

How to add the ability to View Wage Report with Name/SSN Errors if you currently have the Wage Reporting role:

Step 1: Go to <https://www.ssa.gov/employer> and select the Business Services Online box on the right side of the page.

The screenshot shows the Social Security Administration website interface. At the top, there is a dark blue header with the Social Security Administration logo on the left and navigation links for SEARCH, MENU, LANGUAGES, and SIGN IN / UP on the right. Below the header is a dark grey navigation bar with links for Home, Employer W-2 Filing, Verify SSNs, Reconciliation, Publications & Forms, and Employer Correction Request Notice. The main content area has a light beige background with the heading "Employer W-2 Filing Instructions & Information". On the left side, there are three sections: "Register to Use Business Services Online", "File W-2s/W-2Cs Online", and "Verify Employees' Social Security Numbers". On the right side, there is a dark blue box with a white border containing the text "Business Services Online" in a blue box, followed by "By selecting this link, you can:" and a list of actions: "Log In", "Register or", and "Complete Phone Registration". A blue arrow points to this box. Below this box is the "Business Services Online (BSO)" section, which includes "Hours of Operation" (Monday - Friday: 5 AM - 1 AM ET, Saturday: 5 AM - 11 PM ET, Sunday: 8 AM - 11:30 PM ET) and "About W-2 Filing" with a link "> Before You File".

Register to Use Business Services Online

You must register to use Business Services Online – Social Security’s suite of services that allows you to file W-2/W-2Cs online and verify your employees’ names and Social Security numbers against our records.

File W-2s/W-2Cs Online

This service offers fast, free, and secure online W-2 filing options to CPAs, accountants, enrolled agents, and individuals who process W-2s (the Wage and Tax Statement) and W-2Cs (Statement of Corrected Income and Tax Amounts).

Verify Employees’ Social Security Numbers

The Social Security Number Verification Service allows employers to verify the names and Social Security numbers of current and former employees for wage reporting purposes only.

Social Security also offers the [Consent Based Social Security Number Verification Service](#).

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By selecting this link, you can:

- Log In
- Register or;
- Complete Phone Registration

Business Services Online (BSO)

Hours of Operation
Monday - Friday: 5 AM - 1 AM ET
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About W-2 Filing

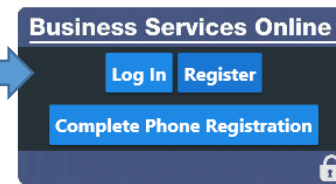
[> Before You File](#)

Step 2: Select Log In located on the right side of the page.



Welcome

The [Business Services Online Suite of Services](#) allows organizations, businesses, individuals, employers, attorneys, non-attorneys representing Social Security claimants, and third-parties to exchange information with Social Security securely over the internet. You must register and create your own password to access Business Services Online.



Message

If you received an Employer Correction Request (EDCOR) letter concerning name and SSN mismatches for your employees and you need additional resources, please visit the EDCOR landing page at www.ssa.gov/employer/notices.html.

The [Complete Phone Registration](#) option is provided to individuals who began their Business Services Online registration by phone and need to create a password.

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Step 3: Here enter your User ID and password. Then, select the “I have read & agree to these terms” checkbox to indicate that you have read the user certification statement and agree to its contents. Finally, Select Log In.

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Log In to Online Services

Online Services Availability

- Monday-Friday 5 AM - 1 AM ET
- Saturday 5 AM - 11 PM ET
- Sunday 8 AM - 11:30 PM ET

For your security, please log out of the application and close all Internet windows when you are finished.

New User?
You must create an account to use this website. Once you do, you will be provided a User ID to log in to our online services.

To create new account you will need to:

- Provide personal information
- Provide contact information
- Create your password and security questions

[Create Log In Account](#)

Did you register with SSA by [phone or paper form](#) and need to create a password?

Existing User?
Please log in below:

User ID:

Password:

[Forgot user ID?](#)

[Forgot your password?](#)

User Certification:
I understand that the Social Security Administration (SSA) will validate the information I provide against the information in SSA's files.
I certify that:

I have read & agree to these terms.

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Step 4: Under **Manage Services** on the left hand menu, select [View/Edit Services](#) to see active services.

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Have a question? Call 1-800-772-6270 Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Eastern Time to speak with Employer Customer Service personnel. For TDD/TTY call 1-800-325-0778.

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Welcome, JANE PUBLIC
Your password expires on **August 22, 2019**

Report Wages To Social Security
Test wage files using AccuWage
Submit, download and print W-2s and W-2cs
View submission status, errors and error notices for wage reports submitted by or for your company
Request an extension to resubmit a wage file

Step 5: On this page, **only** check the box titled **Report Wages to Social Security**. Then, click on the Remove button at the bottom of the page.

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Remove Access to BSO Services

To remove access from BSO Services please select the services(s) that you would like to remove.

Report Wages to Social Security

- Create, print, and submit Forms W-2 and W-2c Online,
- Upload wage submission or resubmission files that are prepared in the Electronic Filing (EFW2/EFW2C) format,
- Acknowledge resubmission request notices and obtain time extensions for resubmission requests, and
- View Wage Report Name / SSN Errors

If access to Report Wages to Social Security is removed, View Wage Report Name / SSN Errors will also be removed.

Cancel Remove

Manage Account

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Step 6: On the left side of the screen under **Manage Services**, select [Request New Services](#).

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Remove Access to BSO Services Successful

Your request to remove access to Report Wages to Social Security was successful. If you have removed this access in error you may select the "[Request New Services](#)" on the left panel to re-select the service.

Cancel Deactivate Another Service

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Step 7: Then, check the box titled **SSA Services Suite for Employers**. Subsequently, click on the Next button at the bottom of the page.

