

The "Do Not Pay" Solution

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Improper Payment Initiative

Executive Order - Reducing Improper Payments and Eliminating Waste in Federal Programs

November 2009

Presidential Memorandum-**Enhancing Payment Accuracy** Through a "Do Not Pay List"

June 2010

Development of the Do Not Pay **Business Center**

April 2011

Memorandum For Heads of Executive Departments and Agencies – Reducing Improper Payments Through the "Do Not Pay List" (M-12-11)

April 2012





The purpose of this order was to reduce improper payments by intensifying efforts to eliminate payment error, waste, fraud, and abuse in the major programs administered by the Federal Government, while continuing to ensure that Federal programs serve and provide access to their intended beneficiaries.



Directed agencies to review current pre- payment and preaward procedures and ensure that a thorough review of available databases with relevant information on eligibility occurs before the release of any Federal funds, to the extent permitted by law.

At a minimum, agencies shall, before payment and award, check the following existing databases to verify eligibility:

- Death Master File
- Excluded Parties List System
- Debt Check Database
- Credit Alert System or Credit Alert Interactive Voice Response System,
- List of Excluded Individuals/Entities

The Treasury's Bureau of the Public Debt partnered with the St. Louis and Kansas City Federal Reserve Banks as Treasury's Fiscal Agent, to develop the **Do Not Pay Business Center** as part of the "Do Not Pay" solution.

Directed Executive Agencies to take immediate steps to use the centralized solutions that are already in place for pre-payment eligibility review. The memorandum requires each Executive Agency (or the accountable official for improper payments and program integrity, under Executive Order 13520) to submit to OMB a plan for using centralized solutions.



M-12-11 Overview

Main Steps:

- > Review the Do Not Pay solution.
- > Draft a plan for utilizing the Do Not Pay solution and provide for OMB review by June 30, 2012.
- > OMB will review those plans and provide comments to agencies by July 31, 2012.
- Final plans should be submitted to OMB by August 31, 2012.



Do Not Pay Plans

Two Parts: Agreements and Utilization

Agreements:

- > Centralized Solution: Provide process and timetable for reaching an agreement with Treasury BPD on the use of Do Not Pay.
- Explanation of Need: Outline the proposed uses for various business processes within your agency (acquisitions, grants, loans, etc.).
- > Expected Data Sources.



Do Not Pay Plans

Utilization:

- > Incorporation into Existing Business Processes.
- ➤ Identify which tools you will use (portal, batch matching, continuous monitoring, data analytic services).
- > Outline what changes you will need to make to your processes to ensure adoption.
- > It is possible you will need to provide different utilization plans for different parts of the organization (grants, loans, acquisitions, etc.).

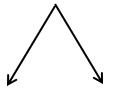


Benefits of Using Do Not Pay

- Helps agencies eliminate manual checking of databases maintained in multiple sites—searches all data sources at one time to improve efficiencies.
- > Provides access to current, relevant data to help make a payment or eligibility decision.
- Allows an agency a simple, streamlined way to comply with the "Do Not Pay" initiative, which requires all agencies to review key databases preaward and pre-payment.
- > Detects and helps prevent erroneous payments.



Do Not Pay Business Center





Do Not Pay Portal

Provides users with a single entry point for multiple data sources online. The data sources are updated frequently and allow the user to see results immediately. Users have the option of performing searches by the use of three different methods: online single searches, batch matching, and continuous monitoring.



Data Analytics Services

Provides agencies with additional customized analysis to combat improper payments, including matching and analyzing the agency's payment file against currently available data sources and analyzing the payment file itself for irregularities such as same unique identifier (TIN, SSN, EIN, DUN) and different names.



Agency Support Center

Supports users for both services and all aspects of the process. Also, provides personalized training and portal demonstrations.



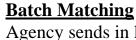


Access to the portal is being offered to agencies as a one stop shop for your data needs. Agencies can select the best searching methods to incorporate into their procedures.



Single Online Search

One single entry can be searched and matching records will be returned. Currently, users can search on TIN, SSN, DUNS, Business or Individual Name.





