

About your website.

This is some information about what your website is, what it runs on, and the mechanisms in place to protect it.

This website is based on the WordPress engine, which is a framework for building websites that runs over 30% of the top 1 million websites on the internet. The website is build using a variety of paid for and free extensions, all license to Implexa Solutions. The website will be monitored, updated, and managed by Implexa Solutions. Updates to the extensions and the WordPress core software will be installed promptly after compatibility testing has been completed.

The website is hosted on Virtual Private Server, hosted by Digital Ocean. More info on Digital Ocean here: <u>https://www.digitalocean.com/legal/data-security/</u>

The website runs on a server shared with other websites hosted by Implexa Solutions. Each website is "sandboxed" with its own user account, so there can't be any collateral damage if one of the other websites is compromised.

All connections are HTTPS/TLS secured, with strong password best practices followed for all accounts.

The server is managed by an application called Server Pilot, which keeps the web server up to date with automatic patching. <u>https://serverpilot.io/</u>

The website will be protected by WebARX Security, an industry-leading provider of WordPress security services. Features include a Web Application Firewall (WAF) to block attacks, Software Vulnerability Monitoring, and Bruit Force Login Protection.

The website will be backed up to an offsite location once per week. The offsite data is stored via Microsoft's Commercial OneDrive Cloud Storage.

The server is also backed up once per week and stored on distributed hardware.

If there is a hardware failure, or the site is compromised due to an attack, the site can be brought back online from a backup in with 30 minutes.

The site uses a MySQL database to store information. This database uses strong passwords, complex usernames, and non-standard database prefixes to prevent any unauthorized users from gaining access.

WordPress websites are very portable, and good quality hosting providers are plentiful, so your website can be moved to another hosting provider within about 20 minutes.