

ICO Online Self Assessment Tool in Respect of a Data Protection Officer (DPO)

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Do I need a Data Protection Officer (DPO)?

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1. Are you a public authority or body?

No

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2. Do your organisation's core activities require regular and systematic monitoring of individuals on a large scale?

No

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3. Do your organisation's core activities involve processing on a large scale 'special categories' of personal data, or 'criminal convictions or offences data'?

No

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Your organisation does not need a data protection officer.

However, you can voluntarily appoint a DPO. It's important to note, if you do appoint one voluntarily you need to [register them with us](#).

Although you may not need to appoint a DPO, it's important to have someone in your organisation who is responsible for data protection.

Read our [guidance on data protection officers](#).



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