



Neustar Registry Services

.US WHOIS Accuracy Program



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.US WHOIS Accuracy Program - Overview

- No pre-validation of registrants
- Random audits (post-registration)
- Policy compliance and enforcement
- Proxy data not permitted

.US WHOIS Accuracy Program – Key Components

- » Weekly random spot checks looking for:
 - » WHOIS Accuracy
 - » Nexus Compliance
- » Weekly searches for proxy WHOIS data
- » Bi-Annual manual review of a large random WHOIS sampling
- » Annual review of every Registrar's WHOIS implementation
- » Annual WHOIS accuracy reminder email to Registrants
- » Online WHOIS accuracy reporting tool

.US WHOIS Accuracy Program – Random Audits

- » Weekly and Bi-Annual Spot checks
- » Looking for any data that appears to be inaccurate, including:
 - » Missing data
 - » Blatantly inaccurate data
 - » Mistakes that appear to be unintentional
- » Data is not validated
- » Inaccuracies are scored based on severity
- » Registrars are notified and required to correct inaccuracies or delete/suspend the domain



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