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# Consumer Perception Survey (CPS)

Application User Guide for Providers

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## Purpose

The California Department of Health Care Services utilizes Consumer Perception Surveys (CPS) to collect data for the federal National Outcome Measures required by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. As recipients of the federal Community Mental Health Services Block grant, the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH) must administer CPS in our outpatient programs at least annually. Currently, the assigned survey period is planned for one week in Spring (May or June). As the nation's largest and linguistically diverse county mental health plan, LACDMH has seen completed CPS forms in the ten to fifteen thousand range.

As a resource tool for LACDMH outpatient providers from directly operated and contracted programs, the CPS User Portal significantly reduces the cost, labor, and human errors associated with managing paper-based surveys. In the outpatient programs, CPS Portal Users will use the application to email or text CPS forms to clients and their families in their preferred languages (English, Armenian, Spanish, Persian, Filipino, Korean, Russian, Vietnamese, Khmer, Chinese Simplified and Chinese Traditional). The electronic version of CPS that providers send uses logic branches/skip logic according to the clients and their families' responses. The survey type (Youth, Families, Adult, or Older Adult) will automatically match the clients' age. CPS Portal Users in Administrative roles, such as LACDMH Quality Improvement, will use the Dynamics version of the application to manage provider participation and track trends in survey return rates by type, language, and Service Area.

## Accessing Provider Application Portal

**IMPORTANT:** To access the Provider Application Portal, users need to set up Multi-factor Authentication (MFA). If you have done this step, please continue with the instruction below. If not, please see [Instructions for setting up MFA](#) at the end of this User Guide.

To access the Provider Application Portal, copy and paste the below URL into your internet browser. The recommended browsers are Google Chrome and Microsoft Edge.

<https://lacdmhpp.powerappsportals.us>

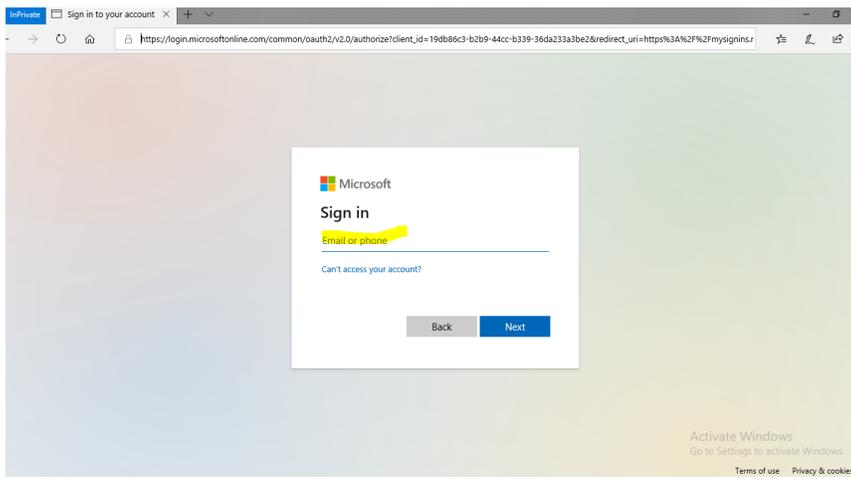
Click on Sign in



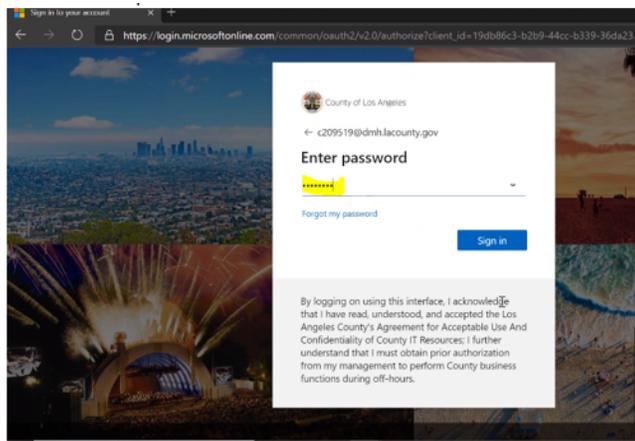
On the next screen, click on Azure AD



If Sign in screen comes up, enter your DMH user ID, which is your Cnumber@dmh.lacounty.gov (Example: C123456@dmh.lacounty.gov)

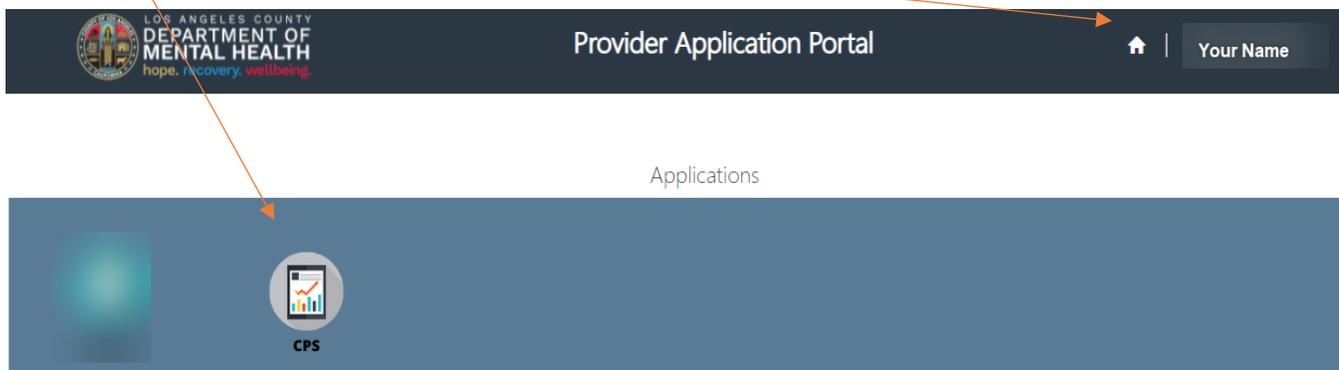


Enter your SSLVPN password (This is the password you use to access other DMH Applications)



Enter any additional information requested.

