

How To Create A Redirect For My Site

This article contains information about redirecting your site.

Step 1: Add The Following Rules To Your .htaccess File Located In Your public_html Folder.

<p>This rule will redirect all none SSL traffic to the SSL (https) portion of your site</p> <pre>RewriteEngine On RewriteCond %{SERVER_PORT} !=443 RewriteRule ^ https://yourdomain.com%{REQUEST_URI} [NS,R,L]</pre>	<p>In addition Use one of the following rules, www.yourdomain.com is different from yourdomain.com. You will need to redirect all traffic from one to other.</p>
<p>If your SSL is for www.yourdomain.com you will want to use the first rule to redirect all yourdomain.com traffic to www.yourdomain.com This rule will direct all traffic to yourdomain.com to www.yourdomain.com</p>	
<pre>RewriteEngine on RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} ^yourdomain.com\$ RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} !^.*www.*\$ RewriteRule ^(.*)\$ http://www.yourdomain.com [R=301]</pre>	
<p>If your SSL is for yourdomain.com you will want to use the first rule to redirect all www.yourdomain.com traffic to yourdomain.com This rule will direct all traffic to www.yourdomain.com to yourdomain.com</p>	
<pre>RewriteEngine on RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} ^www.yourdomain.com\$ RewriteRule ^(.*)\$ http://yourdomain.com [R=301]</pre>	

*replace yourdomain.com with the domain you need to redirect to.
For more information on rewrite rules you can go to Apache.org

A video on creating redirects on cPanel can be found [here](#). Note that some applications like wordpress will use redirects already in your .htaccess file to function. Because of this, you may need to edit your .htaccess file and move the redirects cPanel creates above the ones already in your .htaccess file.

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