

Public WiFi Hot Spots



Where Can You Find Public WiFi?

Public WiFi hot spots are almost everywhere. You may find a Public WiFi at many locations you come across in day-to-day life.

- Hotels & Hostels
- Airports
- Commercial Hubs
- Tourist Spots
- Restaurants
- Coffee Shops

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Why Public WiFi can be insecure?

WiFi network that doesn't require password or login credentials is potentially an unsecured network. Such a connection can leave you at a very high risk.

Loss of sensitive information due to attack from hackers or snoopers.

Can be used to inject malware into your devices, if connected to the network.

Occurrence of Man-In-The-Middle attacks, i.e., interception of communication b/w two persons by hackers.

Fake hot spot set up by hackers to steal the information of users that connect on the network.



What Information Is On Risk?

Images, videos or other files you transfer over the network.

Websites you visit.

Personal communication, such as emails or messages.

Passwords and other sensitive information.

Login credentials for various websites.

In absence of appropriate security measures, files on your device can also be accessed by hackers.

How to Mitigate the Risks?

There are many ways to protect yourself while using such networks but the most secure way is to use a VPN (Virtual Private Network) as it encrypts your internet connection to protect your privacy.

To prevent others from accessing your data, turn off the network sharing.

Make sure that you use two factor authentication for all login credentials.

Always visit trusted websites while surfing over these networks.

Turn off the WiFi when you're not using it to prevent the network from connecting automatically.



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