After successfully logging in, your name will appear in the top right corner and you will see CPS listed on the Applications menu. Click on CPS.



**IMPORTANT:** If CPS is not listed on the Applications menu, you need to request access to the Consumer Perception Survey (CPS) Portal. The deadline for requests to access the CPS portal is April 29, 2022. If you have not requested access by this date, accessing the CPS portal for this survey period will not be possible.

## CPS Landing Page

CPS landing page will list all Programs associated with your Log In.

Home

Program ↑

Program Name (Program)

List of Programs associated with the CPS user

Click on the Program you want to select for the next survey.

The Survey Clients view lists survey records already created by the selected Program users.

By default, the view has recently created surveys on top. Click on any column name to sort the view in an ascending order based on the value in that field. Click the same column name to sort in descending order. For tracking purposes, you can list the Client and Caregiver Survey Completed Date columns to see the most recent dates of completed surveys or those that are still outstanding.

Home > Programs List

Program \*

1907A

Survey Clients

Create

Client	Survey Status	Survey Recipient	Client Delivery Preference	Caregiver Delivery Preference	Comment?	Age in Years	Survey Date	Client Survey Completed Date	Caregiver Survey Completed Date	Created On ↓
<a href="#">AAAKhan, Kamala</a>	Sent	Caregiver		Email	No	11	4/26/2022			4/26/2022 7:05 AM
<a href="#">AAAMorales, Miles</a>	Sent	Both	Email	Email	No	16	4/26/2022			4/26/2022 7:02 AM
<a href="#">AAAMorales, Miles</a>	Sent	Both	Email	Email	No	16	4/25/2022			4/25/2022 10:39 AM
<a href="#">AAABarns, James</a>	Sent	Client	Email		No	105	4/25/2022			4/25/2022 10:37 AM

## How to create and send a new Consumer Perception Survey

From the landing page, select the Program you want to work with. Click the "Create" button and follow the below steps:

# Consumer Perception Survey

CPS Home | Help

Home > Programs List

Program \*

6499W

Survey Clients

Selected Program

Click to create a new survey

Create

## Client Information

Client \*

Search for the Client in IBHIS

Launch lookup modal



Client Last Name

Client First Name

## Lookup records

Search by Client Name or IBHIS ID

To search on partial text, use the asterisk (\*) wildcard character.

Tester

I



Client ID ↑

Client Full Name

1724477 TESTER,MICHAEL

[Redacted]

Select Client from the list

Select

Cancel

Remove value

## Survey Recipient

Select the Survey Recipient or leave the default value **5**

Client

Client

Caregiver

Both

Fill in "Send Survey to Client" section **6**

## Send Survey To Client

Name

Delivery Preference \*

Email

Confirm correct survey template is selected. [Update if needed to Youth Services Survey](#)

## Client Survey

CPES - Youth Services Survey for Family Spring 2021

## Send Survey To Caregiver

If applicable, fill in "Send Survey to Caregiver" section **7**

Caregiver Last Name \*

Caregiver First Name \*

Caregiver Survey Delivery Preference \*

## Survey Status Information

Survey Status

Sent

Not Sent

Sent  
3/4/2021

If you are ready to send the survey, update the Survey Status to "Sent"  
*\* Note that this field is at the top of the page* **8**

Click **Submit** at the bottom of the page to Send the survey **9**

A survey will be sent to the Client and/or Caregiver via the preferred delivery method. Note that surveys can only be updated to a "Sent" status during the survey week.

If you would like to save the survey as a DRAFT and send it later, leave the survey status "Not Sent" and click "Save" at the bottom of the page.

## How to send a Survey that was saved as a *Draft*

Client	Survey Status	Comment?	Age in Years	Survey Date	Client Survey Completed Date	Caregiver Survey Completed Date	Created On ↓	
AAAMaximoff, Wanda	Not Sent	No	33				4/28/2022 3:12 PM	<div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 2px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 2px; margin-top: 2px;">Edit</div>
AAADanvers, Carol	Sent	Client Administration by Telephone	59	4/28/2022			4/28/2022 3:07 PM	

*\*Note that only draft surveys will have the Edit option at the end of the line*

## Survey Status Information

### Survey Status

Sent ▼

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Not Sent

Sent

5/4/2021

On the survey details page update the Survey Status to "Sent"  
*\* Note that this field is at the top of the page* **2**

Click **Submit** at the bottom of the page to Send the survey **3**

## Survey Delivery Preference options

In the Client or Caregiver Delivery Preference field, you can select one of the below options:

**Delivery Preference \***

Email

- Email
- Cell
- Enter by Staff
- Administration by Telephone
- Administration in Person

1. Email – To send the survey to the Client or Caregiver via Email, select “Email” from the Delivery Preference drop-down and enter a valid email in the Email Address field

**Delivery Preference \***

Email

**Client Survey**

Client Language

English

**Email Address \***

Test@email.com

Enter valid email in the Email Address field

2. Text message - To send the survey link to the Client or Caregiver in a text message, select “Cell” from the Delivery Preference drop-down and enter a valid cell phone number in the Cell Phone Number field

**Delivery Preference \***

Cell

**Client Survey**

**Client Language**

**Cell Phone Number \***

(213) 555-5555

Enter valid cell phone in the Cell Phone number field

3. Generate a unique link for the survey – When you select “Enter by Staff”, “Administration by Telephone”, or “Administration in Person” the system will generate a unique link to the survey. Copy and paste the link from the survey URL field into a new browser window to fill in the survey on behalf of the Client or Caregiver.

