



Maryland State Board of Elections

New Maryland Campaign Reporting Information System (MD CRIS) FAQ

1. **Question:** When will the new Maryland Campaign Reporting Information System (MD CRIS) go live?
Answer: December 5th, 2025.
2. **Question:** Should I create a new account once the new system goes live?
Answer: No, please do not create a new account. You will receive an account setup email so that you can access your existing account. Please contact us if you need the email re-sent.
3. **Question:** Will my data already entered in the old MD CRIS be transferred to the new MD CRIS?
Answer: Yes, any data entered before the cutoff date will transfer over.
4. **Question:** Will my username or password change in the new MD CRIS system?
Answer: You will be prompted to create a new password; your username will remain the same.
5. **Question:** Will my CCF ID number change?
Answer: No, your CCF ID number will remain the same.
6. **Question:** Are there any other changes expected with logging into the new MD CRIS System?
Answer: Yes. The new system will have two-point authentication. You will be required to choose a phone number or an email that has been listed on your account to receive a push notification to authenticate. From there, you will create a new password for the system.
7. **Question:** When will the new MD CRIS training start for filers?
Answer: Training will begin on Monday, December 8th, and continue through January 15th, 2026.
8. **Question:** How do I sign up for the MD CRIS training?
Answer: You can complete the sign-up process by using the Google Form that will be sent.
9. **Question:** Will the training be in-person or virtual?
Answer: The majority of the training will be conducted virtually; however, you can request in-person training if desired.
10. **Question:** Who do I contact if I have technical issues with the new MD CRIS system?
Answer: Please contact the Candidacy and Campaign Finance department at 410-269-2880 or ccf.sbe@maryland.gov.