

Lifeline Representative Accountability Database (RAD)

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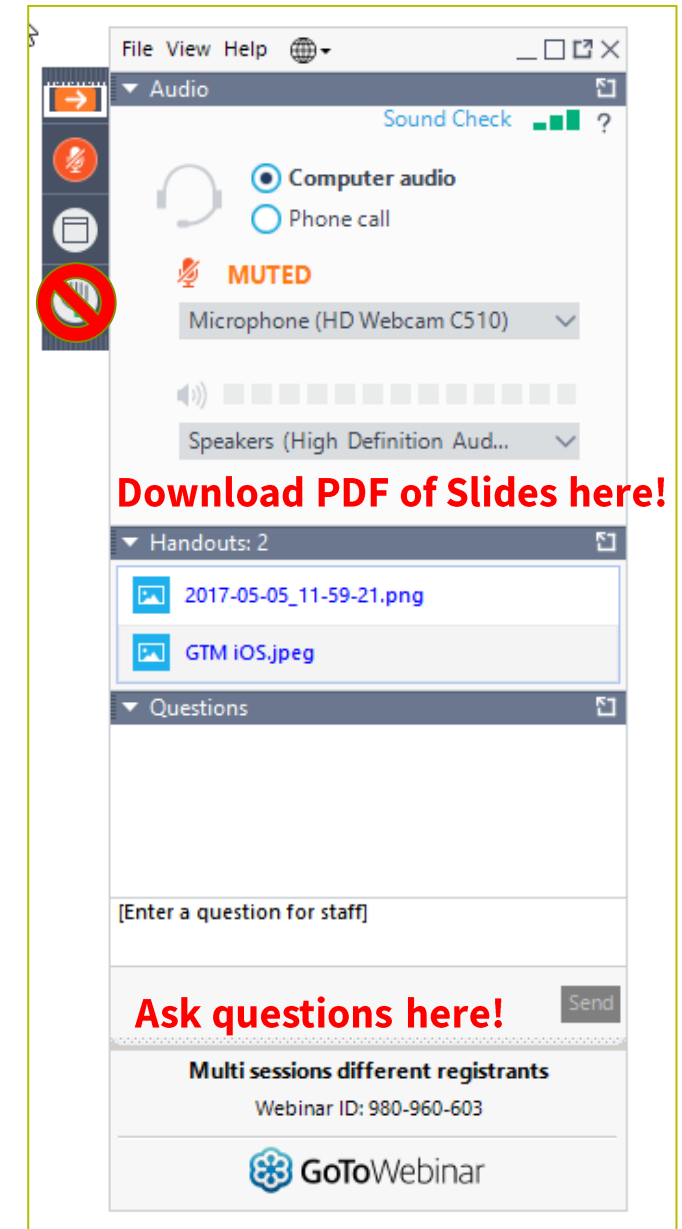
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Objectives

At the end of the session, you will...



...understand:

- The basic functions of the Representative Accountability Database (RAD).
- How to resolve RAD registration errors.

...be able to:



- Register for a Representative ID (Rep ID).
- Submit documents to resolve registration errors.
- Link Rep IDs to RAD accounts.
- Retrieve and update RAD accounts.
- Complete annual agreement process.
- Locate RAD related resources.

Agenda

- Overview
- Registration
- Resolving Registration Errors
- Linking Accounts
- Annual Agreement Process
- Retrieving/Updating Rep ID
- Resources

Overview

Overview

- RAD is a registration system that validates the identities of service provider representatives performing transactions in the [National Lifeline Accountability Database](#) (NLAD) and the [National Verifier](#) (NV).
- Your Rep ID is a unique number that connects your identity to the transactions you complete in NLAD and the NV.
 - Do not share your Rep ID with anyone besides the carrier(s) for which you work.

Overview

Register

- **Self-register** and receive a Rep ID at LifelineRAD.org.

Link

- Share Rep ID with your Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Administrator (ETC Admin). **The ETC Admin links the Rep ID** to your company in NLAD.

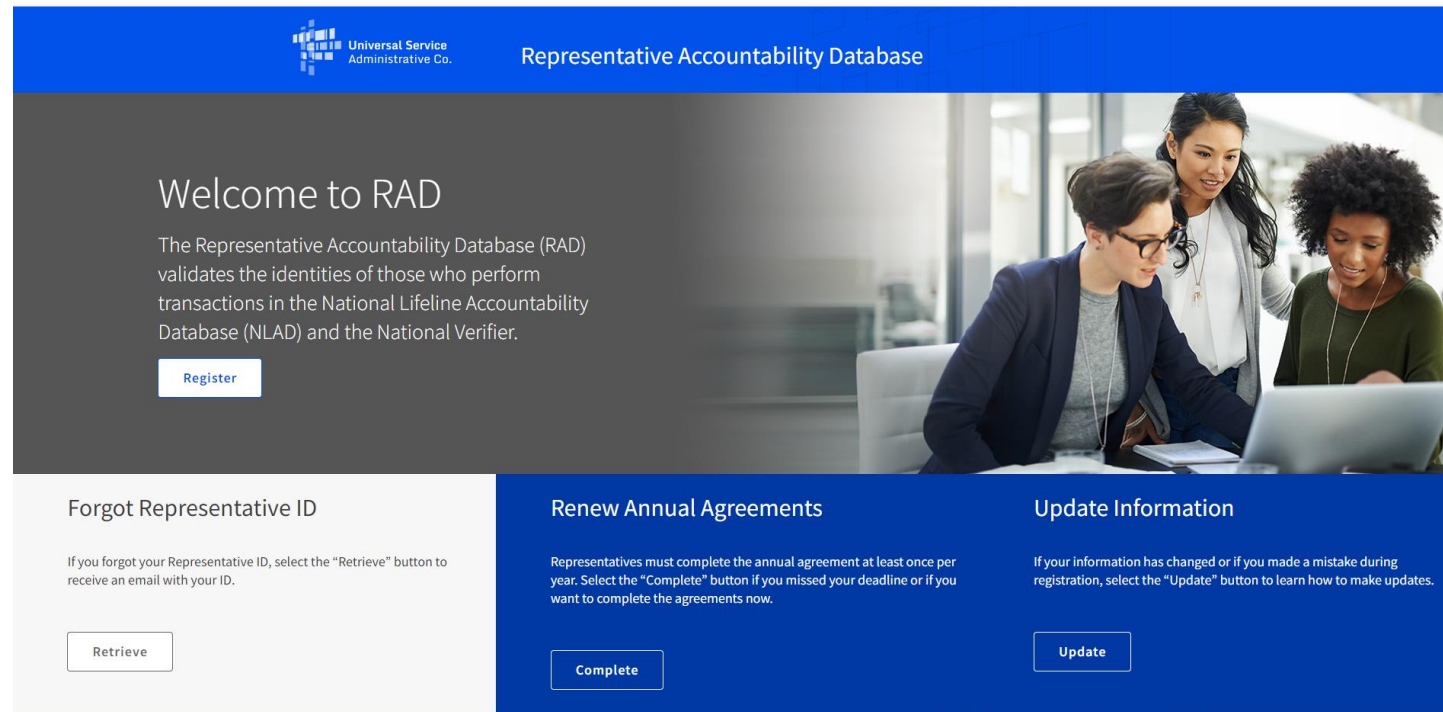
Perform

- After your Rep ID is linked, you can access and perform **transactions** in the NV and NLAD.

Registration

Registration

- Self-register for a Rep ID at LifelineRAD.org.



Note: From the RAD homepage, you can also retrieve your Rep ID, complete your annual agreement, and update your information.

Registration

- Self-register for your Rep ID using a personal email address.*
 - Using a personal email will ensure that you still have access if you work for more than one company, or if you shift roles and are not able to access a company email.
 - USAC will use this email address to communicate with you throughout the registration process.
 - This email will also be used to retrieve your Rep ID, if it is forgotten.

* **Note:** Avoid using temporary email addresses such as ProtonMail or SalezEmailz.

Representative Registration

Please submit your personal email address below to begin the process of obtaining a Representative ID. A Representative ID is needed if you work for an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) that provides Lifeline. You will receive additional information by email after selecting the Submit button. For more information on the Representative Accountability Database and who should register for a Representative ID, please visit USAC's [website](#).