## Delivery Preference \*

Select one of these three options to generate unique survey link that you can open and fill in for the Client or Caregiver **1**

Enter by Staff  
Administration by Telephone  
Administration in Person

## Consumer Perception Survey

CPS Home | Help ▾

me > Programs List > Survey Client List

General

Client Information

Application Program

Client \*

Survey Status Information

Survey Status

Not Sent  
Not Sent  
Sent

Update Survey Status to "Sent" **2**

Click **Submit** at the bottom of the page to generate the survey link **3**

Submit Cancel

## Consumer Perception Survey

Message will appear on top of the page **4**

Generating client survey link...

General

Client Information

Client \*

lacdmhppuat.powerappsportals.us says  
Click the link below to access the survey.

Click OK 5

OK

## Consumer Perception Survey

### Generating client survey link...

#### Send Survey To Client

**Name**

AAADanvers, Carol

**Client Survey**

CPES - Adult Survey Spring 2022

**Client Language**

English

**Delivery Preference**

Administration by Telephone

**Email Address**

—

**Cell Phone Number**

Provide a telephone number

**Client Survey URL**

<https://gcv.microsoft.us/lqGLVK8d5H>

Click or paste the link into a new browser **Chrome or Edge** browser window to open the survey 6

### How to review Client and/or Caregiver Comments

Program \*

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<a href="#">AAAKhan, Kamala</a>	Sent	Caregiver		Enter by Staff	Yes	11	4/12/2022		4/12/2022	4/12/2022 3:32 PM
<a href="#">AAAMaximoff, Wanda</a>	Sent				Yes	33	4/12/2022	4/12/2022		4/12/2022 3:33 PM
<a href="#">AAABanner, Bruce</a>	Sent				Yes	25				4/13/2022 10:38 AM
<a href="#">AAABarns, James</a>	Sent	Client	Email		No					4/12/2022 3:51 PM

Click on Comment? To sort the records by Yes/No value in this field

"Yes" means that the Client and/or Caregiver left a comment

Look for "Yes" in the Comment filed. Click on the client name to open Survey Details

Locate the Survey Comment field on the Survey Details page Text in the Survey Comment field is *read-only*.

Send Survey To Client

Name

Cell Phone Number

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Client Survey URL

—

Survey Comment

Client Comment

Please provide comments here. We are interested in both positive and negative feedback. Also, if there are areas which were not covered by this questionnaire which you feel should have been, please write them here. Thank you for your time and cooperation in completing this questionnaire. : comment 2

Who helped you with completing any part of this survey? : comment 1

Caregiver Comment

What has been the most helpful thing about the services you received over the last 6 months? : Comment 1

What would improve the services here? : Comment 2

Please provide comments here. We are interested in both positive and negative feedback. : Comment 3

On the Survey Details page look for Client Comments and Caregiver Comments field. Text in both fields is read only.  
\*\*The fields will be hidden if no comments were left.

## Instructions for setting up Multi-factor (MFA)

Do NOT use Internet Explorer.

Do NOT click the back button or it will create duplicate profiles.

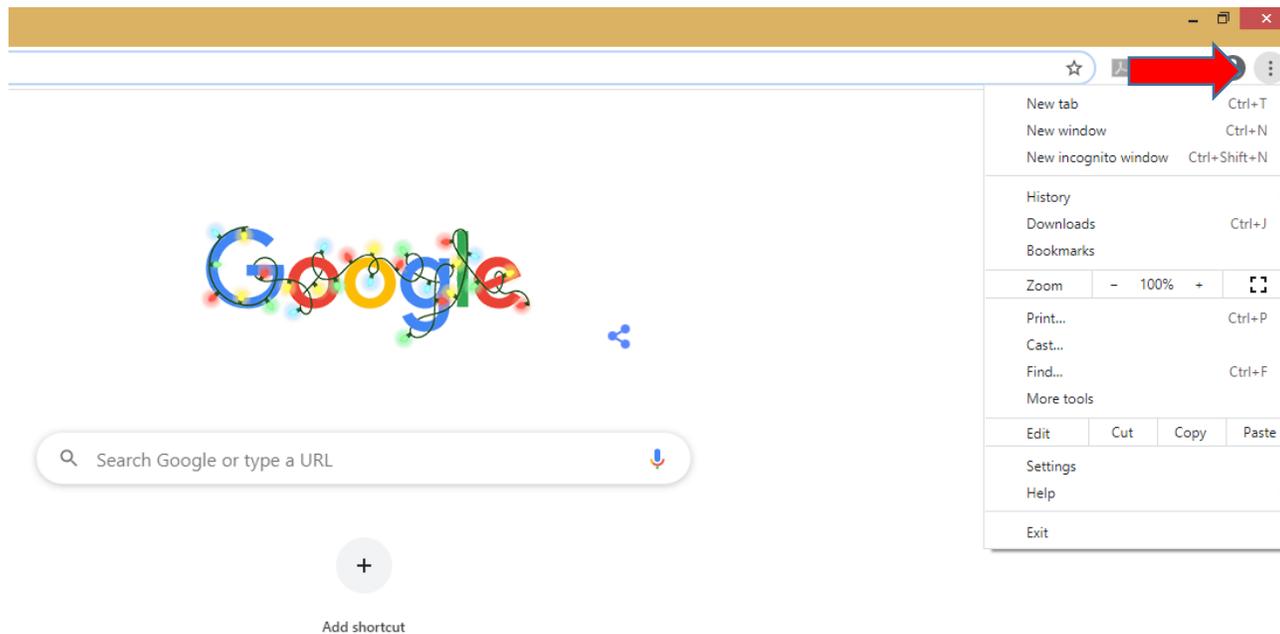
Use Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge.

