

CVE Request Web Form Tip Sheet

Complete a “CVE Request” web form to request a CVE ID from MITRE.



The screenshot shows the CVE Request web form with several callouts:

- a**: A dropdown menu for "Request type" with options: "Request a CVE ID", "Request a block of IDs (For CNAs Only)", "Notify CVE about a publication", "Request an update to an existing CVE", and "Other".
- b**: A field for "Number of vulnerabilities reported or IDs requested (1-10)" with a value of "1" and a checkbox "Do you need more than 10 IDs?".
- c**: Two verification checkboxes: "I have verified that this vulnerability is not in a CNA-covered product." and "I have verified that the vulnerability has not already been assigned a CVE ID."
- d**: A "Vulnerability type" dropdown menu.
- e**: "Affected product(s)/code base" section with "Product" and "Version" fields.
- f**: "Additional information" text area.
- g**: A warning box: "By clicking the submit button, you are agreeing to the CVE Terms of Use."
- h**: "Submit Request" and "Cancel" buttons.

a. **Request Type** – Select the Request Type. The web form fields are tailored to each Request Type. This example is for the “Request a CVE ID” request type.

b. **Number of vulnerabilities** – Enter the number of vulnerabilities. A set of fields is provided for information about each vulnerability.

c. **Verification** – Select check boxes to verify the information.

Note: The round, blue icon containing the letter “i” provides additional information about specific fields.

d. **Vulnerability Type** – Select vulnerability type from the drop-down list.

e. **Required data fields** – Enter information into the required fields, indicated by asterisks.

f. **Additional information** – Additional information about the vulnerability or about the request can be provided.

g. **Terms of Use** – Review the CVE Terms of Use prior to entering the security code and submitting the form.

h. **Submit** – Once you have completed filling out all information, enter the security code and submit the form.

IMPORTANT: Please add cve-request@mitre.org and cve@mitre.org as safe senders in your email client.

Complete a “Request a block of CVE IDs” form if you represent a [CNA](#) and require a new block of CVE IDs.

* Select a request type

* Enter your e-mail address

Enter a PGP Key (to encrypt)

⚠ This form is for CVE Naming Authorities (CNAs) only.
CVE ID blocks are provided to CNAs. If your organization is interested in becoming a CNA, please see the guidance at: <http://cve.mitre.org/cve/cna.html>
To request a block of CVE IDs, please provide responses to the following:

Required

* Number of CVE IDs needed (1-999) **a**

Optional

Additional information **b**

Please provide any additional information you want to share with us here.

- a. **Number of CVE IDs** – Enter the number of CVE IDs being requested.
- b. **Additional information** – Provide any additional information or special instructions.

Complete a “Notify CVE about a publication” form to notify CVE about a vulnerability publication.

* Select a request type

* Enter your e-mail address

Enter a PGP Key (to encrypt)

Required

* **Link to the advisory** **a**

URL of advisory including protocol and domain name, e.g., www.link.com, <https://link.org>.

* **CVE IDs of vulnerabilities to be published** **b**

Insert CVE IDs here. Separate with commas.

Optional

Date published (e.g., mm/dd/yyyy) **c**

Put today's date if this information has already been made public.

Additional information

Please provide any additional information you want to share with us.

- a. **Link to the advisory** – Provide a URL to the public advisory about the vulnerabilities.
- b. **CVE IDs of vulnerabilities** – List the CVE IDs, separated by commas, to be included in the advisory.
- c. **Optional information** – Provide the date of the publication and any other additional information.

Complete a “Request an update to an existing CVE” form if changes are needed in an existing CVE.

* Select a request type

* Enter your e-mail address

Enter a PGP Key (to encrypt)

Required

* **Type of update requested** **a**

* **CVE ID to be updated** **b**

Insert CVE ID here. If the issue involves multiple, related CVE IDs, separate with a comma

* **Describe update and rationale for requesting update** **c**

Optional

Link to references corroborating request rationale **d**

Please include one reference/URL per line including protocol and domain name, e.g., www.link.com, <https://link.org>.

- a. **Type of update** – Select the type of update being requested from the drop-down list.
- b. **CVE ID to be updated** – List the CVE ID for which the update is being requested.
- c. **Describe update** – Provide details about what change is needed.
- d. **Link to references** – Optionally, provide links to references that validate the need for an update.

Complete an “Other” request form for all other questions, issues, or comments.

* Select a request type

* Enter your e-mail address

Enter a PGP Key (to encrypt)

Required

* **Type of comment** **a**

* **Please provide your question, issue, comment, etc.**

Please provide any additional information you want to share with us here. **b**

- a. **Type of comment** – Select the type of comment from the drop-down list.
- b. **Provide question, issue, comment, etc.** – Provide your question, issue, comment, or other communication.