Email Address

test@email.com

example@email.com

[Forgot Representative ID?](#)

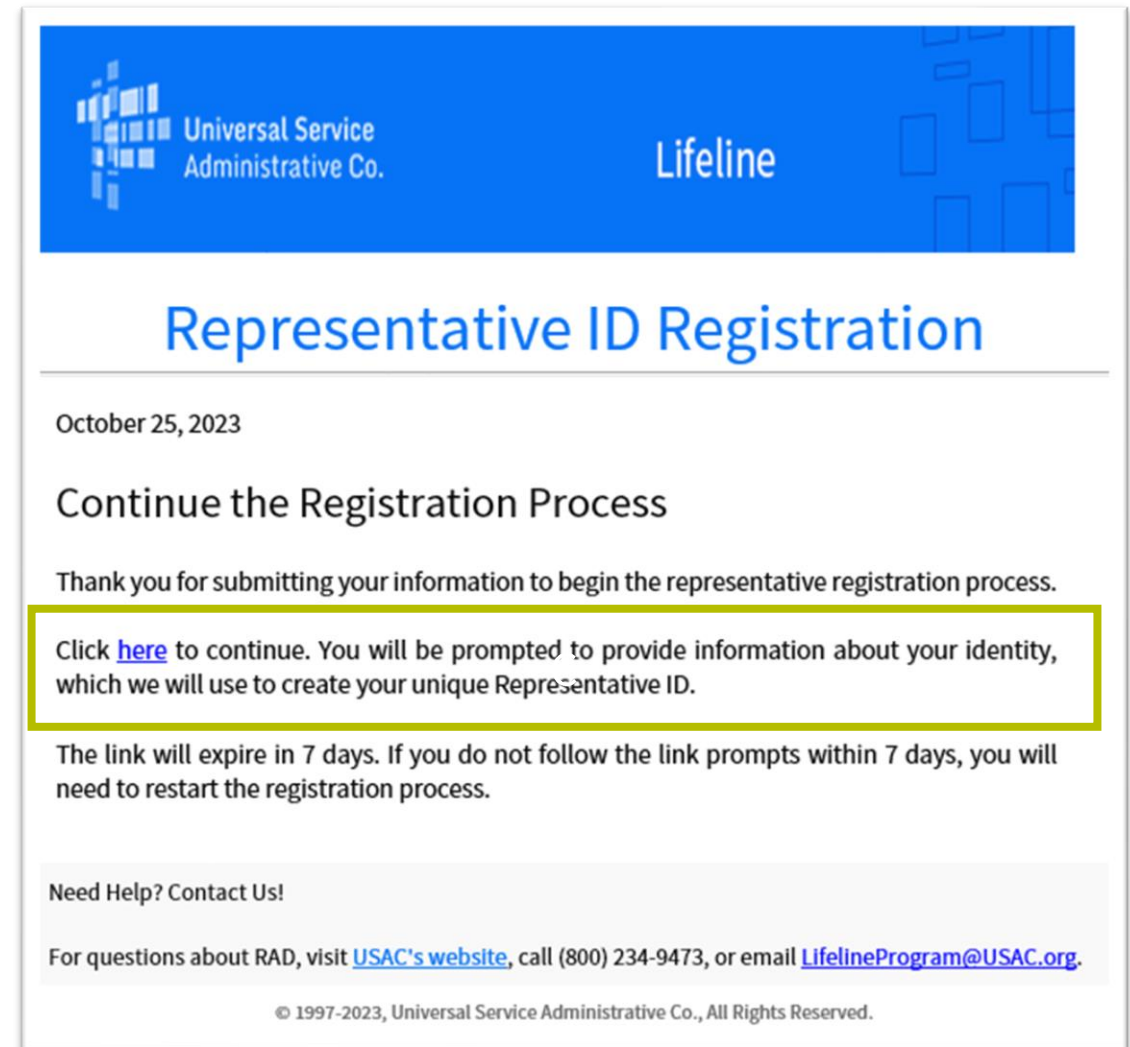
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Submit

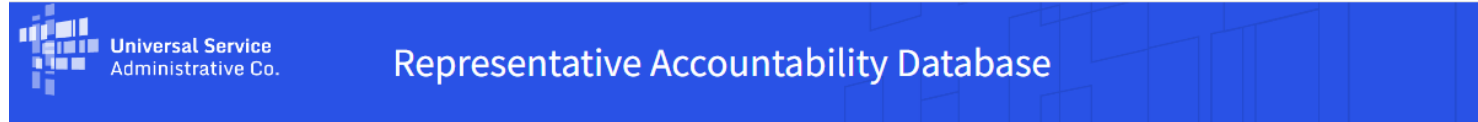
Registration

- An email notification will be sent to continue the RAD registration process.
- The email notification will provide a link to get started and will remain active for 7 days. If the link expires, restart the registration process.
 - **Note:** Email notifications will be sent from noreply@usac.org. Be sure to monitor your spam inbox.



Registration

- Enter your full legal name.
 - USAC recommends using the name on record with your employer.
- Ensure there are no extra spaces in your account name.



Representative Registration

The information below will be used to validate your identity.

Full Legal Name The name you use on official documents, like your Social Security Card or State ID. Not a nickname.	
First Name <input type="text"/>	Middle Name (optional) <input type="text"/>
Last Name <input type="text"/>	Suffix (optional) <input type="text"/>

Registration

- Enter a residential or work address.
 - Providing a residential address can enhance automated identity validation, eliminating the need for the representative to submit identity documents.
- International representatives should:
 - Leave this field blank.
 - In the “Zip Code” field enter “00000.”
 - In the “State” field select “IT” from the state dropdown menu.

Address

Please provide your residential or business address.

Street Address		Apt., Unit, etc. (optional)
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
City	State	Zip Code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="▼"/>	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth		
<input type="text"/>		
<small>MM/DD/YYYY</small>		
Last 4 digits of Social Security Number (SSN) (optional) ?		
<input type="text"/>		
Email : test@email.com		

Note: Service providers employed outside of the United States must follow the [international representative registration process](#).

Registration

- Enter the last four digits of your social security number (SSN4).
 - SSN4 is optional; however, representatives that opt out of submitting their SSN4 will need to submit documentation to verify their identity, which will delay the registration process.

Address
Please provide your residential or business address.


Street Address		Apt., Unit, etc. (optional)
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
City	State	Zip Code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="▼"/>	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth		
<input type="text"/>		
<small>MM/DD/YYYY</small>		
Last 4 digits of Social Security Number (SSN) (optional) ?		
<input type="text"/>		
Email : test@email.com		

Registration

- Select and complete the three security questions.


Help us secure your information. Select three security questions to which only you know the answers. Make sure that you can remember your answers. These questions will help you retrieve your Representative ID if you forget it.

Security Question 1

Select one 


Your Answer to Security Question 1

Security Question 2

Select one 

Your Answer to Security Question 2

Security Question 3

Select one 

Your Answer to Security Question 3

Note: Document and save your security question responses. This information is used to retrieve your Rep ID.

Registration

- Read and acknowledge the security statements to indicate you agree to USAC's data collection policies and have provided accurate information to request a Rep ID.

☐ By checking this box you agree that all of the information you are providing may be collected, used, shared, and retained by USAC for the purposes of applying for and receiving a Representative ID.

☐ I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I am providing my own information to apply for a Representative ID and that all requested identification information has been provided and is accurate. I know that I must comply with all rules and regulations for the federal Lifeline program. I know that willingly giving false information or engaging in fraudulent behavior to qualify or enroll individuals in the Lifeline Program is punishable by law, including imprisonment. I understand that, once received, a Representative Identification number is issued for a specific individual and is not transferable.

Next

Registration

- Read and acknowledge each annual agreement statement to indicate you will comply with the appropriate use of RAD, NLAD, and NV systems.

Annual Agreement

To begin or continue performing National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) and/or Lifeline National Eligibility Verifier (National Verifier) transactions, review and agree to the following:

- ☐ The information associated with my representative ID is current and accurate.
- ☐ I will always update my contact information in RAD within 30 days of a change.
- ☐ I will always use my Representative ID to perform transactions in NLAD and the National Verifier.
- ☐ My Representative ID is my unique identification. No one else may use my Representative ID. I will not provide my Representative ID to anyone except the service provider(s) I work for.
- ☐ I will not use or provide any fraudulent, misleading, or inaccurate information when performing Lifeline transactions.
- ☐ I acknowledge that I will only use NLAD and the National Verifier for their specified purposes.
- ☐ I understand and agree to the [National Verifier terms and conditions](#). ☐ I understand and agree to the [NLAD terms and conditions](#).
- ☐ I understand and agree to the [RAD terms and conditions](#).
- ☐ I acknowledge that I am providing information to the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), a U.S.-based entity created by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that performs activities on behalf of the FCC.
- ☐ If I fail to comply with any of the above requirements, USAC's guidance, the FCC's program rules, or any applicable laws, I understand that my access to NLAD and/or National Verifier may be suspended or terminated for unauthorized and/or unlawful use and the service provider may be subject to FCC enforcement action and law enforcement prosecution as a result of my actions.

Registration

- Complete your registration by typing your full legal name in the signature box.

Your Signature

Type your full legal name below.

TEST TESTING

☐ I understand this is a digital signature, and is the same as if I signed my name by pen.

[Back](#)[Next](#)

Registration

- Review your information and confirm each field is correct.

Review Your Information

Full Legal Name :	Test Testing
Address :	123 Main Street
	Town, DC 20006
Date of Birth :	January 1, 1990
Last 4 digits of SSN :	1111
Email :	test@email.com
Security Question 1 :	In what city/town was your first job?
Your Answer :	abc
Security Question 2 :	What elementary school did you go to?
Your Answer :	abcd
Security Question 3 :	What time was your first child born? (for example, 6:30AM)
Your Answer :	1:00

[Edit](#) [Submit](#)

Registration

- When the registration process is completed, a next steps message will appear notifying you to check the email you used to create your Rep ID.

Next Steps ...

Thank you for submitting your information. Please check your email for additional information and next steps.