We will be setting up the Multi-factor authentication in Incognito mode in Google Chrome or InPrivate browsing in Microsoft Edge.

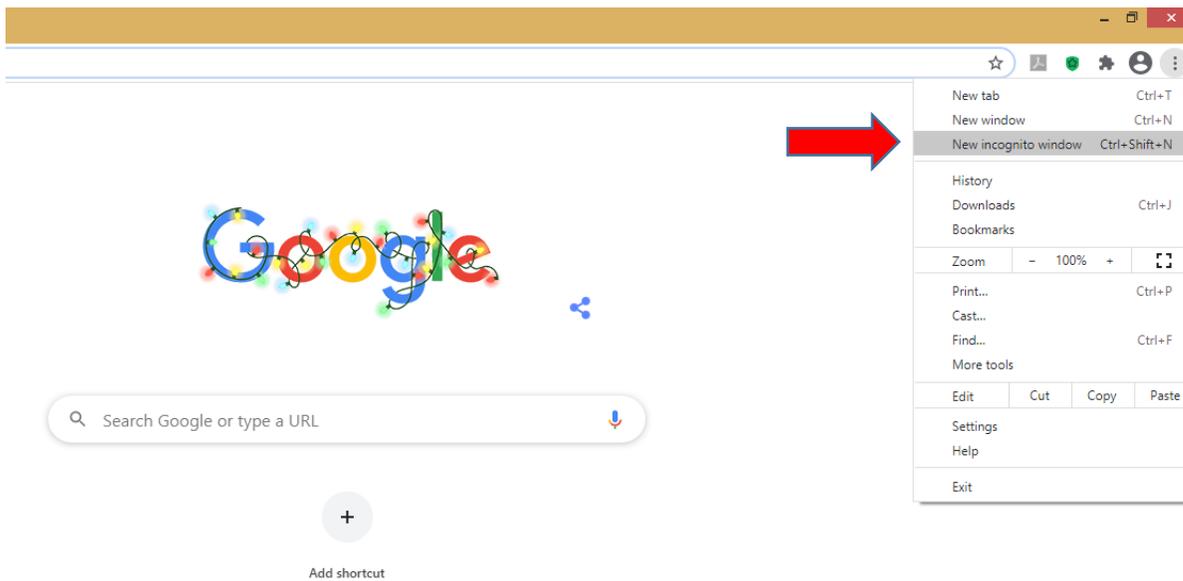
We have to use this method as we are establishing a new Microsoft account and if your organization already uses Multi-factor authentication, it will cause conflicts with existing accounts.

For Google Chrome:

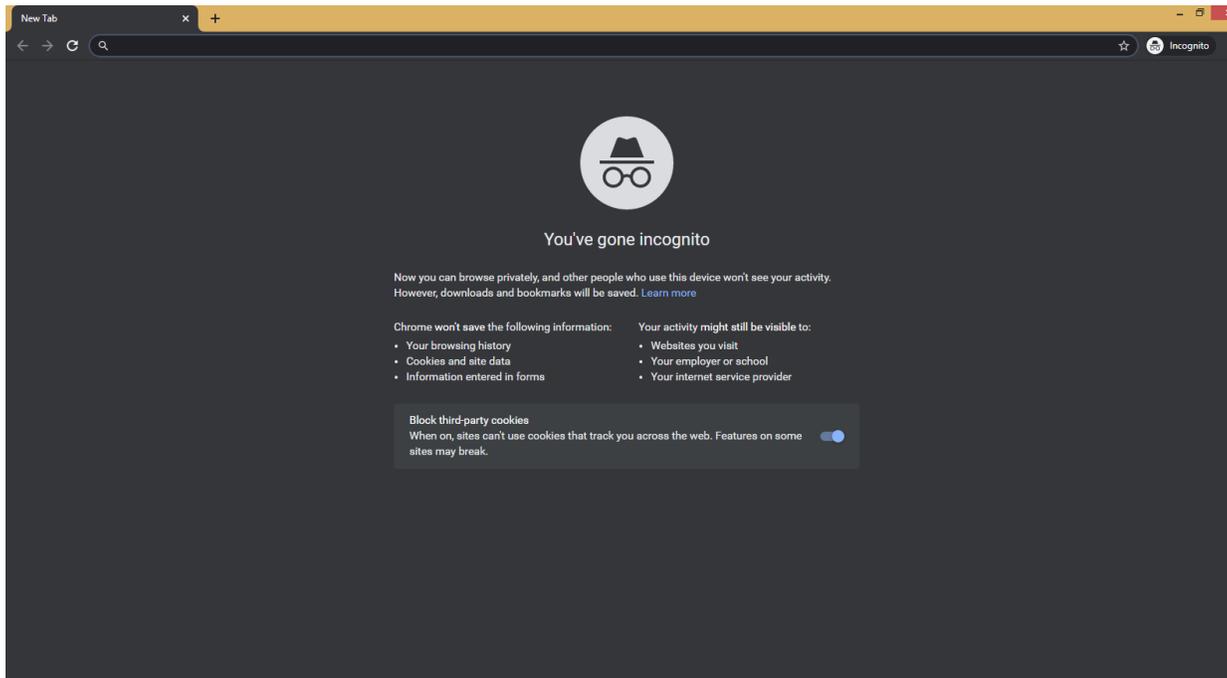
Click on the elipses in the top right corner.



Select "New incognito window."

