

# Washington DC Platform security

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## Authenticator Applications

Use third party authenticator applications to generate temporary MFA pass codes.

An authenticator application is third-party software that generates temporary passcodes. You can use these passcodes along with your password to login into an instance that requires multi-factor authentication (MFA).

If your administrator has enabled MFA on your instance, you see a prompt for a passcode after entering your user and password during login.

ServiceNow requires authenticator applications that support Time-based One-time Passwords (TOTP). ServiceNow tests MFA with the following authenticators:

- Google Authenticator
- Microsoft Authenticator
- LastPass Authenticator
- Authy
- FreeOTP
- Duo
- Okta Verify

### Multi-Factor Authentication

Enter the code generated by your authenticator app

6-digit code

Receive a code via email

Log in

or

Login with web authentication (FIDO2)

☐ Do not challenge for MFA on this browser for the next 8 hours

☐ Register this device or a hardware security key for web authentication

**Note:** Other authenticators not listed might also be compatible, but are not tested by ServiceNow.

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