Didn't get an email? Click [here](#) to resend.

Registration

- An email notification will indicate a successful registration and provide your Rep ID.

Representative ID Registration

January 11, 2022

Registration Complete

Thank you for submitting additional documentation to complete the representative registration process. Your Representative ID number is: W02T11237.

Your Representative ID is a unique number that will be connected to all of your Lifeline Program transactions. Please retain this information for your records.

In addition, please provide your Representative ID to all Lifeline carriers for which you verify consumer eligibility, perform enrollments, or otherwise interact with Lifeline consumers. They will need this information to create an account for you in the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) or the National Verifier. You will be unable to verify subscribers' eligibility or perform enrollments until your Representative ID is associated with an account.

Need Help? Contact Us!

For questions about RAD, visit [USAC's website](#), call (800) 234-9473, or email LifelineSupport@usac.org.

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Resolving Registration Errors

Resolving Registration Errors

- If there is a registration error that needs to be resolved, you will be notified via email from noreply@usac.org.
 - Be sure to monitor your spam inbox.
- The notification will include:
 - The error type.
 - Instructions on how to resolve the error.



Representative ID Registration

October 26, 2023

Documentation Needed

Thank you for beginning the representative registration process and submitting your information. We were unable to verify your identity. When attempting to validate your information, we encountered the following errors:

- Identity not found

Your Representative ID number is: 1024AJTXP; however, you will not be able to use your Representative ID until you have resolved the errors above.

To verify your identity, submit the [RAD cover sheet](#) and a copy of your documentation to the Lifeline Support Center online through [USAC's secure webpage](#) or through the mail at PO Box 9100, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18773. Please include your Representative ID provided above on the cover sheet submitted with your documentation. Submit your documentation within 45 days of receiving this email. If you do not submit your documentation within the 45-day window, you will have to restart the registration process.

You can review acceptable forms of documentation and what documentation resolves specific error messages [here](#).

Need Help? Contact Us!

For questions about RAD, visit [USAC's website](#), call (800) 234-9473, or email LifelineProgram@USAC.org.

Resolving Registration Errors

- The following messages are errors that you may encounter when attempting to register for a Rep ID and the documents to resolve the errors.

Error	Information Needed to Resolve Error
Identity not found	First and last name, date of birth, and last four digits of SSN
SSN4 cannot be verified	First and last name, date of birth, and last four digits of SSN.
Date of birth cannot be verified	First and last name and date of birth.
Identified as a duplicate	First and last name and date of birth.
Identified as deceased	First and last name, date of birth, the last four digits of SSN, and proof of life by submitting acceptable documentation dated within the previous three (3) months.
Opt out of including SSN4	First and last name, date of birth, and the last four digits of SSN.

Resolving Registration Errors

Submitting Documentation

- USAC manually reviews identity documentation for any individual whose identity cannot be verified automatically or who is identified as a duplicate.
- This review must be complete, and all errors resolved prior to use of a Rep ID.
- A [RAD Cover Sheet](#) must be included with any documentation submitted to resolve an error.



Resolving Registration Errors

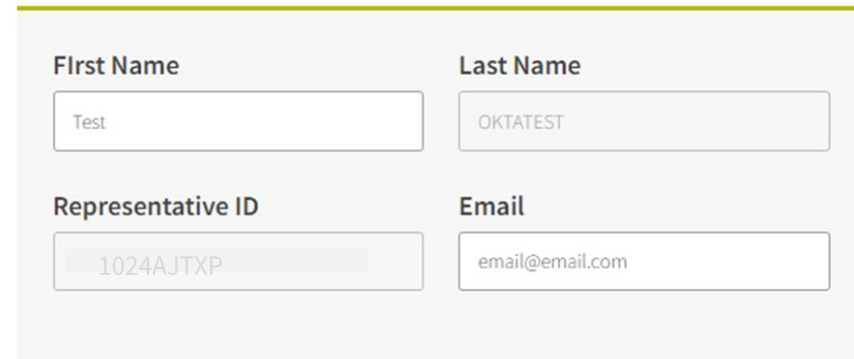
Submitting Documentation

- Representatives may submit documentation to resolve registration errors through:
 - USAC's [Secure Webpage](#) or
 - Via mail
 - Lifeline Support Center:
PO Box 9100
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18773
- A [RAD Cover Sheet](#) must be included with any documentation submitted to resolve an error.

Resolving Registration Errors

Submitting Documentation Using Secure Webpage

- Provide your first name and email address.
 - Your Rep ID and last name will be populated.
- Select Choose File and upload your documents. Select Submit.



A registration form with four input fields arranged in a 2x2 grid. The fields are labeled 'First Name', 'Last Name', 'Representative ID', and 'Email'. The 'First Name' field contains the text 'Test'. The 'Last Name' field contains the text 'OKTATEST'. The 'Representative ID' field contains the text '1024AJTXP'. The 'Email' field contains the text 'email@email.com'.

First Name	Last Name
Test	OKTATEST
Representative ID	Email
1024AJTXP	email@email.com

Give us your documents

- You can use the following file types: .jpg, .jpeg, .png, .pdf, or .gif
- Make sure that your file is not too large. The size limit is 10MB.
- If you are using a phone, you can take a photo of your document and upload it.

Choose file

Submit

Note: View the [RAD Documentation Upload Process](#) for a step-by-step overview of how to submit documents using USAC's Secure Webpage.

Resolving Registration Errors

Submitting Documentation Using Secure Webpage

- Documents successfully submitted through USAC's [Secure Webpage](#), will receive the message below.

☑ We received your document(s)!

It takes 3-5 business days to review documentation. Once a review has been completed, you will receive an email advising on next steps.

Note: Manual review of submitted documents takes approximately 3-5 days. You will be notified of approved documents via email. If documents are not approved, more documents may be needed. View more information on [acceptable documents](#).

Resolving Registration Errors

Submitting Documentation Reminders

- You must submit documentation within **45 days** of being notified that additional information is needed. If registration errors are not resolved in 45 days, you will need to re-register.
- USAC recommends submitting documentation that includes the DOB and the last four digits of the SSN.
- If you opt out of submitting the last four digits of the SSN you will be required to submit official, unexpired documentation with your name and date of birth, such as a driver's license or passport.
- Emailed documentation will not be accepted.



Questions?

Linking Accounts

Linking Accounts

- After registering in RAD and receiving a Rep ID, your next step is to share your Rep ID with the service provider you work for:
 - 497 Officers are responsible for linking the Rep ID to the ETC Administrator user role in NLAD.
 - ETC Administrators are responsible for linking the Rep ID to subaccount user roles including:
 - ETC Analyst, ETC Agent, ETC Operations
 - API accounts
 - Batch users
- Link your Rep ID to an existing or new NLAD account (ETC Admin must perform this step).

Linking Accounts

New NLAD Subaccount

To link a Rep ID to a new NLAD subaccount, the ETC Admin will:

- Login to NLAD through [One Portal](#).

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Sign Out

etc.admin@uat.com

Dashboard

ⓘ In accordance with the Supply Chain orders, new certifications have been added to the following forms: RHC - FCC Form 463 and the Telecom invoice, E-rate - FCC Form 473, and High Cost & Lifeline - FCC Form 481. Service providers are required to submit these annual certifications. For additional information, visit the [USAC Supply Chain](#) page. ✕

Upcoming Dates

04/13 2022	April 2022 Monthly Webinar
05/11 2022	May 2022 Monthly Webinar
06/08 2022	June 2022 Monthly Webinar

Lifeline

National Verifier - All participating service providers use the National Verifier to help prospective consumers apply and verify eligibility for the federal Lifeline benefit or the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP).

National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) - Service providers enroll Lifeline or ACP subscribers in NLAD to identify recipients, prevent duplicate benefits, and track household usage. Service providers must register a subscriber in NLAD for a company to claim Lifeline or ACP reimbursement.

Help?

Send us a message
[Click here](#)

Call us
(888) 641-8722

Linking Accounts

New NLAD Subaccount

- Select **Account Management** from the mega menu.
- Select **Create Subaccount**.

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) website. The header is blue with the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo on the left, the title "National Lifeline Accountability Database" in the center, and a bell icon and email address "etc.admin@uat.com" on the right. Below the header is a white navigation bar with five links: "Subscriber Management", "ACP Subscriber Management", "Claims", "Account Management" (highlighted with a yellow border), and "Tools & Resources". Below the navigation bar is a breadcrumb trail: "USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management". The main heading "Account Management" is displayed in blue, followed by the subheading "Create, manage, and review subaccounts for your SPINs". A list of seven links with descriptions follows:

- [497 Officer Home Page](#) - Review ETC Administrator Accounts and manage SPIN assignments.
- [ETC Administrator Home Page](#) - Maintain SAC Information.
- [Manage Representative IDs](#) - Link one or more Representatives who have an existing subaccount.
- [Manage Subaccounts](#) - Review NLAD and National Verifier subaccounts and select accounts to update.
- [Create Subaccounts](#) - Create a new NLAD or National Verifier subaccount.
- [Create ETC API Account](#) - Create a new NLAD or National Verifier API Account.
- [Manage Email Recipients](#) - Assign contacts to receive NLAD-related emails.