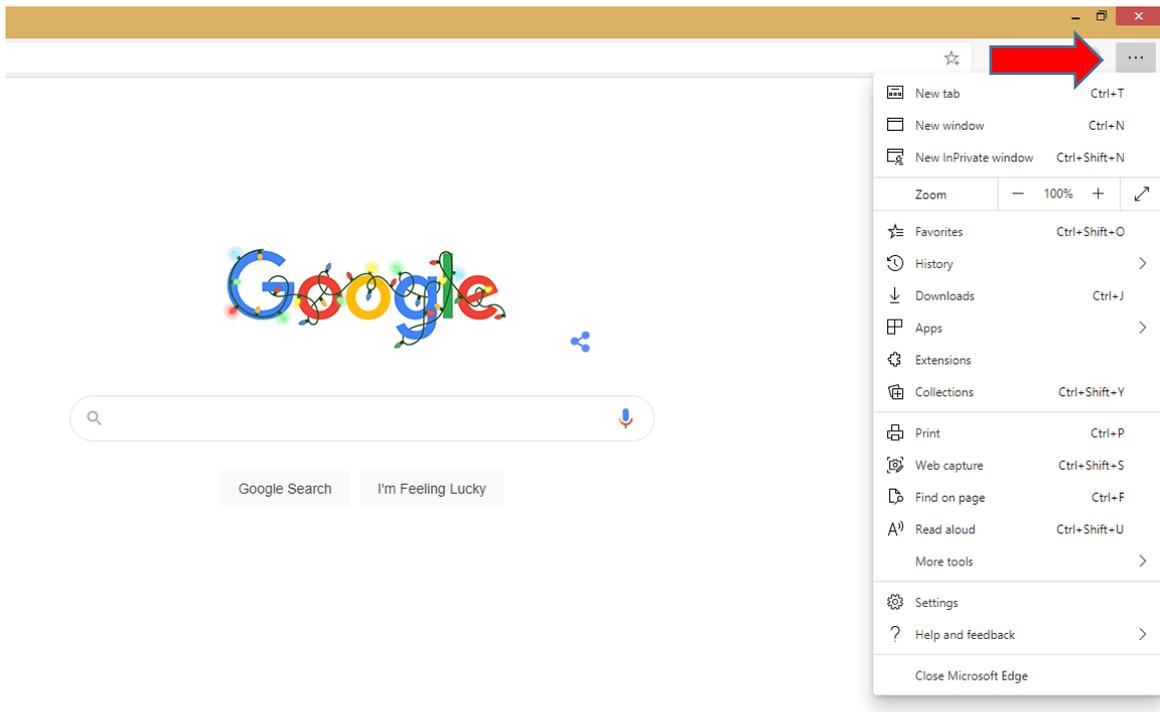


Your browser will then change into incognito mode and look similar to this.

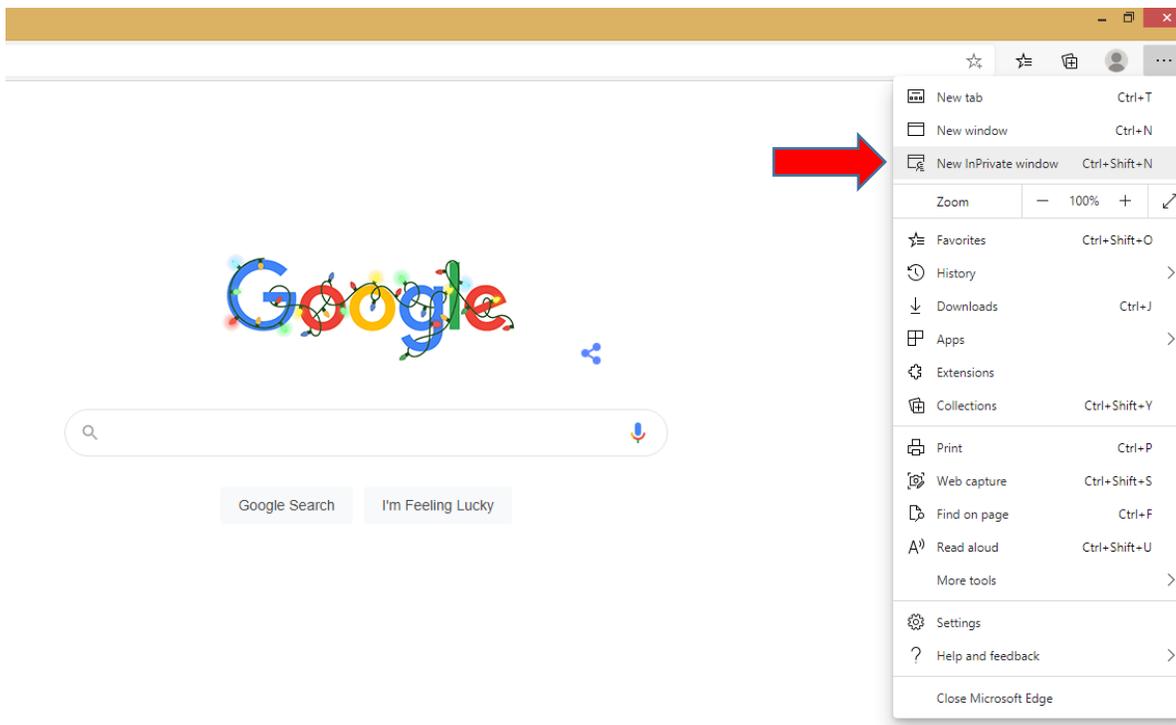


For Microsoft Edge:

