How to distribute a mobile Application for iOS and Android devices?

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You want to release a new mobile Application in the Fresenius App Store or update an app that is already available? You can do this via the "Mobile App Distribution Service".

Please fill out the form with the requested information, to start the process.

Timeline

On Average, handling of an App Distribution request takes about 3 working days. For productive releases, we recommend to plan one week for the whole process.

Types

There are four different types of the Service:

Type 1 - Management of Mobile Application

(1001005, typical estimated effort: 2 hours)

Changes to an already existing App (e.g. adding more users, deleting the App,..)

Type 2 - Deployment of public Mobile Application

(1001006, typical estimated effort: 4 hours)

Choose this option, if you want to deploy a mobile App in Fresenius, that is currently already available in the public App Store (Apple AppStore / Google PlayStore).

Type 3 - Deployment of custom Mobile Application

(1001007, typical estimated effort: 1 person day)

Choose this option, if you want to deploy an application that has been specially developed or configured for your use-case and should now be made available in Fresenius. Also the App doesn't need access to internal resources (like Websites or servers, only available via the Intranet or VPN)

Type 4 - Deployment of custom Mobile Application with internal access

(1001008, typical estimated effort: 2 person days)

Choose this option, if you want to deploy an application that has been specially developed or configured for your use-case and should now be made available in Fresenius. Also the App needs access to internal resources (like Websites or servers, only available via the Intranet or VPN)

Fields

Comments

The content of the comment field is dependent on the selected Type. e.g. for Type 1, please add the additional users that should get access to the App or should get removed the access.

App Name

Please specify the name of your App, as shown on the Mobile Devices, here.

Version

Please specify the version number of your App (e.g. 1.0.23)

Description

Please add a short description of your App here. This description will also be used in the internal store, when possible.

IT-Demand Number

Please add the number of your IT-Demand or another unique identifier of your purchase process here.

Is the request an update for already distributed app?

Please choose "yes" if the App has already been deployed via this Service.

Otherwise, please choose "no".

Licensing matters

Please confirm that the application owner holds all responsibility for licensing matters. All licenses in the application have to be acquired properly.

Only Option Yes is valid for submitting request.

Is the App already available in the official Apple/Google App Stores?

Please choose "yes" if the App is already available in the Apple AppStore / Google PlayStore and should now be made available for Fresenius employees.

Please choose "no", if the App has been developed/configured for your use-case, and the developer has made the App Files (ipa/apk) available for you.

Download Package Links

Please specify the Links where your App can be downloaded.

If you App is already available in the Apple AppStore / Google PlayStore, please add the Links to the Stores.

If the App has been developed/configured for your use-case, please specifiy the Links to the App files (ipa/apk).

Developer contact

Please provide the contact (e.g. Name, E-Mail, telephone, address) of the App developer.

Internal access

Please choose "yes" if the App needs access to internal resources (like Websites or servers, only available via the Intranet or VPN), otherwise choose "no".

Please provide the name of the desired store

Please choose "Fresenius App Store", if the App should be distributed through the Fresenius AppStore to Fresenius company devices. (This option is necessary if you answered with "yes" for internal access)

Please choose "Apple App Store", if the App is developed for Apple iOS devices (iPhone, iPad, AppleTV) and should be made available publicly.

Please choose "Google Play Store", if the App is developed for Android devices (iPhone, iPad, AppleTV) and should be made available publicly.

Please provide the name of the test users

Please enter at least one user E-Mail address, that should test the App distribution.

Example:

E-Mail Adresses

Active-Directory Group

Please provide the name of the productive users

Please enter the E-Mail addresses of the users, the App should be distributed to (only "Fresenius App Store"). You can also provide an Active-Directory group alternatively.

Example:

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Active-Directory Group

Apple/Google AppStore Terms & Agreements

As the infrastructure of Apple/Google is used for the distribution of mobile Applications, Terms&Agreements; of these App Stores also apply when distributing your App in the "Fresenius App Store".

Process Overview

After the request has been sent and is approved by the selected approver, the following steps are taken:

Check of the Request (completeness, consistency, data correctness, ...) AppCheck (s. Fresenius 3rd Party Development Guidelines) creation of a Risk Responsehanding over the Risk Response

After you have received the Risk Response document, please validated the named risks. If risks have been found in your App, please define actions to mitigate the risks, or alternatively accept them. If appropriate, the risks should be synchronized with the IT- or Data-security officer in charge.

Afterwards you can send the signed document back to us. We will then start the App distribution.

Hint: The Fresenius 3rd party App Distribution Guidelines are the basis for the App Check.

Hint: When distributing an Application in the internal Fresenius Store, please note the Checklist Internal Release

Hint: When distributing an Application in a public AppStore, please note the AppStore Submission Checklist