Agency sends in large files before or after payments are made and Do Not Pay matches the files to available data sources and returns the results to the user via the online portal. Results are typically returned the next business day.

Continuous Monitoring



Agency sends in large files and Do Not Pay stores the file within the portal and provides the agencies with the matches via the online portal. Results are typically returned the next business day.

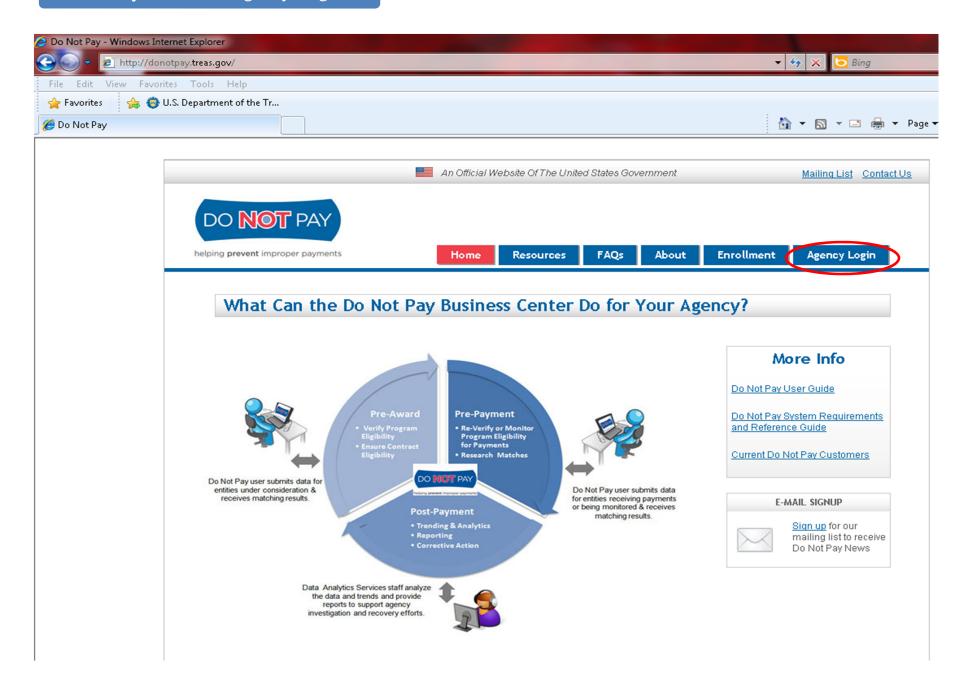
Data Sources Currently Available:

- Excluded Party List System (EPLS) with an Office of Foreign Asset Controls (OFAC) feed
- Death Master File (DMF)
- List of Excluded Individuals/Entities (LEIE)
- Debt Check
- The Work Number
- Central Contractor Registration (CCR)

Receive updated data source files on a regular basis.

New Data Sources are being added regularly.

Do Not Pay Website – Agency Login



Agency Login Screen

WARNING

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You have accessed a United States Government computer. Unauthorized use of this computer is a violation of federal law and may subject you to civil and criminal penalti

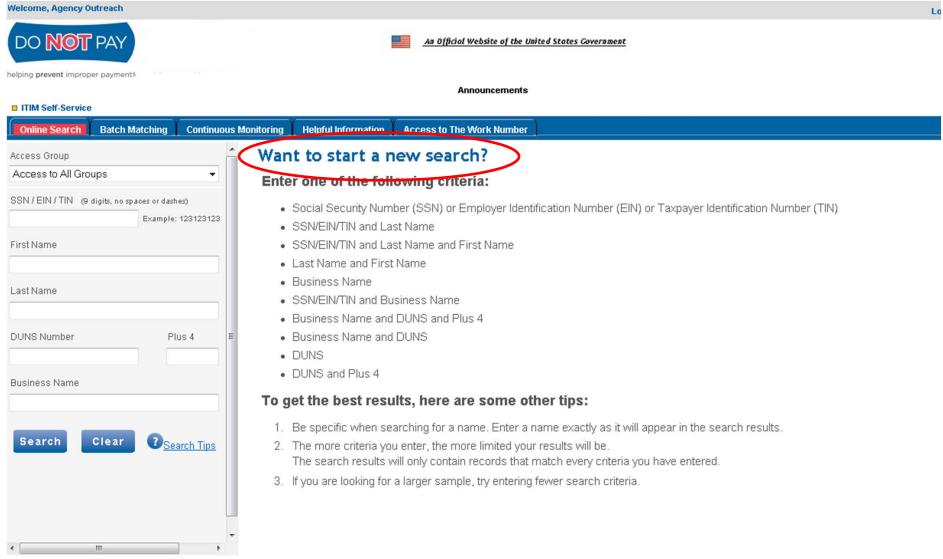
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Do Not Pay Home Page