Linking Accounts

New NLAD Subaccount

- Enter and confirm the email address of the authorized NLAD user and select **Submit**.

The screenshot shows the 'Create Subaccount' page of the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD). The page has a blue header with the USAC logo and 'Universal Service Administrative Co.' on the left, 'National Lifeline Accountability Database' in the center, and a bell icon with 'capdty@etc.com' on the right. Below the header is a navigation bar with 'Subscriber Management', 'Account Management' (highlighted with a yellow underline), and 'Tools & Resources'. A breadcrumb trail reads 'USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management | Create Subaccount'. The main heading is 'Create Subaccount'. To the right of the heading is a link for 'Instructions'. The form area is titled 'Authorized NLAD User Information' and contains two input fields: 'Email Address' and 'Confirm Email Address'. A blue 'Submit' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management | Create Subaccount

Create Subaccount

[Instructions](#)

Authorized NLAD User Information

Email Address

Confirm Email Address

Submit

Linking Accounts

New NLAD Subaccount

- Enter the authorized user information to include:
 - First Name
 - Last Name
 - Phone Number
 - Rep ID

The screenshot shows the 'National Lifeline Accountability Database' interface. The top navigation bar is blue with the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo, the title 'National Lifeline Accountability Database', a bell icon, and the email 'capcity@etc.com'. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with 'Subscriber Management', 'Account Management' (highlighted with a green underline), and 'Tools & Resources'. A breadcrumb trail reads 'USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management | Create Subaccount'. The main heading is 'Create Subaccount' with an 'Instructions' link. The form is titled 'Authorized User Information' and contains the following fields: 'Email' (pre-filled with 'testing2021@uat.com'), 'First Name', 'Last Name', 'Phone Number', and 'Representative ID'. Below these is a section 'Master Agent for Authorized User' with a checkbox labeled 'Master Agent for Authorized User (optional)'.

Note: The Master Agent is an optional field. The ETC Admin should provide Master Agent information for applicable representatives.

Linking Accounts

Existing NLAD Subaccounts

To link an existing NLAD subaccount:

- The ETC Admin or 497 Officer will select **Account Management** from the mega menu.
- Select **Manage Representative IDs**.
- Select **Choose File**.

The screenshot displays the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) interface. The top navigation bar includes the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo, the title "National Lifeline Accountability Database", a notification bell, and the email "etc.admin@uat.com". Below this, a menu bar highlights "Account Management" in a yellow box, with other options like "Subscriber Management", "ACP Subscriber Management", "Claims", and "Tools & Resources". The breadcrumb trail shows "USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management | Manage Representative IDs". The main heading is "Manage Representative IDs", with a PDF icon and "Instructions" link to the right. A section titled "Upload a file" contains a blue "Choose File" button. Below this, a table displays upload records. The table has columns for Filename, Submitted Date, Rows Processed, Status, Representatives Submitted, Rejected, and Errors. One record is shown with the filename "ETCAdminLinkUAT.c...", submitted on 09/20/2021 at 12:31 pm, with 1 row processed, a SUCCESS status, 1 representative submitted, 0 rejected, and 0 errors.

Filename	Submitted Date	Rows Processed	Status	Representatives Submitted	Rejected	Errors
ETCAdminLinkUAT.c...	09/20/2021 12:31 pm	1	SUCCESS	1	0	

Linking Accounts

Existing NLAD Subaccount

- Upload a completed [Linking Representatives File Upload Template](#).


	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
1	linkType	firstName	lastName	represent	userName	apild	batch	masterAge	masterAge	masterAgentRepID	
2											
3											
4											
5											

Note: Only an ETC Admin or 497 Officer is authorized to complete a file upload.


Linking Accounts

Existing NLAD Subaccounts

- After uploading the Linking Representative File, this column will display how many rows in the file were rejected.
- You can also download the error file by clicking the icon.

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National Lifeline Accountability Database

 etc.admin@uat.com

Subscriber Management

ACP Subscriber Management


Claims

Account Management

Tools & Resources

USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Account Management | Manage Representative IDs




Manage Representative IDs

 [Instructions](#)

Upload a file

Choose File



Displaying 1-3 of 3 records

Filename	Submitted Date	Rows Processed	Status	Representatives Submitted	Rejected	Errors
radtest.csv	01/27/2020 10:06 am	1	ERRORS	1	1	
radtest.csv	01/27/2020 10:04 am	1	ERRORS	1	1	
radtest.csv	01/27/2020 10:03 am	4	ERRORS	4	4	

Show

25

 records/page

 1  of 1 pages

Linking Accounts

Existing NLAD Subaccounts

Reminders when completing the template:

- All column headers are required in the file template.
- Do not include spaces after a representative's name when populating template.
- Only "UserName" should be populated to link Rep IDs to user accounts (leave "apild" and "Batch" columns blank).
- The username being linked must match the name registering for the Rep ID.

Linking Accounts

Linking to API ID

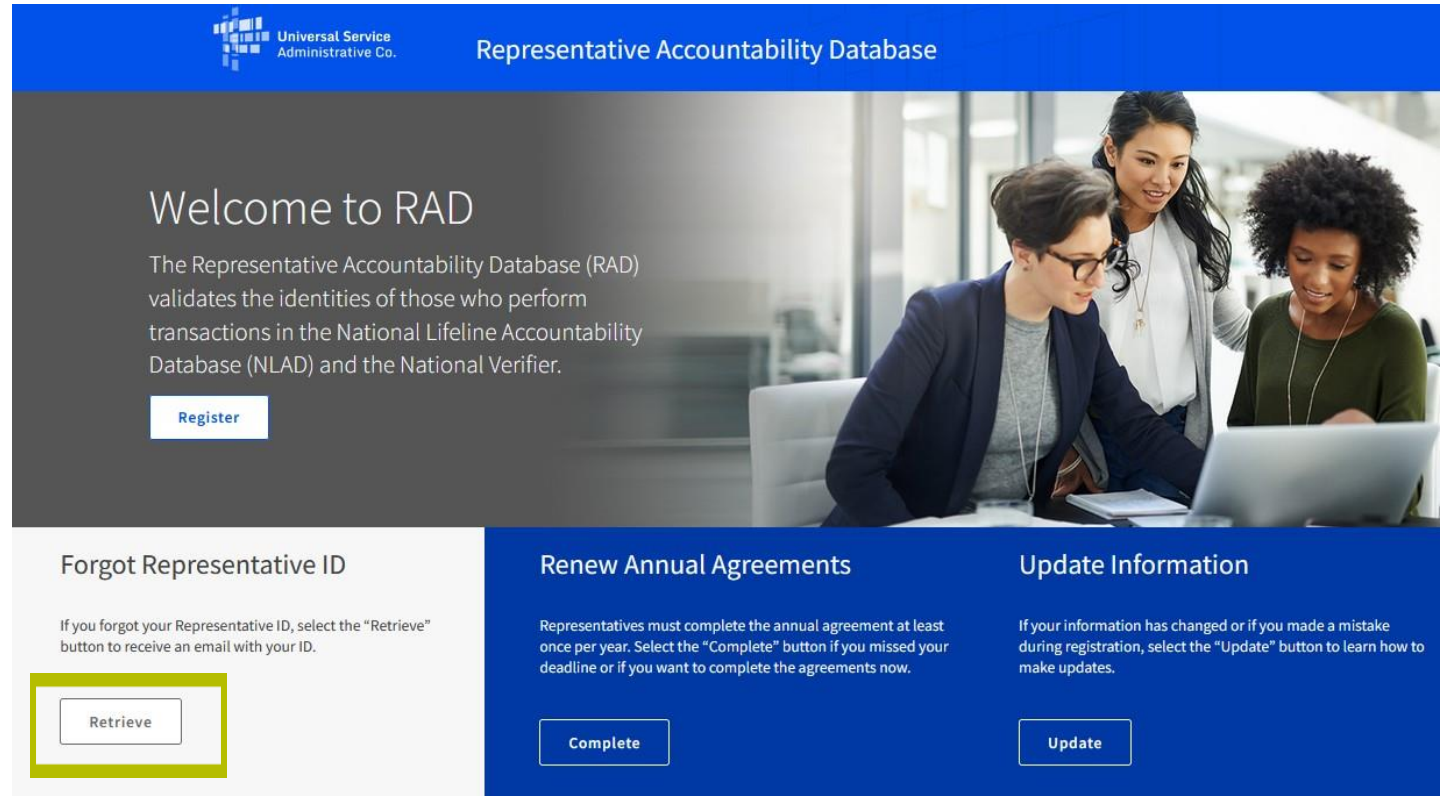
- To link Rep IDs to an API ID, you must have ETC Admin user permissions.
- A complete step-by-step guide to link a Rep ID to an API ID is available in the [NLAD Production Guide: Linking Representative IDs to API Accounts](#).

Questions?

Retrieving/Updating Rep ID

Retrieving Rep ID

- Retrieve a Rep ID by visiting LifelineRAD.org and selecting **Retrieve**.



