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DoD Offers Anti-Spyware for Personal Use

The Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) has licensed free anti-spyware software for all government employees and armed forces personnel for use on personal computer systems.

Spyware is software that monitors or controls the use of your computer.

To download the free anti-spyware software, go to the DISA Web site at <https://iase.disa.mil/sdep>, or the Navy's Information Assurance Web site at <https://infosec.navy.mil>. At the INFOSEC site, click on the COMPUSEC tools tab and scroll down to the anti-spyware link, second from the top. The software can then be saved to a local hard drive for writing on a CD-ROM or other portable media for home use. Users must be on a ".mil" workstation to download the software.

Users may also be able to get the software through their respective Automated Data Processing offices.

For more information about spyware and other computer security threats, go to <https://infosec.navy.mil>, or call the NCDOC 24/7 hotline at 1-888-NAVCDOC.

