

Git Password Deprecation

If you get the following email from git:

Hi @davemazur,

You recently used a password to access the repository at davemazur/tambootcamp-docker with git using git/2.30.0.

Basic authentication using a password to Git is deprecated and will soon no longer work. Visit <https://github.blog/2020-12-15-token-authentication-requirements-for-git-operations/> for more information around suggested workarounds and removal dates.

Thanks,
The GitHub Team

1. Update git to the latest version
2. Go to <https://docs.github.com/en/github/using-git/caching-your-github-credentials-in-git>
3. Tell Git to use osxkeychain helper using the global credential.helper config:

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$ git config --global credential.helper osxkeychain
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The next time you clone an HTTPS URL that requires authentication, Git will prompt you for your username and password. When Git prompts you for your password, enter your personal access token (PAT) instead. Password-based authentication for Git is deprecated, and using a PAT is more secure. For more information, see "[Creating a personal access token](#)."

4. Go to <https://docs.github.com/en/github/authenticating-to-github/creating-a-personal-access-token>
5. Copy your git PAT in a secure location

Once you've authenticated successfully, your credentials are stored in the macOS keychain and will be used every time you clone an HTTPS URL. You won't be required to type your credentials in to Git again unless you change your credentials.

If you need to update the macOS keychain:

<https://docs.github.com/en/github/using-git/updating-credentials-from-the-macos-keychain>