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Representative Accountability Database (RAD). At the top, there is a blue header with the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo and the text "Representative Accountability Database". Below the header, a large banner features a photograph of three people (two women and one man) looking at a laptop. To the left of the photo, the text reads "Welcome to RAD" followed by a description: "The Representative Accountability Database (RAD) validates the identities of those who perform transactions in the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) and the National Verifier." Below this text is a "Register" button. At the bottom of the page, there are three columns. The first column, titled "Forgot Representative ID", contains the text "If you forgot your Representative ID, select the 'Retrieve' button to receive an email with your ID." and a "Retrieve" button, which is highlighted with a yellow border. The second column, titled "Renew Annual Agreements", contains the text "Representatives must complete the annual agreement at least once per year. Select the 'Complete' button if you missed your deadline or if you want to complete the agreements now." and a "Complete" button. The third column, titled "Update Information", contains the text "If your information has changed or if you made a mistake during registration, select the 'Update' button to learn how to make updates." and an "Update" button.

Universal Service Administrative Co. Representative Accountability Database

Welcome to RAD

The Representative Accountability Database (RAD) validates the identities of those who perform transactions in the National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) and the National Verifier.

[Register](#)

Forgot Representative ID

If you forgot your Representative ID, select the "Retrieve" button to receive an email with your ID.

[Retrieve](#)

Renew Annual Agreements

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[Complete](#)

Update Information

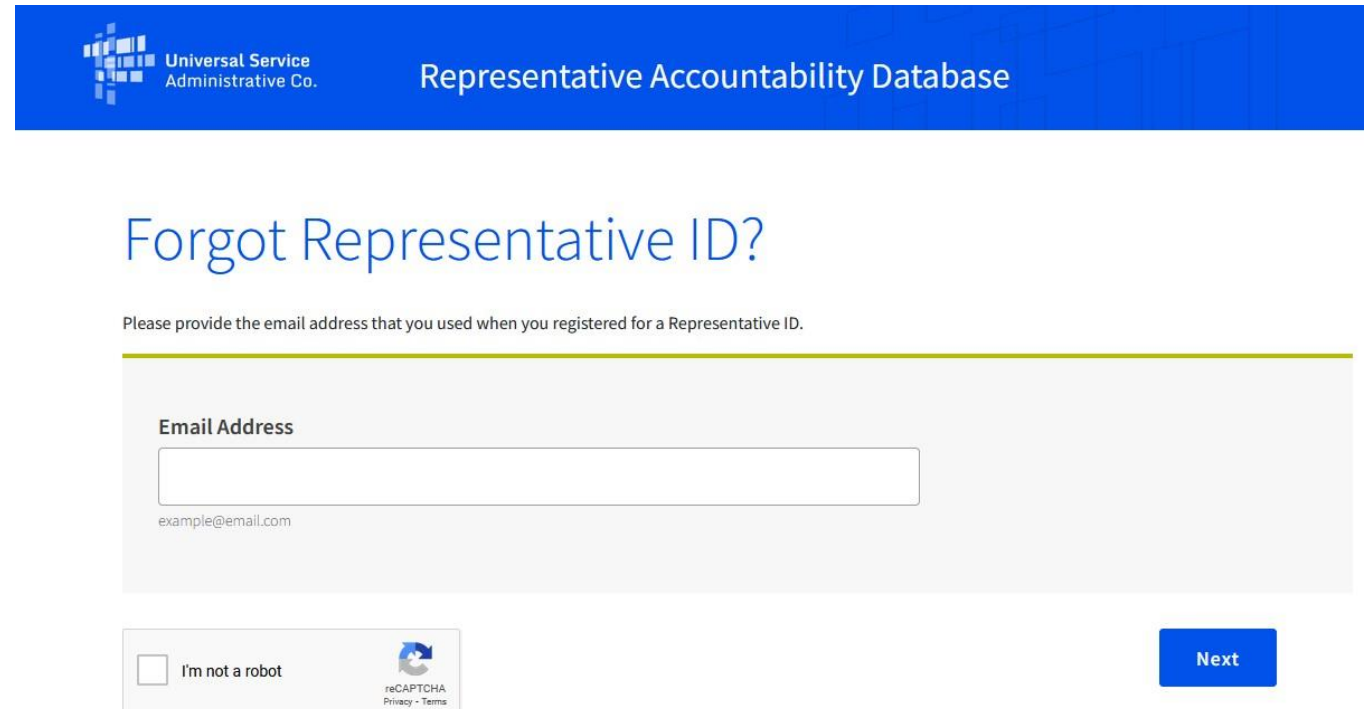
If your information has changed or if you made a mistake during registration, select the "Update" button to learn how to make updates.

[Update](#)

Retrieving Rep ID

- Enter the registered Rep ID email address.*
- USAC communication with your Rep ID will be sent from noreply@usac.org. Monitor your spam inbox.


***Note:** If you do not remember your registered RAD email address, select [Update Information](#) on the RAD homepage to retrieve/update an email address and obtain your Rep ID. You should not register for a second Rep ID.



The screenshot shows the 'Forgot Representative ID?' page of the Representative Accountability Database. At the top, there is a blue header with the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo and the text 'Representative Accountability Database'. Below the header, the title 'Forgot Representative ID?' is displayed in blue. A prompt asks the user to 'Please provide the email address that you used when you registered for a Representative ID.' Below this is a form with a label 'Email Address' and a text input field. A placeholder text 'example@email.com' is visible below the input field. At the bottom of the form, there is a checkbox labeled 'I'm not a robot' and a reCAPTCHA logo with links for 'Privacy' and 'Terms'. A blue 'Next' button is located to the right of the form.

Retrieving Rep ID

- Provide the answers to the security questions you selected when completing RAD registration.

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Representative Accountability Database

Forgot Representative ID?

Please provide answers to the security questions that you selected at the time of registration. We will use this information to recover your Representative ID.

Email : test@new.net

Security Question : What elementary school did you go to?

Your Answer to Security Question

Security Question : In what city/town was your first job?

Your Answer to Security Question

Security Question : What city/town was your mother born in?

Your Answer to Security Question

Submit

Retrieving Rep ID

- Once completed, you will receive a success screen in RAD and a confirmation email from USAC stating that your Rep ID will be sent to the email you provided at registration.



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Representative Accountability Database

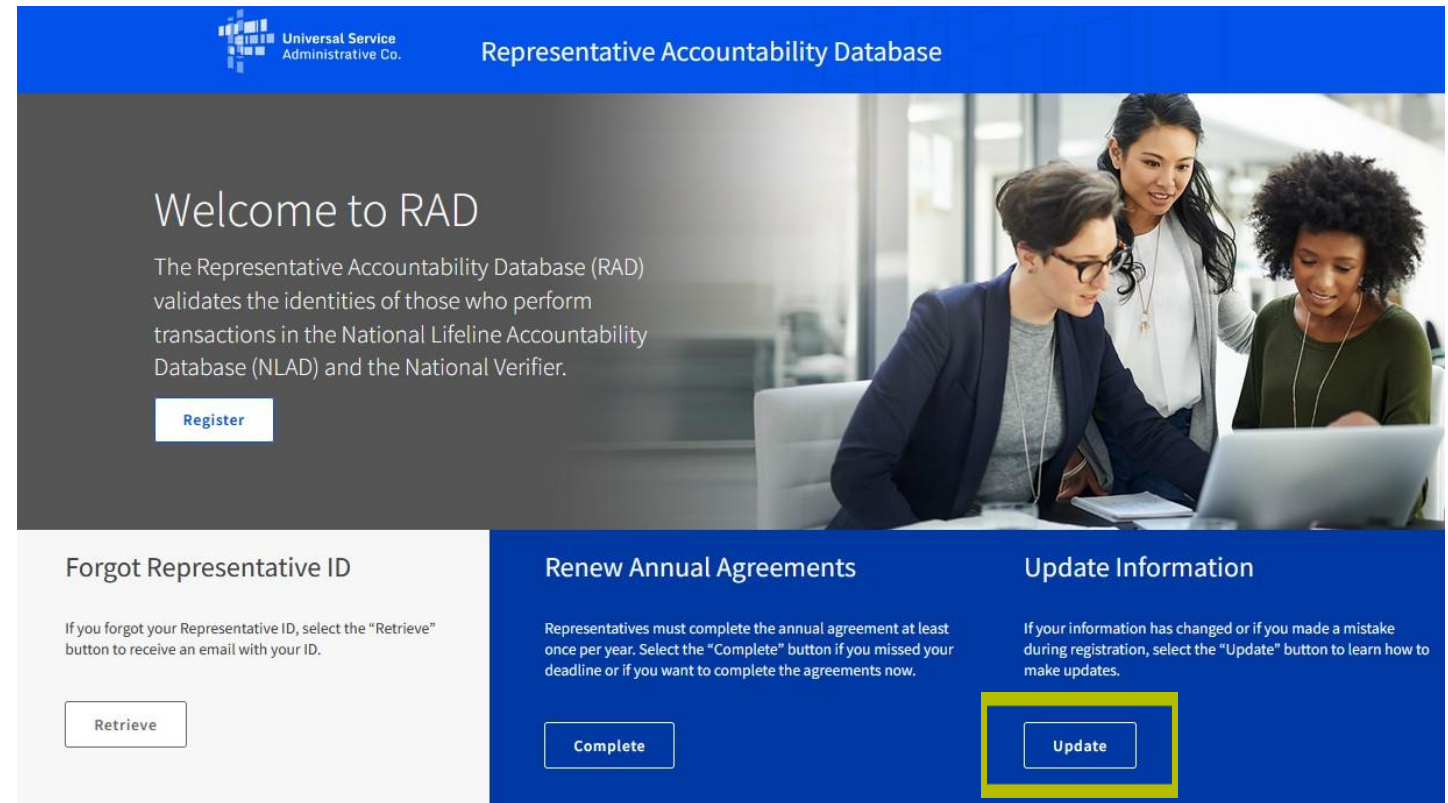
Thank You

Thank you. Your Representative ID has been sent to the email provided upon registration.

