

FedRAMP Certification

Skillsoft is the first eLearning content provider to achieve Federal Risk and Authorization Management (FedRAMP) compliance. FedRAMP was developed in collaboration with the NIST, GSA, DOD, and DHS.

WHAT IS FEDRAMP?

FedRAMP is a U.S. Government program that standardizes how the Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA) applies to cloud computing services. FedRAMP provides a standardized approach to security assessment, authorization, and continuous monitoring of services. Using a "do once, use many times" framework, FedRAMP reduces the cost of FISMA compliance and enables Government entities to secure Government data and detect vulnerabilities at unprecedented speeds.

FedRAMP's approach saves an estimated 30-40% of government costs, as well as both time and staff required to conduct regular agency security assessments. FedRAMP evaluates cloud provides through a comprehensive process. The framework is based on a set of standards to determine if a cloud product or service has adequate information security controls.

SKILLSOFT CONFORMITY

Skillsoft's Skillport® 8 content delivery platform is listed as an official FedRAMP (and only eLearning content provider) certified SAAS solution on the FedRAMP.gov site. Skillsoft first started the FedRAMP authorization process in March 2015 undergoing an intensive security assessment audit with Booz Allen and received full FedRAMP authorization in May 2017. As part of the FedRAMP authorization process, Booz Allen will conduct an annual audit and Skillsoft will submit monthly audit results to maintain FedRAMP compliance.



Protecting our customers is
Skillsoft's first priority and
the FedRAMP certification
is a validation of the
investment, time and talent
we have applied to security.

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