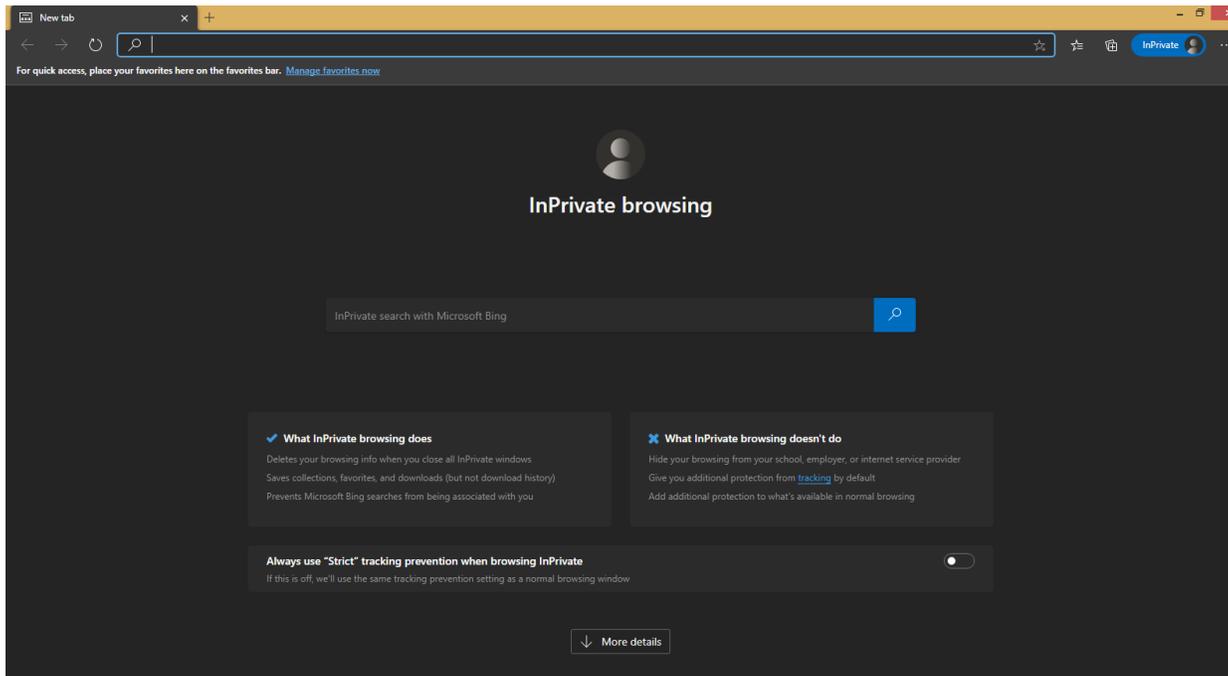
Click on the horizontal elipses in the top right corner.



Select "New InPrivate window."



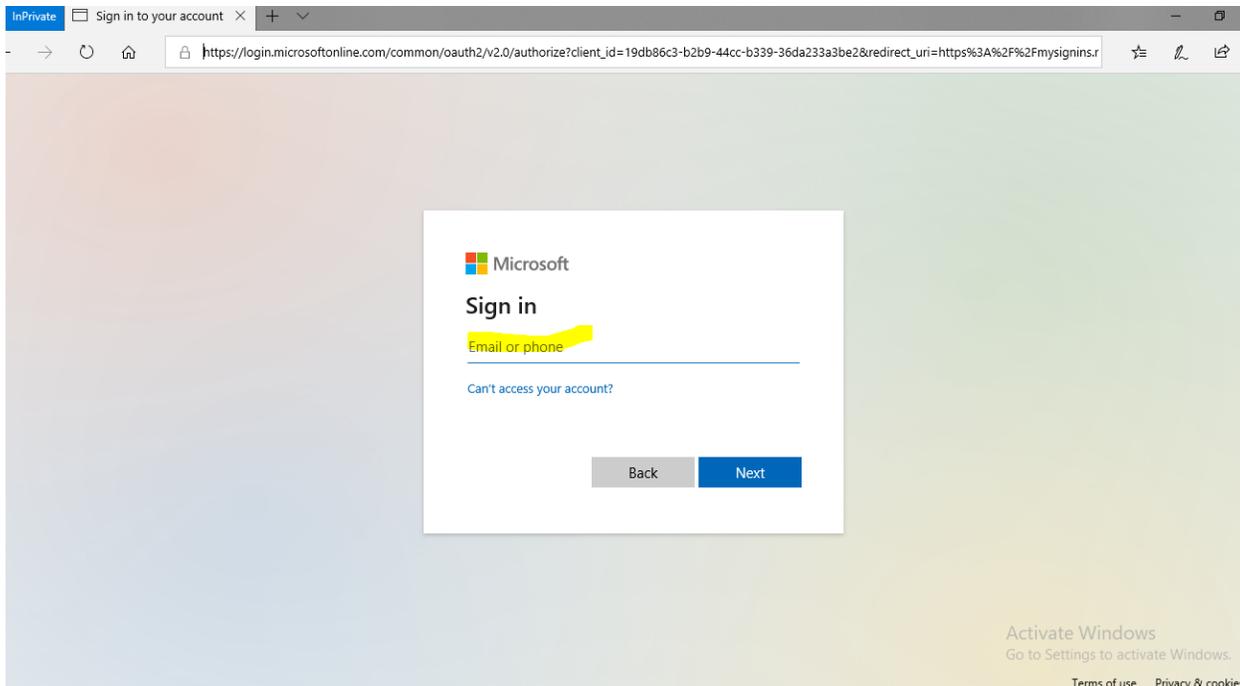
Your browser will then change into incognito mode and look similar to this.