Didn't get an email? Click [here](#) to resend.

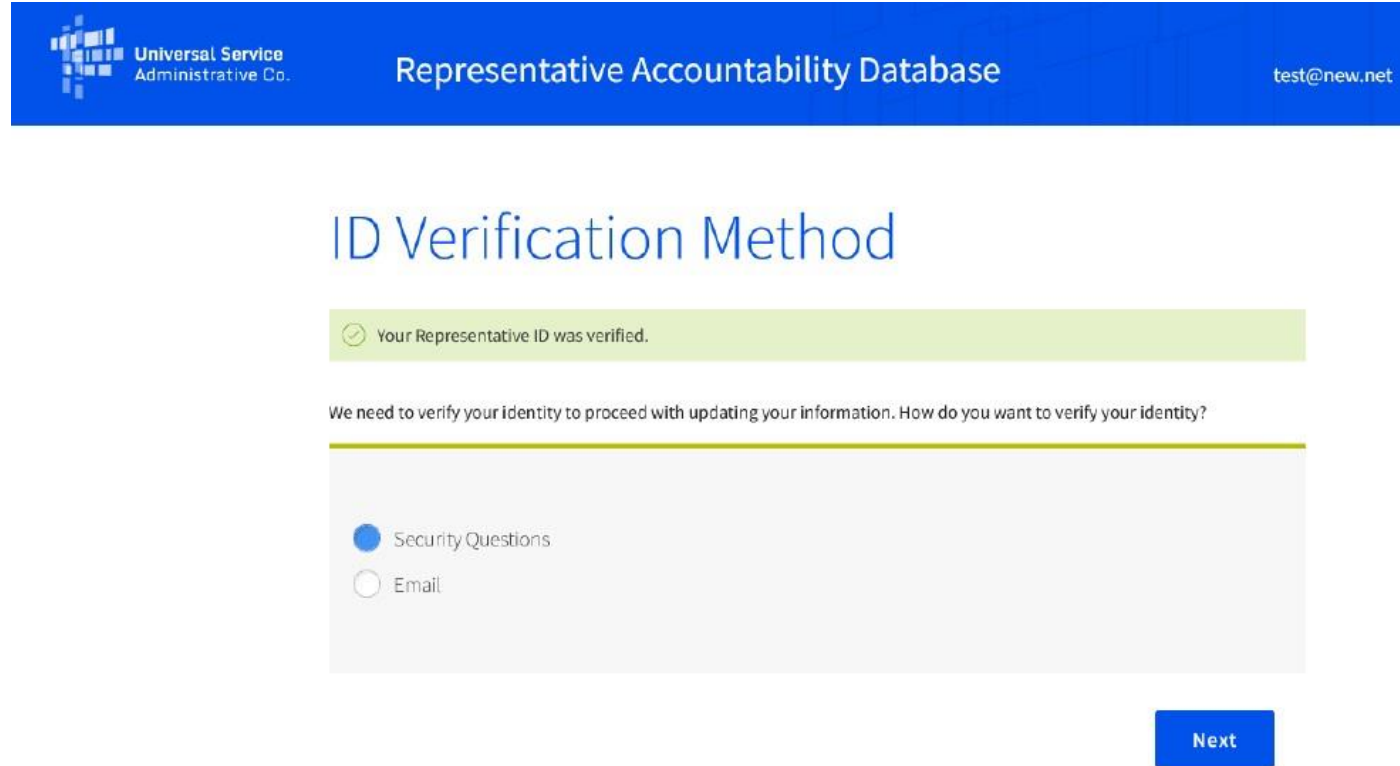
Updating Rep ID

- Update your email address, physical address, and/or security questions/answers associated with your Rep ID by visiting LifelineRAD.org and selecting Update.



Updating Rep ID

- Select how you want to verify your identity by answering your security questions or receiving a notification to the email you used to register for your Rep ID.



The screenshot shows the 'Representative Accountability Database' interface. At the top, there is a blue header bar with the 'Universal Service Administrative Co.' logo on the left, the title 'Representative Accountability Database' in the center, and the email 'test@new.net' on the right. Below the header, the main heading is 'ID Verification Method'. A green success message states: 'Your Representative ID was verified.' Below this, a text prompt asks: 'We need to verify your identity to proceed with updating your information. How do you want to verify your identity?'. There are two radio button options: 'Security Questions' (which is selected) and 'Email'. At the bottom right, there is a blue 'Next' button.

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ID Verification Method

✓ Your Representative ID was verified.


We need to verify your identity to proceed with updating your information. How do you want to verify your identity?

☒ Security Questions
☐ Email

Next

Updating Rep ID

- If you select Security Questions to verify your Rep ID, you will be asked to provide the answers to the security questions you selected at registration.
- If you cannot complete the security questions, you will be unable to retrieve your Rep ID.
 - You will need to re-register and provide documentation to resolve any registration errors.

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Update Information

Please provide answers to the security questions that you selected at the time of registration. We will use this information to verify your identity so that you can update your information.

Email: test@new.net

Security Question: What elementary school did you go to?

Your Answer to Security Question

Security Question: In what city/town was your first job?

Your Answer to Security Question

Security Question: What city/town was your mother born in?

Your Answer to Security Question

Submit

Updating Rep ID

- After your identity has been verified, the review page will populate where you can edit your email, address, and/or security questions/answers.

The screenshot shows the 'Update Information' page of the Representative Accountability Database. The header is blue with the Universal Service Administrative Co. logo, the title 'Representative Accountability Database', and the email 'test@new.net'. The main heading is 'Update Information'. A green message box states 'Your Identity Verification is complete.' Below this, a paragraph explains that users can update their email address, address, or security questions. There are three expandable sections: 'Address', 'Email', and 'Security Questions', each with a plus icon. A blue 'Next' button is at the bottom right. The footer contains the OMB Control Number 3060-0819 and links for Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, Terms & Conditions, and Privacy Statement.

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Update Information

✓ Your Identity Verification is complete.

You can update your email address, address, or security questions. To submit new information, select what you want to update and enter your new information in the fields provided. You can update one or more of these items, it is not necessary to update all three.

Address +

Email +


Security Questions +

Next

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Updating Rep ID


- Review and confirm your updated information in RAD and select Submit.
 - You cannot update your name, DOB, or last four digits of your SSN.
 - Email LifelineProgram@usac.org with the subject line: “Personal Information Change Request for RepID” to begin this process.


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Update Information Review

 You changed the address associated with your RAD registration.

 You changed the email address associated with your RAD registration.

 You changed the security questions associated with your RAD registration.

Address :

123 A New St
nome, AK 23456-7890

Email :

new@email.com

Security Question 1 :

In what city/town was your first job?

Your Answer :

a

Security Question 2 :

What time were you born? (for example, 6:30AM)

Your Answer :

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Security Question 3 :

What city/town was your mother born in?

Your Answer :

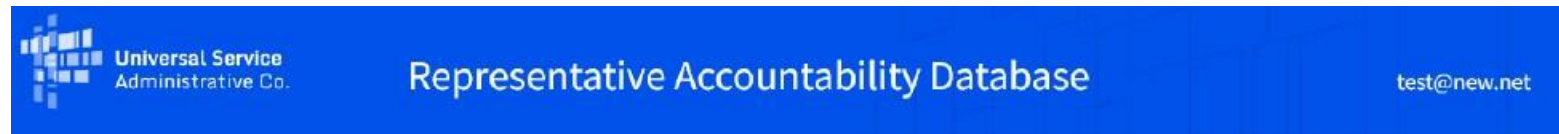
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Edit

Submit

Updating Rep ID

- Once completed, you will receive a success screen in RAD and a confirmation email from USAC stating that your update has been processed.



Success!

✓ You have successfully updated your information.

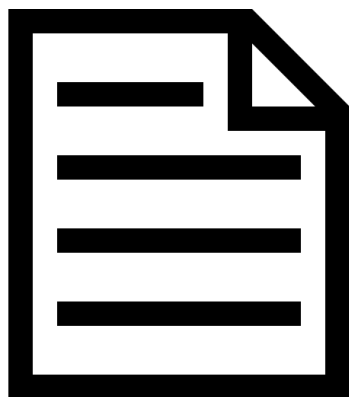
You successfully updated your RAD information. Confirmation will also be sent to your RAD email address. You may now close out this window.

Thank you for keeping your information up to date!

