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Elected Officials Directory Service (EODS) Trial Setup Guide

The KnowWho Elected Officials Directory Service (EODS) was developed to accept and return strings of XML and JSON with the input containing one U.S. address and the output containing varying amounts of data for each submitted address.
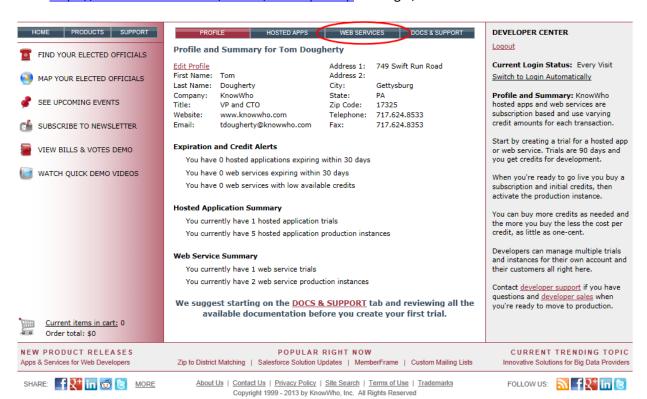
The service is utilized through the purchasing of the EODS and the maintaining of credits. For each U.S. address that is submitted and successfully resolved, the customer's credit balance will be decremented by one (1) for each level of government subscribed (Federal, State, Local). Submitted addresses that cannot be resolved, and therefore return no data, do not decrement the customer's credit balance.

The service is available for three levels of government: U.S. Federal Government, State Government, and Local Government. A customer can subscribe to any combination of these.

SETTING UP AN EODS TRIAL

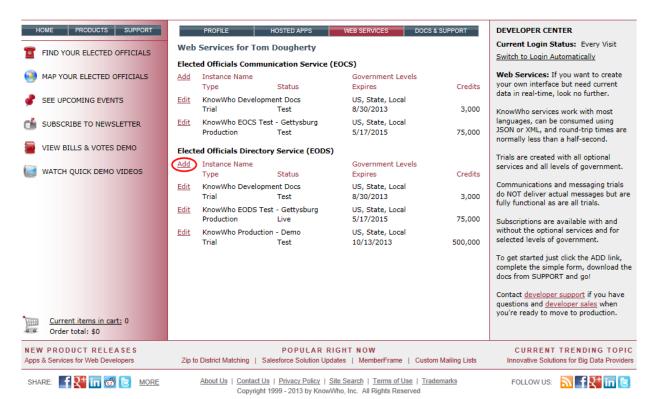Setting up an EODS trial is quite easy and should take only a few minutes by following these instructions.

Go to https://www.knowwho.com/secure/developer.asp and login, then click on the **WEB SERVICES** tab.

Click on **Add** under the Elected Officials Directory Service (EODS) header.

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Complete ALL the fields with black labels. **Service Status** is pre-selected and cannot be changed for a trial. **Service Level** is default selected as Basic Content but Premium Content is also available. **Customer IP's** can be entered as a single IP, multiple IP's separated by semi-colons with no spaces, as a range separated with a dash with no spaces or a combination of all of these.

205.134.170.185 or 205.134.170.185;205.134.170.192 or 205.134.170.160-205.134.170.192 are all acceptable entries and these are your addresses used to authenticate your service requests as valid.
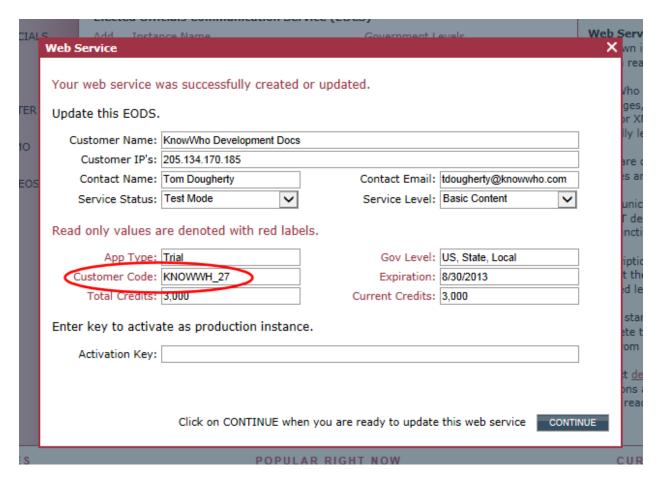
Your trial is now registered and ready for use. You can return to this form at any time to edit values, add IP addresses and reference the **Customer Code** which you will need to include in all your requests.

Note that all trials are valid for 90 days and you get 3,000 credits for development and testing. Trials are also setup for US, State and Local governments but subscriptions can be obtained for individual levels.

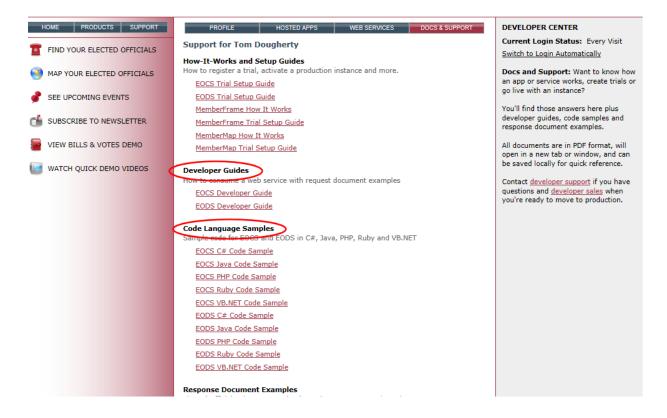Return to **WEB SERVICES** to see a quick status review of your current trial or production instances.

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