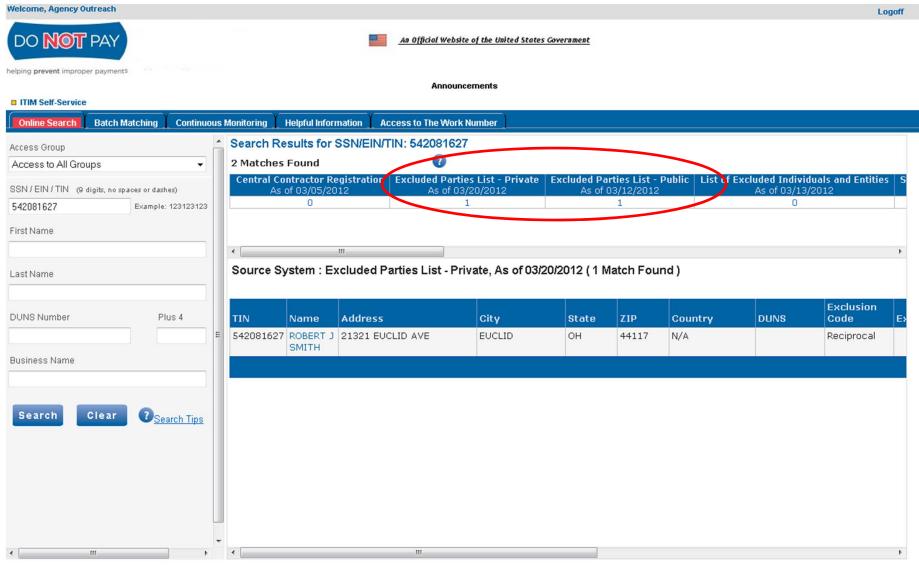






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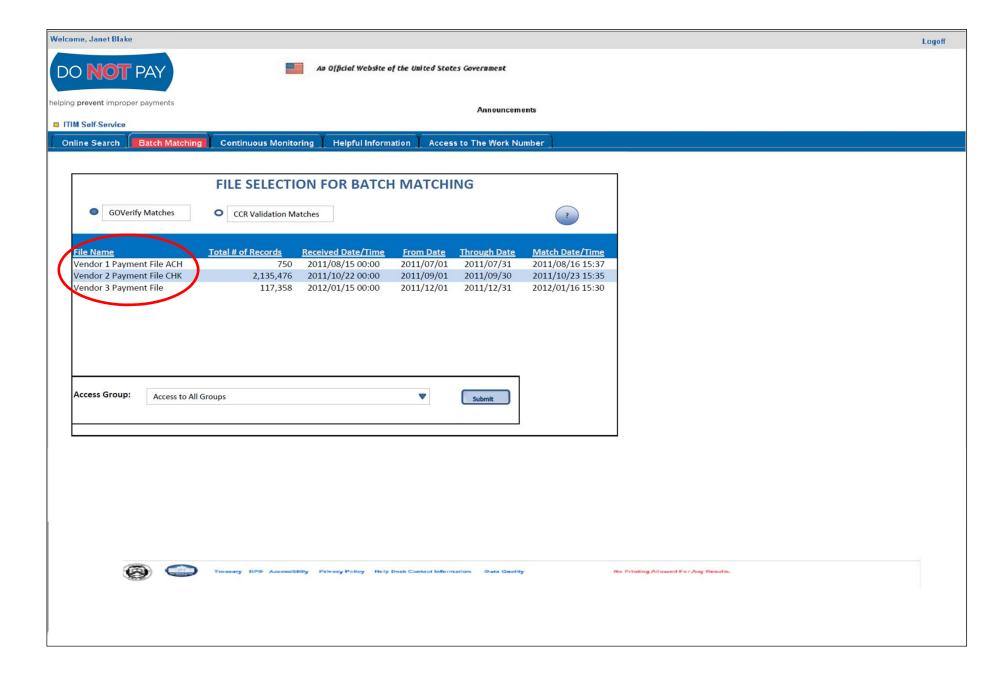
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