Annual Agreement Process

Annual Agreement Process

Background

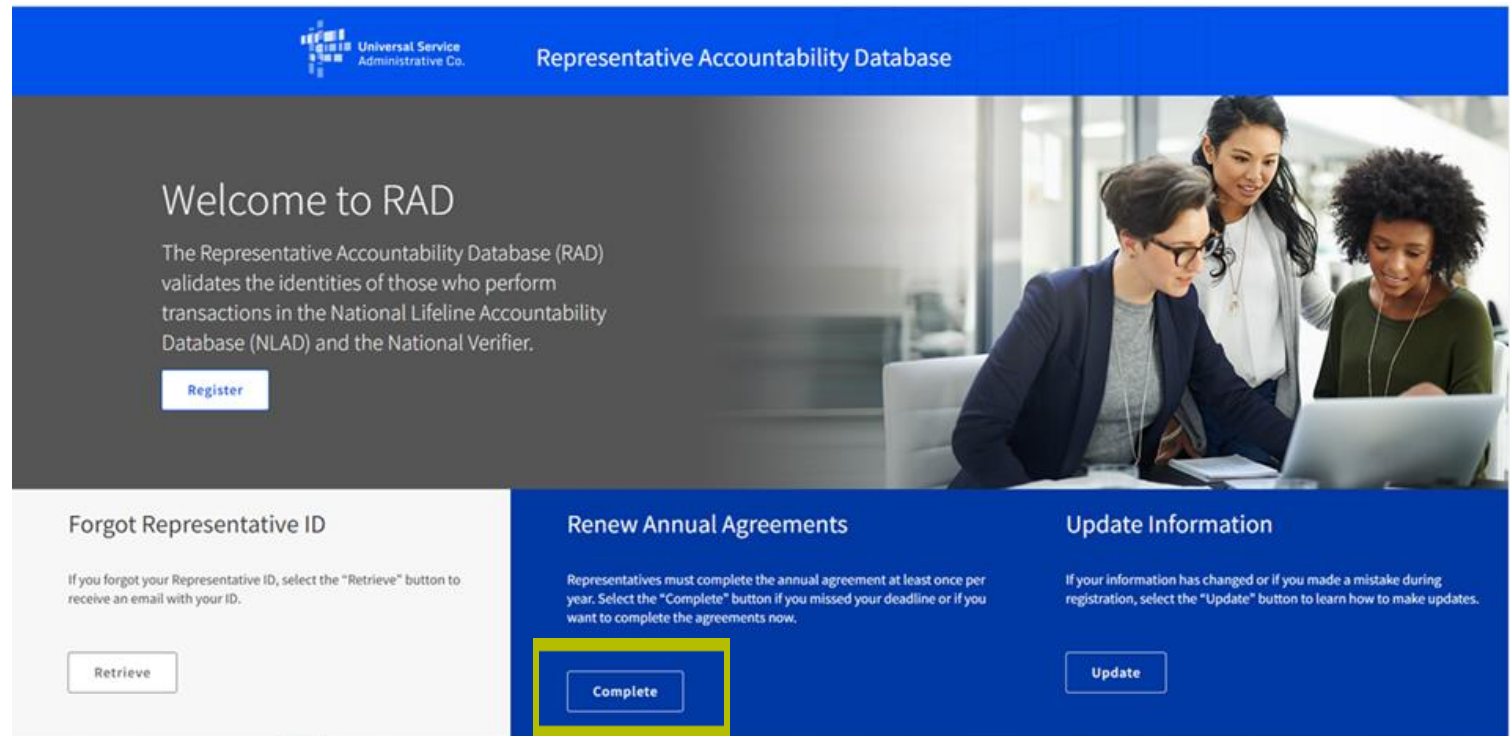


Enrollment representatives must agree to the terms and conditions of USAC's Lifeline systems **each year** as required in the [FCC's 2019 Lifeline Order](#).

Note: If the annual agreement is not completed, you will be unable to access or perform functions in NLAD or NV.

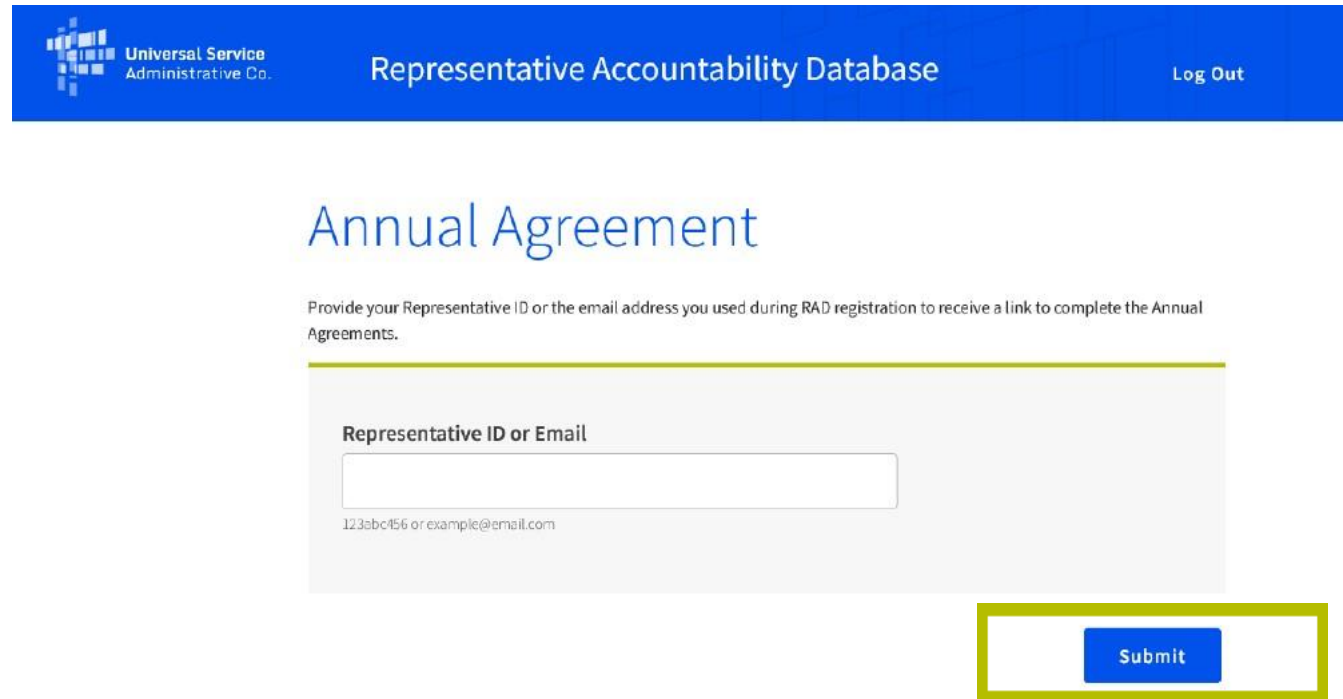
Annual Agreement Process

- USAC encourages you to complete the Rep ID annual agreement process from a desktop at LifelineRAD.org.
- Select **Complete**.



Annual Agreement Process

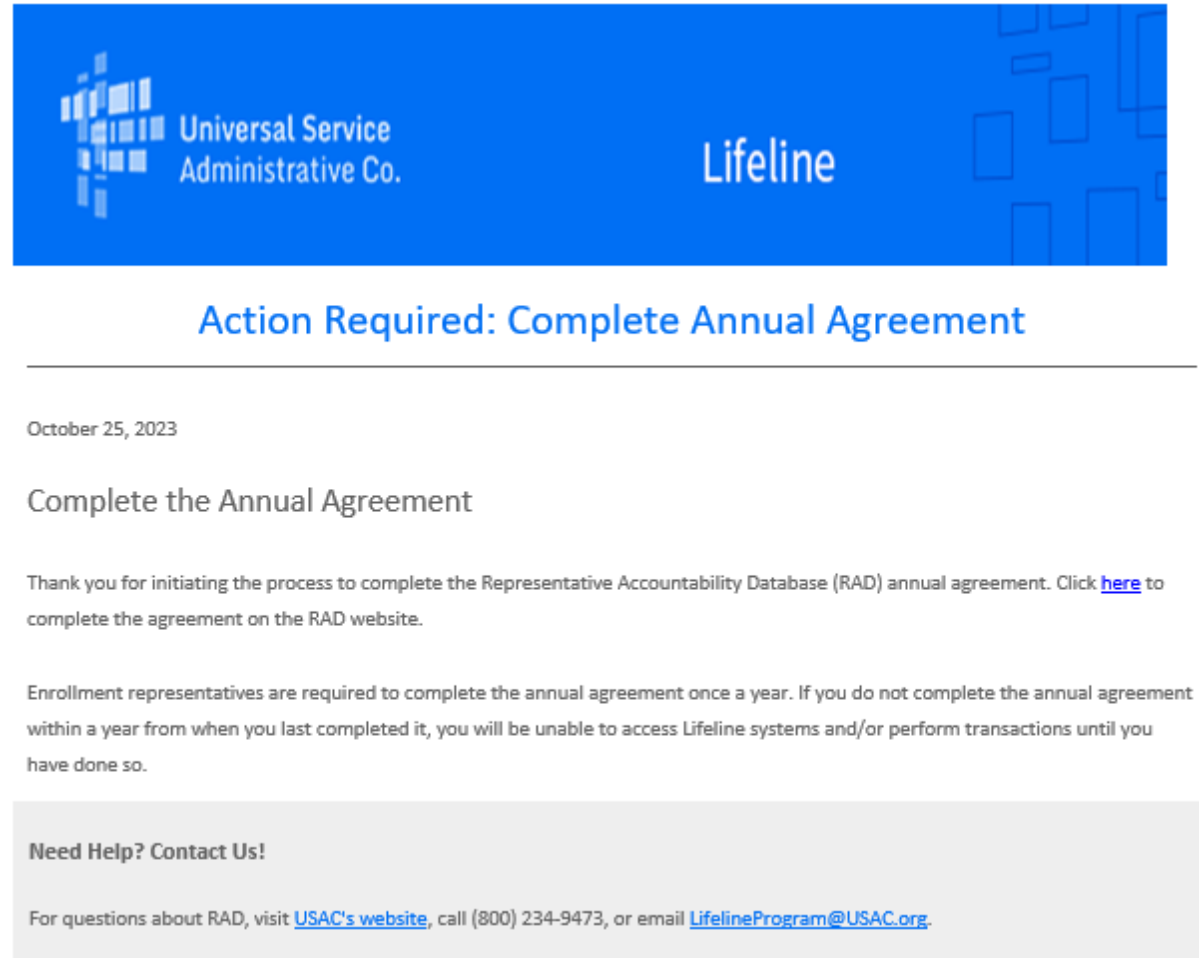
- Enter your Rep ID or the registered Rep ID email address.
- Select **Submit**.



