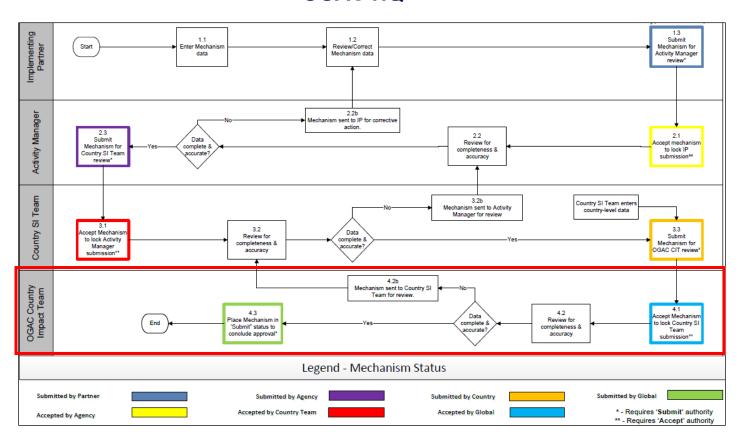
5. **Submit/Return buttons:** Once the data has been accepted and is ready for submission to the OGAC Global level, click the **Submit Mechanism** button. If the data is reviewed and additional edits are required by the Agency user, click the **Return Mechanism**.



6. **Recall Mechanism button:** If a mechanism is submitted and the data requires additional edits, click the **Recall Mechanism** button to unsubmit the data.



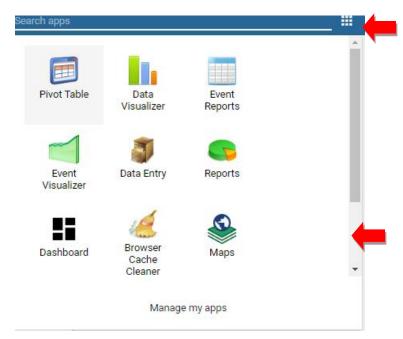
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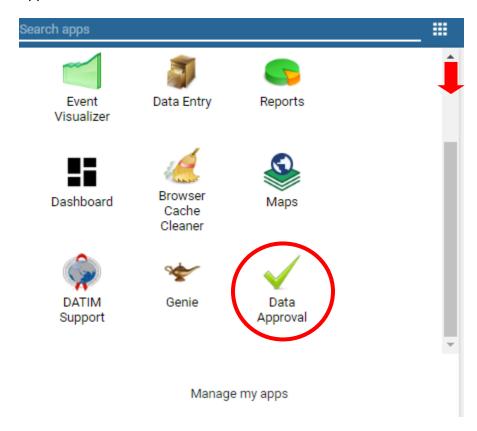
4. Reviewing, Accepting and Submitting Data (Global Level)

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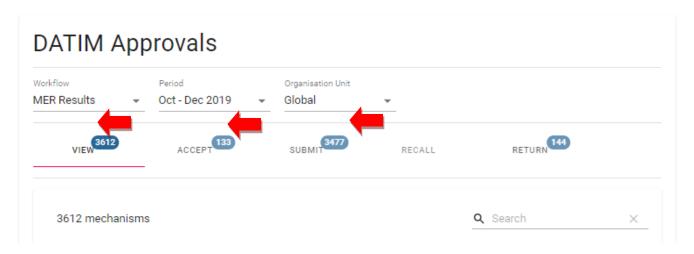
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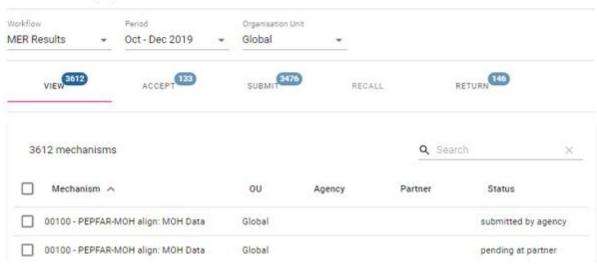


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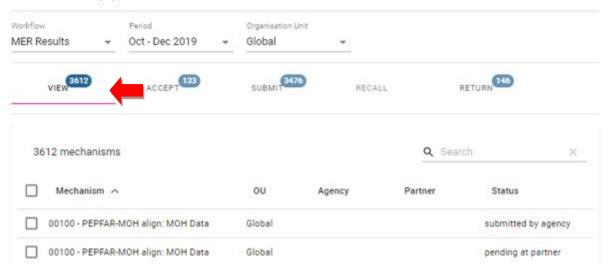
- On the left hand side of the screen you can select the data set (MER, ER etc.) that you'd like to review and submit (or reject) for approval.
- In the middle of the screen you can select the reporting period as it applies to the data set you are attempting to review and approve.
- On the right hand side of the screen you will see Organisation Unit.
- 2. From here, four tabs are enabled with all applicable mechanisms that have been submitted by Inter-Agency users for review and acceptance.

