

Federal Computer Incident Response Center

Reporting a Security Incident

Why Should I Report Incidents to FedCIRC?

By reporting incidents to FedCIRC when they initially occur, FedCIRC can provide immediate assistance, provide feedback on your information security program and promote awareness across the Federal Government. Additionally, the Government Information Security Reform Act (GISRA) designates GSA/FedCIRC as the reporting organization for computer security incidents.

What incidents should be reported to FedCIRC?

- Scans/Probes
- Web Defacements
- Denial of Service

- Virus/Malicious Code
- Intrusions/Root Compromise
- Reconnaissance Activities

How can I report an incident to FedCIRC?

You can report an incident to FedCIRC via the form on our website, electronic mail, telephone hotline, secure or unsecure fax.

Who gets my Incident Report?

When you call in to report an incident, you are calling the FedCIRC Operations Center. The FedCIRC Operations Center uses the information minus any agency identifying details to derive statistical reports that are sent to the FedCIRC Management Center. FedCIRC uses this information to develop and disseminate alerts and advisories.

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