

How Religare call center operations ensured Business Continuity during nationwide lockdown



## THE **PROBLEM**



Nearly one-third of the global population is under COVID-19 lockdown. On March 24th, the government of India declared **21 days of complete lockdown** to prevent the spread of coronavirus. Large-scale quarantines and travel restrictions were a real challenge for businesses to continue their operations.

India's leading Health Insurance firm - **Religare** sensed the posing threat right in time. A major part of Religare's business relies on **call-center based communication**, which would have become operationally impossible due to the lockdown. To respond to this critical situation and **remain operationally afloat**, Religare and Mantra Labs joined forces to implement mobility in their call center and customer service space.



### THE CORE **BUSINESS CHALLENGE**



Over 90% of Religare's business relies on the Lead Management System for qualifying, analyzing and nurturing leads. Religare's LMS (developed by Mantra Labs) integrates a number of third party systems that include —

- BI products helpdesk management system
- Accounting software, computer telephony (Dialer application)
- Ads management solution.

#### Dependency on on-premise call-centre for nurturing leads posed a crucial challenge for Religare during the lockdown.

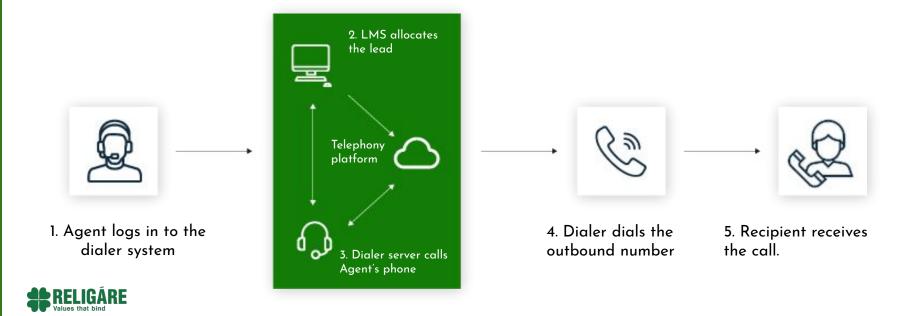
Since Insurance is an omnichannel business, managing leads is an intense operation and extensively **requires call-centers** to support communications.



The existing **Dialer application** was configured for telephone extension lines which required Telecallers to work on-premises.

## THE **PRE-PANDEMIC ON-PREMISE STATE**

Religare LMS uses two 3rd party dialer services. The process consists of Soft (Manual) dialing which dynamically maps with the caller. Each caller had a telephone extension number, which was registered in the dialer.





### MANTRA LABS SOLUTION

To ensure employee safety and comply with the lockdown norms, Religare decided to implement **mobility** at their call-center operations. It required integrating a virtual call center application (Dialer) in their LMS along with the updated workflow and features.

#### Virtual Telecalling System Configuration:



Callers are assigned individual **agent codes** mapped against their mobile numbers.

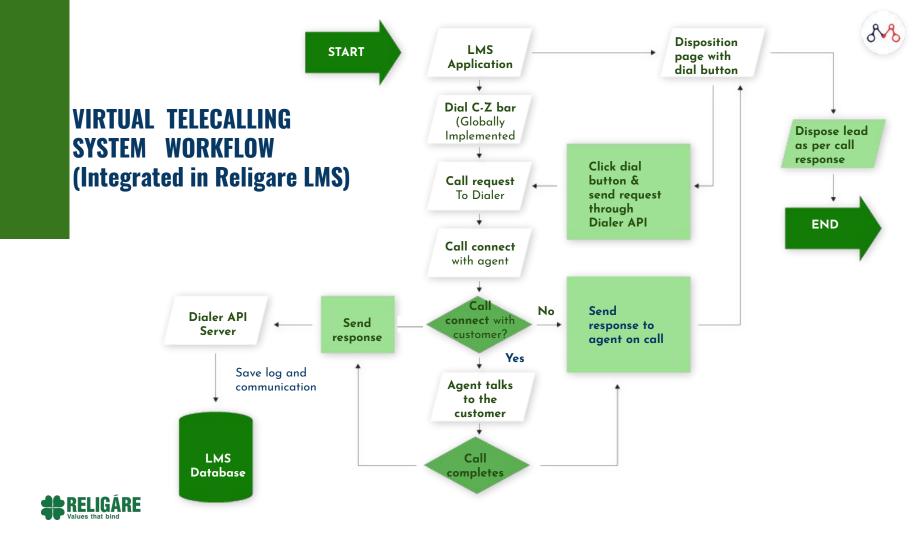


Dialer **dynamically registers** and maintains a separate list of Agents & Customers (Leads) contact information.



Caller connects with the customer through the Dialer API.







## **KEY FEATURES**

The virtual telecalling system implemented by Mantra Labs incorporates the following features making customer service simpler and feasible from a remote location:



**Responsive web application** - Callers can access the platform accessible on mobile, tablet and web. It efficiently handles both inbound and outbound telecalling.



**Customer Journey Profiling** - Minimum dependency on team lead for product/customer information. Entire customer journey is recorded and information is made available at all user levels.



**Security:** Only required caller IPs, service APIs and Dialer APIs are allowed for remote access to the platform.



**Easy lead disposition** - A quick disposition box appears in a single click with the last status so that callers need not to enter the same steps again. Also, there is a facility for adding remarks.



Notification: A screen-size notification to initiate calling, follow-up reminder and scheduled call.



#### **TECHNOLOGY STACK**







## THE OUTCOME

As an immediate response to the nationwide lockdown & to keep the business operations up, Mantra successfully implemented the call center mobility solution in Religare LMS in a record 10 days' time.

#### Time-to-market

10 days

#### **Operations**

100% of operations preserved.

#### Dependencies

0% operational dependencies







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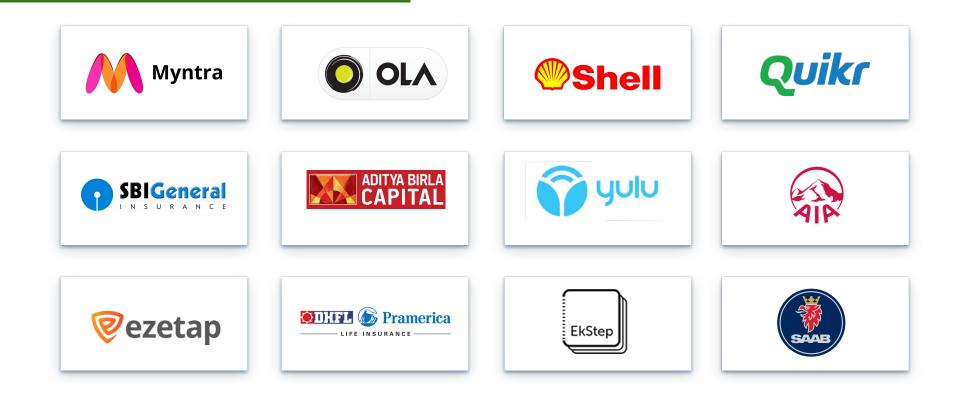
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