

## Intuit's Policies on Data and Security

Our data stewardship is guided by one essential principle — that it is our customers' data, not ours. Without explicit permission, we do not sell, publish, or share data entrusted to us by a customer that identifies the customer or any individual person.

## Protecting your information:

- We have workers whose sole purpose is to run a safeguarding program, monitoring and adjusting the program as circumstances change.
- We continually perform internal risk assessments to determine and address potential risks.
- We perform external security audits for critical financial applications.
- We secure our facilities, our network, and our servers.
- If we transmit financial information, we encrypt it and transmit it securely.
- We prepare for disasters to enable timely and secure recovery.
- We install virus protection on all relevant servers.
- We continually scan our network for vulnerabilities and remediate against any we might find.
- We run back-ups to a secure off-site location.
- We have an incident response plan in place should it be needed and test it on a regular basis to ensure we are ready to act.

## Ensuring our workers handle your data securely:

- We perform background checks on workers at hiring.
- We remove individuals' access credentials to systems and facilities when workers leave.
- We only allow authorized individuals access to information when it is critical to complete tasks for you.
- We provide training on security and privacy to all workers at hire. Workers take the security training annually and the privacy training bi-annually thereafter.

## **Product safeguards:**

- Advanced, industry-recognized security safeguards.
- QuickBooks Online is a VeriSign Secured product. VeriSign® is the leading secure sockets layer (SSL) certificate authority.
- Password-protected login, firewall-protected servers, and the same encryption technology (128-bit SSL) used by the world's top banking institutions.