The screenshot shows the 'Representative Accountability Database' interface. At the top is a blue header with the 'Universal Service Administrative Co.' logo on the left, the title 'Representative Accountability Database' in the center, and a 'Log Out' link on the right. Below the header, the main heading 'Annual Agreement' is displayed in a large blue font. Underneath this heading is a line of instructional text: 'Provide your Representative ID or the email address you used during RAD registration to receive a link to complete the Annual Agreements.' A light gray form box contains a label 'Representative ID or Email' above a text input field. Below the input field, a placeholder text '123abc456 or example@email.com' is visible. To the right of the form box, a blue 'Submit' button is highlighted with a thick yellow border.

Annual Agreement Process

- USAC communication with instructions to complete the annual agreement will be sent from noreply@usac.org.
- Monitor your spam inbox.



The screenshot shows an email header from Universal Service Administrative Co. with the subject "Lifeline". The main heading is "Action Required: Complete Annual Agreement". The date is "October 25, 2023". The body text says: "Thank you for initiating the process to complete the Representative Accountability Database (RAD) annual agreement. Click [here](#) to complete the agreement on the RAD website." It also states: "Enrollment representatives are required to complete the annual agreement once a year. If you do not complete the annual agreement within a year from when you last completed it, you will be unable to access Lifeline systems and/or perform transactions until you have done so." A grey box at the bottom contains the text: "Need Help? Contact Us! For questions about RAD, visit [USAC's website](#), call (800) 234-9473, or email LifelineProgram@USAC.org."

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Action Required: Complete Annual Agreement

October 25, 2023

Complete the Annual Agreement

Thank you for initiating the process to complete the Representative Accountability Database (RAD) annual agreement. Click [here](#) to complete the agreement on the RAD website.

Enrollment representatives are required to complete the annual agreement once a year. If you do not complete the annual agreement within a year from when you last completed it, you will be unable to access Lifeline systems and/or perform transactions until you have done so.


Need Help? Contact Us!

For questions about RAD, visit [USAC's website](#), call (800) 234-9473, or email LifelineProgram@USAC.org.

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Annual Agreement Process

- Read each statement and check the boxes to confirm agreement.

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Annual Agreement

To begin or continue performing National Lifeline Accountability Database (NLAD) and/or Lifeline National Eligibility Verifier (National Verifier) transactions, review and agree to the following:

- ☐ The information associated with my representative ID is current and accurate.
- ☐ I will always update my contact information in RAD within 30 days of a change.
- ☐ I will always use my Representative ID to perform transactions in NLAD and the National Verifier.
- ☐ My Representative ID is my unique identification. No one else may use my Representative ID. I will not provide my Representative ID to anyone except the service provider(s) I work for.
- ☐ I will not use or provide any fraudulent, misleading, or inaccurate information when performing Lifeline transactions.
- ☐ I acknowledge that I will only use NLAD and the National Verifier for their specified purposes.
- ☐ I understand and agree to the [National Verifier terms and conditions](#).
- ☐ I understand and agree to the [NLAD terms and conditions](#).
- ☐ I understand and agree to the [RAD terms and conditions](#).
- ☐ I acknowledge that I am providing information to the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), a U.S.-based entity created by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that performs activities on behalf of the FCC.
- ☐ If I fail to comply with any of the above requirements, USAC's guidance, the FCC's program rules, or any applicable laws, I understand that my access to NLAD and/or National Verifier may be suspended or terminated for unauthorized and/or unlawful use and the service provider may be subject to FCC enforcement action and law enforcement prosecution as a result of my actions.

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- Provide an e-signature by typing in your full legal name (the legal name used to register for your RAD account).
- Omit any extra spaces in your signature.

Your Signature

Type your full legal name below.

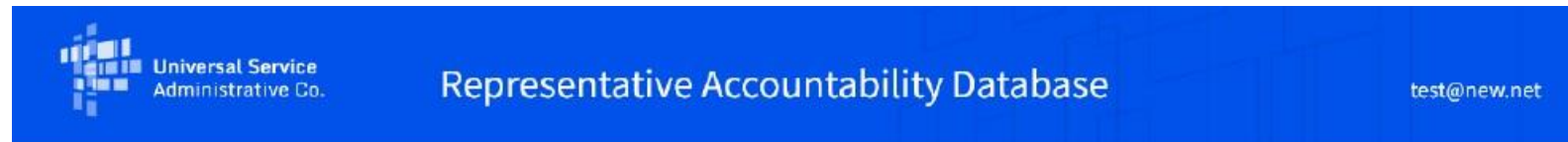
TEST TESTING

☐ I understand this is a digital signature, and is the same as if I signed my name by pen.

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Annual Agreement Process

- Once complete, you will receive a success screen in RAD and a confirmation email from USAC stating that you have completed the RAD annual agreement.



Success!

🕒 You have successfully completed the RAD Annual Agreements.

You will need to complete the RAD Annual Agreements again next year by January 11, 2023. We will send you a reminder next year before the deadline. You can now close this window in your browser.

Thank you for completing the Annual Agreements!

Annual Agreement Process Reporting

- The **Linked Representatives Report** is available in NLAD to ETC Administrators and 497 Officers.
- This report will include each representatives' annual agreement deadline and the date of their last completed agreement.

The screenshot displays the EBBP/ACP Reports interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links: Subscriber Management, ACP Subscriber Management, Claims, Account Management, and Tools & Resources (which is highlighted). Below this is a breadcrumb trail: USAC Home | Lifeline Program | NLAD | Tools & Resources | EBBP/ACP Reports. The main heading is "EBBP/ACP Reports", followed by a PDF icon and a link to "Instructions". A "Report Type" dropdown menu is open, showing a list of report options. The option "Linked Representatives Report - ETC Admin" is selected and highlighted in blue.

Report Type
Select an item...
Select an item...
Detail Transaction Report
Detail Active Subscriber Report
Summary and Detail Subscriber Snapshot Report
Linked Representatives Report - ETC Admin
Linked Representatives Report - Subaccounts
Device Offerings Report
Recertification Subscriber Status Report
ACP Continued Eligibility Status Report
ACP Recertification Not Processed Report

Annual Agreement Process

Missed Deadline Error

- If the annual agreement deadline is missed and you attempt to access or perform any transactions in the NV or NLAD by API or batch, you will receive the following error:
 - **REPID_DEADLINE_MISSED: Representative has missed their annual agreement deadline.**
- You must complete the annual agreement to have access to and perform functions in the NV or NLAD.

Note: Do not re-register if your account is inactive. If you miss your annual agreement deadline, complete the [annual renewal process](#) to reactivate your Rep ID.

Questions?

Useful Tips

Useful Tips

- Use a personal email address when completing the RAD registration process.
- Double check for extra spaces in your first and last name when completing the registration process or accessing your Rep ID.
- Use the legal name you have on file with your employer when registering.
- Document and store the exact name used to register in RAD. This name is used to recover your account.
- Keep the email containing your RAD account confirmation for reference when trying to access your account.
- Use a desktop to complete the RAD registration or renewal process.

Resources

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Visit Our Website



For general RAD information, visit the [RAD web page](#).

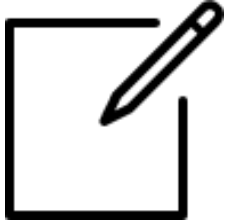
The [RAD Resources](#) page includes:

- A RAD Fact Sheet.
- NLAD Staging Guides for linking individual user accounts and APIs.
- NLAD Production Guides for linking individual user accounts, APIs, and batch users.
- Linking Representatives File Upload Template.

Thank You!



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- We appreciate your feedback.



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