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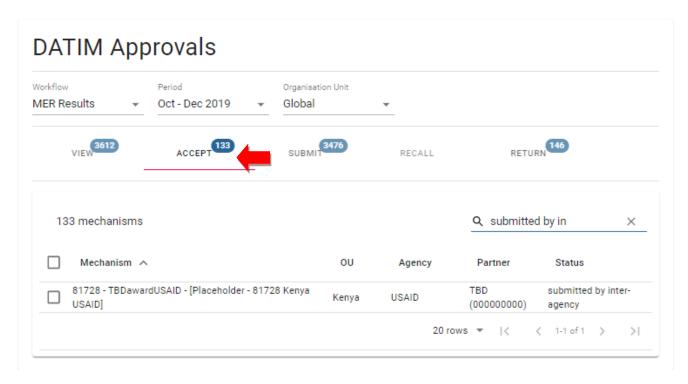


 View: This tab displays all of your mechanisms, regardless of their status or whether the mechanims appear under Accept, Submit, or Return tabs.

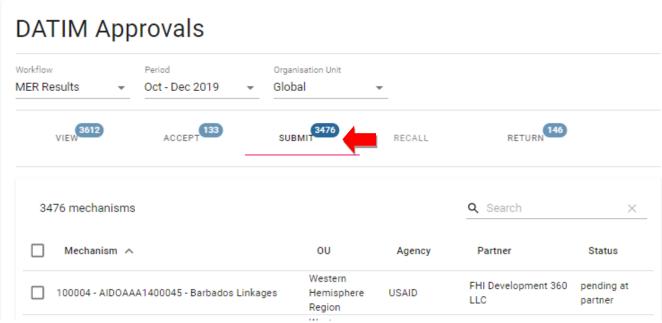
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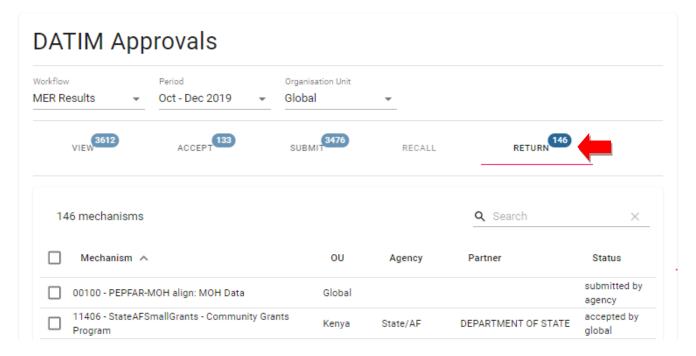
 Accept: This tab displays the mechanisms that have been submitted from the Inter-Agency Manager for your review and approval. Accepting the mechanism locks the Country SI Team submission. Global users can also accept mechanisms on behalf of any of the other levels (Implementing Partner, Agency, and Inter-Agency).



• **Submit:** This tab displays all pending mechanisms that need to be submitted. Global users can submit mechanisms on behalf of any of the other levels (Implementing Partner, Agency, and Inter-Agency).

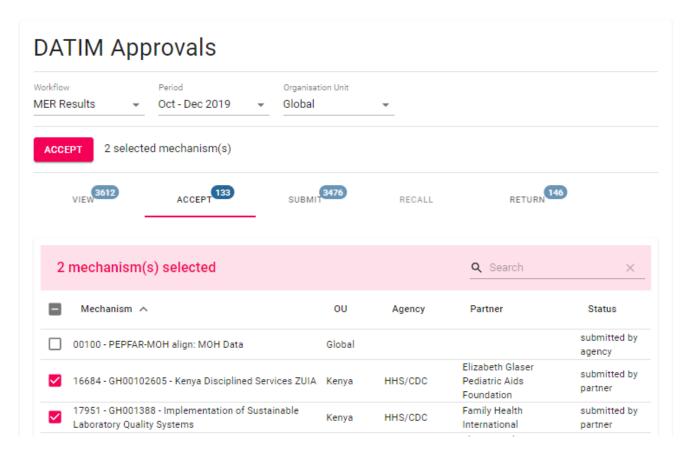


• **Return:** This tab displays the mechanisms that can be returned to the Inter-Agency level user. Global users can also Return mechanisms to any of the other level users (Implementing Partner, Agency, and Inter-Agency).



Once you have selected the tab that corresponds to the action you want to take, then select the mechanisms for which you would like to view, accept, submit, recall, or return data. A mechanism is selected when the box on the far left side is checked.

Please note that within each of the displayed tabs, you can select one or more of the listed mechanisms and execute the applicable action by clicking the button on the tab. All available mechanisms with the same status can be selected by checking the box at the top next to the word "Mechanism".



- 3. Once a desired mechanism(s) is selected from one of the tabs, click on the applicable action (highlighted above via the red arrow).
 - The data set form will display allowing you to execute the desired action.





4. **Return button:** Once the data has been accepted by you, click the **Return Mechanism button,** if required, to return the mechanism to the Inter-Agency user. Otherwise, once "accepted by global", the approvals process is complete.