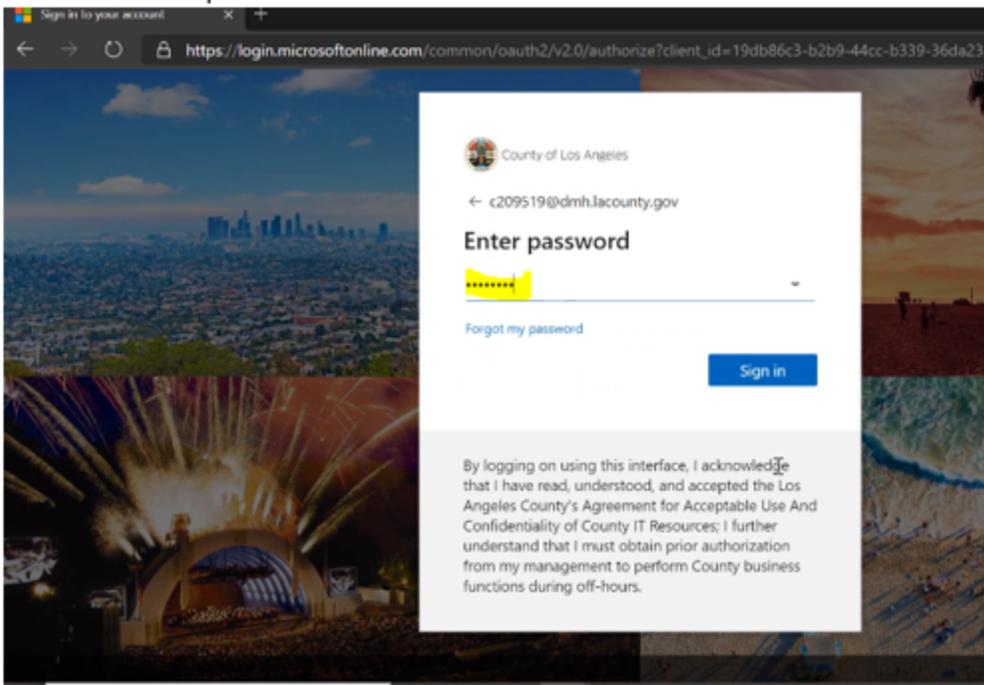
Copy and paste the following link in to your browser <https://aka.ms/mysecurityinfo>

You will come to the Microsoft security site Sign In window.

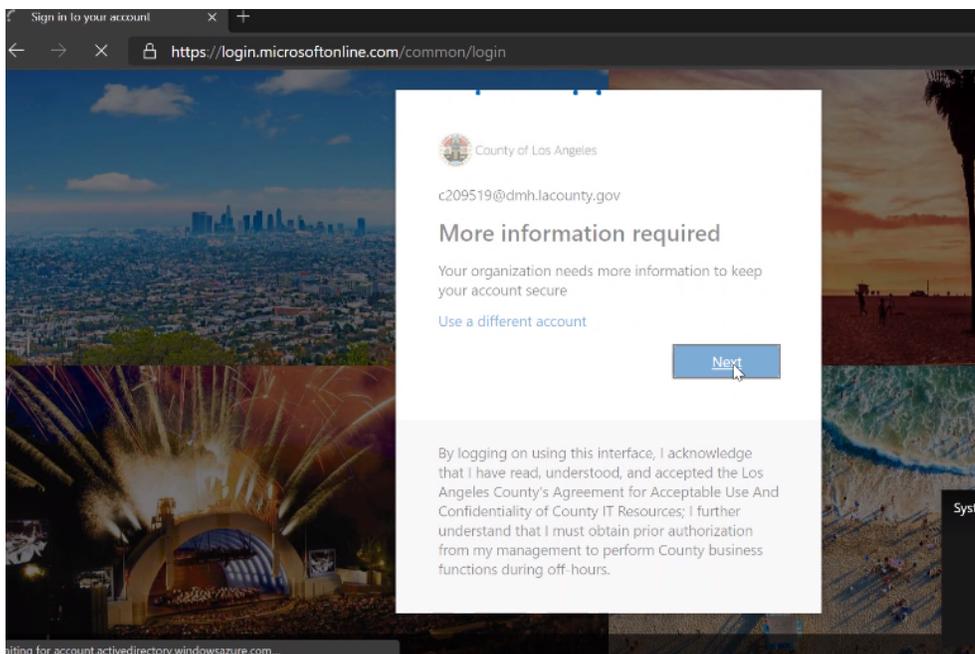
Enter your DMH user ID, which will be your Cnumber@dmh.lacounty.gov  
(Example C123456@dmh.lacounty.gov)