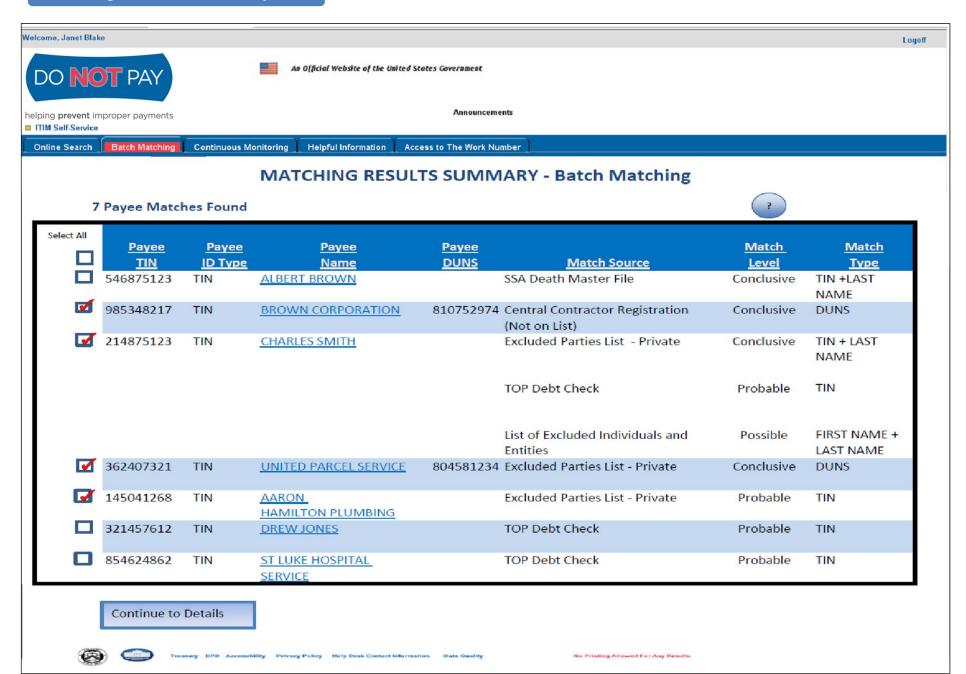
Batch Matching – Home Page



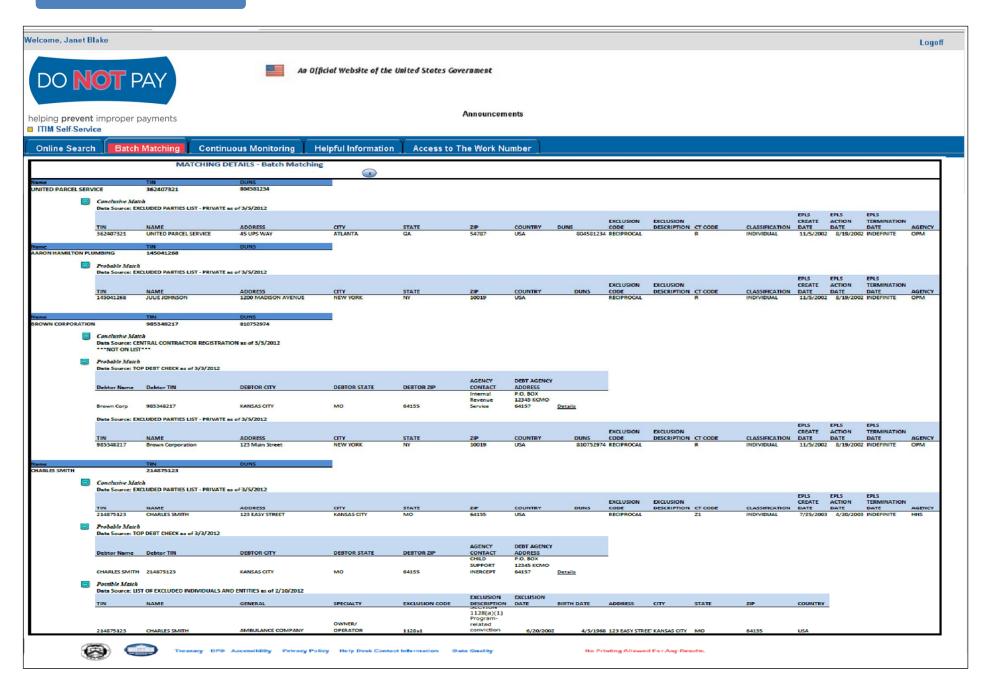
Batch Matching – Filter Matching Results

