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Two-Factor Authentication

Add an extra layer of security to your cPanel login with two-factor authentication.

Two-factor authentication (2FA) requires a second verification step beyond your password when logging in to cPanel — significantly reducing the risk of unauthorized access.

Enable 2FA

1. Go to **Security → Two-Factor Authentication**.
2. Click **Set Up Two-Factor Authentication**.
3. Scan the QR code with an authenticator app such as Google Authenticator, Authy, or 1Password.
4. Enter the six-digit code from your app to confirm setup.
5. Save your backup or recovery codes in a secure location.

Log in with 2FA

After entering your cPanel username and password, open your authenticator app and enter the current time-based code when prompted.

Best practices

- Do not share authenticator devices or backup codes.
- Reconfigure 2FA if you replace your phone.
- Combine 2FA with a strong, unique cPanel password.

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