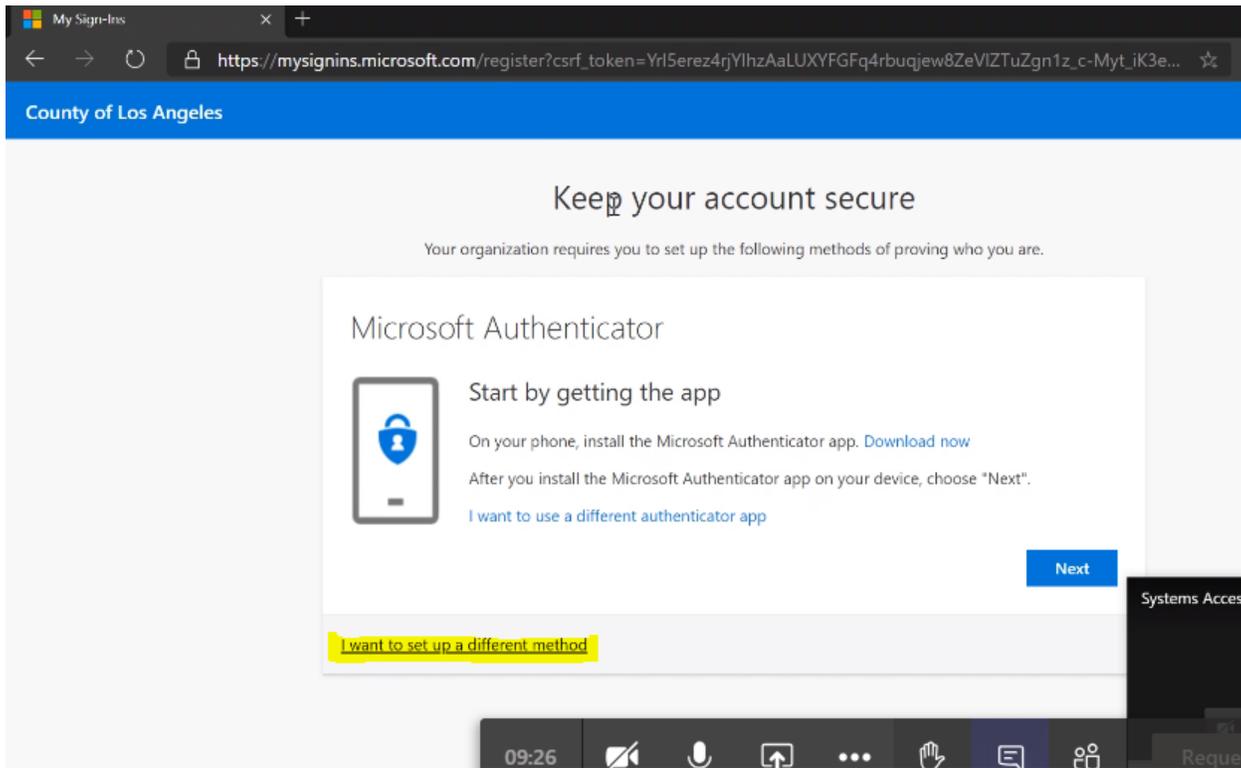
Enter your SSLVPN password.



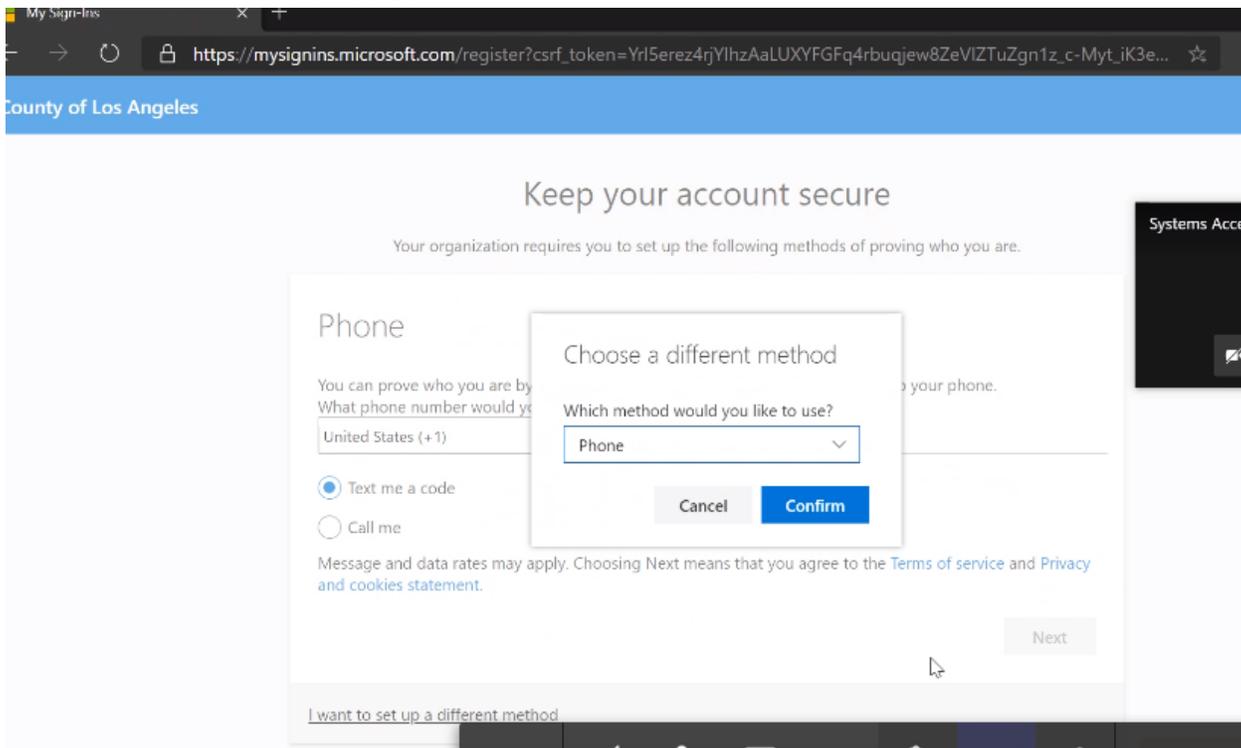
Enter any additional information requested.



You can use the Microsoft Authenticator app on your mobile phone, or you can add your mobile number to receive text messages for authentication. Click "I want to set up a different method" if you do not want to use the app.



You can choose a different method.



You can repeat the process to add additional authentication methods.

# Security info

These are the methods you use to sign into your account or reset your password.

+ Add method

No items to display.

Lost device? [Sign out everywhere](#)

## Add a method

Which method would you like to add?

Authenticator app

Authenticator app

Phone

Alternate phone

Email

Security questions

Office phone

**Important:** Email or Security Questions cannot be used. You can choose any of the other methods.

After entering the methods, the setup process is done.