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Request Access to BSO Services

Select Service Suites

You must request access to do specific functions within a service suite. Let us help you choose which functions to add.

- SSA Services Suite for Employers:**
Electronic Wage Reporting Service and/or Social Security Number Verification Service (SSNVS)
Electronic Wage Reporting allows employers to test wage files using AccuWage, report wages to Social Security, and to view the status of their submission.
Social Security Number Verification Service (SSNVS)
Allows the completion of an online form or submission of a file to request verification of names and Social Security Numbers of employees free of charge to employers and their agents for wage reporting purposes only. To verify SSNs for other than wage reporting purposes, please select the Special Services Suite for Consent Based Social Security Number Verification Service (CBSV) below.
- SSA Services Suite for Attorneys:**
Form SSA-1694 Business Taxpayer Information
Allows attorneys or authorized representatives to register with Social Security for Form SSA-1694 Request for Business Entity Taxpayer Information and perform the following functions:
 - Complete Form SSA-1694 Business Taxpayer Information Form
 - Update Form SSA-1694 Business Taxpayer Information Form
- Internet Representative Payee Suite:**
Allows individual and organizational representatives to file their Representative Payee Report electronically. This includes Form SSA-623 for individual Representative Payees, SSA-6230 for parents, stepparents and grandparents with minor children in custody, and SSA-6234 for Representative Payee organizations.
Allows submission and printing of the appropriate representative payee accounting forms and allows downloading submitted forms for up to 30 days after submission
- Special Services Suite:**
 CBSV: Consent Based Social Security Number Verification Service
CBSV, a consent and fee-based, third party verification service should not be confused with SSNVS service displayed above in the SSA Services Suite for Employers.
In order to complete your registration we must collect your Employer Information. Please check the CBSV box to the left then select the "Next" button below to record your Employer's EIN and Business or Organization name. Note: You will be denied access to CBSV if this information is not provided.


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Step 8: Please verify that the information is correct on this page. Please be aware that your company's EIN and name will appear in the boxes below. The information will automatically populate based on the information you inputted during the registration process. Then, click the Next button at the bottom of the page.

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Employer Identification Number (EIN):

Business or Organization Name:

You currently have access to the following services:

- Report Wages to Social Security

Your additional request for services will be for the Employer Information listed above. To update Employer Information, select "Add/Update Employer Information" link from the left panel.

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Step 9: Answer **Yes** to both “Do you want to report wages to Social Security an/or test wage files using Accuwage” and “In addition, do you want to View Wages Report name/SSN Errors”? Then, click the Next button at the bottom of the page.

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Report Wages to Social Security

Requesting access for the Report Wages to Social Security function will allow you to :

- Test wage files using AccuWage,
- Create, print, and submit Forms W-2 and W-2c Online,
- Upload wage submission or resubmission files that are prepared in the Electronic Filing (EFW2/EFW2C) format,
- Acknowledge resubmission request notices and obtain time extensions for submission requests, and
- View Wage Report status.

Do you want to report wages to Social Security and/or test wage files using AccuWage?

Yes No

In addition, do you want to View Wage Report Name/SSN Errors?

Yes No

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Step 10: On this page you can request access to Social Security Number Verification Service by answering **Yes** or **No** to “Do you want to verify Social Security Numbers Online?” Then, click the Next button at the bottom of the page.

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Social Security Number Verification Service (SSNVS)

Do you want to verify Social Security Numbers Online?

Requesting access for the Social Security Number Verification Service will allow you to complete an online form or to submit files to request verification of names and Social Security Numbers of employees of the company for which you work or of the company that has hired you to perform this service.

 **Access to the name/number verification service involves a more rigorous process and requires pre-authorization from your employer. If access is requested, your employer will be notified via first class mail, usually within 2 weeks. The notice will include an activation code which is needed to activate your request.**

Yes

No

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Step 11: If the information on this page is correct, then click the Confirm button at the bottom of the page.

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You have selected the following functions:

- Report Wages to Social Security
- View Wage Report Name/SSN Errors
- Social Security Number Verification Service (SSNVS)

Select the "Confirm" button below to send your access request to the Social Security Administration. If you wish to make changes, use the "<< Previous" button to return to the appropriate page.

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Step 12: Please read all of the instructions on this page and then click the Print button at the bottom of the page. You will need this for your records.

Please note that SSA will mail an Activation Code notice to your employer at the address furnished to SSA by the IRS. Once you receive the activation code from your employer, you will need to input the activation code to activate the service.

The screenshot shows the Social Security Business Services Online (BSO) interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the URL www.socialsecurity.gov, a "Skip to content" link, and a "Social Security Online" logo. The main header reads "Business Services Online" with sub-links for "Main Menu", "Contact Us", "BSO Information", and "Keyboard Navigation". A user profile for "JANE PUBLIC" is visible with a "Log Out" button. The page title is "Request Access to BSO Services Confirmation".

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Request Access to BSO Services Confirmation

Your request for access to the services and tasks listed below was received on May 29, 2019.

Report Wages to Social Security

You may begin to use this service immediately. To do that, select "BSO Main Menu" below. Then, on the BSO Main Menu page, select "Report Wages to Social Security."

View Wage Report Name / SSN Errors

An activation code has been sent by first class mail to the address we have on record for your employer (**OAK BROOK, IL**). Once you have received the activation code and activated this service, you may view "View Wage Report Name / SSN Errors" from the Wage Reporting menu.

Social Security Number Verification Service

An activation code has been sent by first class mail to the address we have on record for your employer (**OAK BROOK, IL**). Once you have received the activation code and activated this service, you may access "Social Security Number Verification Service" from the BSO Main Menu page.

Please print this page for your records.

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