**Practice Lab – Validate lab environment**

**Scenario**

In this Module 0 lab, you will acquire a Power Platform trial tenant and access the Power Platform admin center. In the admin center, we will create an individual environment for configuration during the course.

**Exercise 1 – Acquire your Power Platform trial tenant**

1. Copy your **Microsoft 365 credentials** from the Authorized Lab Hoster.
2. Navigate to [Power Apps](https://powerapps.microsoft.com/) and click **Start free**.
3. Under **Work email**, enter the email address from your Microsoft 365 credentials and click **Next**.
4. You will see a prompt that you have an existing account with Microsoft. Select **Sign in**.
5. Enter the password provided by the Authorized Lab Hoster.
6. Select **Yes** to stay signed in.
7. Enter your country or region and Phone Number. Select **Get Started**.
8. Click **Get Started** again.

**NOTE**

If you encounter an error: "Sorry, there's been a disconnect", you can follow the steps below. If not, you can continue to **Exercise 2**.

1. Navigate to [Power Apps Maker Portal](https://make.powerapps.com/).
2. Select the **Gear Icon** (Settings) from top-right corner on the header of the page.
3. Select **Plan(s)** and verify if you have **Power Apps Per User Plan Trial**.
4. If you have the above mentioned license, please proceed to **Exercise 2** otherwise repeat **Exercise 1**.

**Exercise 2 - Create your environment**

In this exercise, you will create a **Practice** environment that you will use to do the majority of the lab work in this training.

**Task 1 – Create environment**

1. Navigate to [Power Platform admin center](https://admin.powerplatform.microsoft.com/) and log in with your Microsoft 365 credentials if prompted again.
2. Select **Environments** and click **+ New**.
   * For **Name**, enter **[my initials] Practice**. (Example: AJ Practice.)
   * For **Type**, select **Trial**.
   * Change the toggle on **Create a database for this environment?** to **Yes**.
   * Leave all other selections as default and click **Next**.
   * On the next tab, leave all selections to default and click **Save**.
3. Your **Practice** environment should now show in the list of Environments.
4. Your environment may take a few minutes to provision. Refresh the page if needed. When your environment is prepared, select your **Practice** environment by clicking on the ellipses next to its name to expand the drop down menu and select **Settings.**
5. Explore the different areas in **Settings** that you are interested in but do not make any changes.