FILTER MATCHING RESULTS FOR BATCH MATCHING 202 Matches Found # of Conclusive # of Possible # of Probable **Data Source** Matches Matches Matches _ 1 0 Central Contractor Registration (Not on List) as of 03/05/12 0 Excluded Parties List - Private as of 03/05/12 2 2 0 24 Excluded Parties List - Public as of 03/15/12 0 40 L ist of Excluded Individuals and Entities as of 02/10/12 8 5 1 1 SSA Death Master File as of 03/05/12 23 ☐ TOP Debt Check as of 03/03/12 3 3 89 >= Total Payment Amount to Payee \$50.00 Single Payment to Payee <= Select All Submit Clear Selection

Matching Results Summary



Detailed Results





Data Analytics Services

Data Analytics Services are being offered to agencies to help reduce fraud, errors and payments being made to ineligible recipients.

Files to be used for agency analysis

- Agency provided payment file
- Agency provided payee list
- FMS Payment Data

- Recovery.gov
- USASpending.gov
- IPP Vendor Data

ASAP Grantee Data

Data Sources

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- Death Master File (DMF)
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- Debt Check
- Central Contractor Registration (CCR)

- Affirmative Proceeding Data
- Dun & Bradstreet
- Recovery.gov
- Google Maps/Search
- Zip Code
- Prison Address Source

General Statistics

- Number of payments, number of payees, total awarded, highest/lowest/average payment, standard deviation
- Payments or payees lacking a unique identifier

- Payments or payees outside of the United States
- Payment distribution analysis
- Payments sent to P.O. Boxes

Fraud Detection

- Duplicate payments
- Conflicting information

Link analysis

Agency Specific Analysis

- Trend analysis
- Research irregularities

Special Requests

helping prevent improper payments

Business Process Integration



User submits data for entities under consideration & receives matching results. Online, batch submission, and continuous monitoring are supported within the Portal.

Pre-Award

- Verify Program **Eligibility**
- Ensure Contract **Eligibility**

Pre-Payment

- Re-Verify or **Monitor Program** Eligibility for **Payments**
- Research Matches





Post-Payment

- Trending & Analytics
- Reporting
- Corrective Action

User submits data for entities receiving payments or being monitored and receives matching results. Online, batch submission, and continuous monitoring are supported within the Portal.

Data Analytics Services staff analyze the data and trends and provide reports to support agency investigation and recovery efforts.





Onboarding

Online Single Search

Portal

Agreement to Participate

Legal Agreement

Security Credentialing/ **User Forms**

Portal Access

Batch Matching & Continuous Monitoring

Agreement to Participate

Legal Agreement

Secure File Transfer Set Up

Security Credentialing/ User Forms

Portal Access

Data Analytics Services

Agreement to Participate

Legal Agreement

Secure File Transfer Set Up Complete Initial Data Analysis

Initial Data Review Complete

For Additional Information

Get More Information

Schedule a meeting with our team to discuss onboarding for the Do Not Pay services that best fit your agency's needs.

Start Receiving Updates

Sign up for the mailing list on our website to receive updates on new functionality and data sources as they become available.

Contact the Agency Support Center



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