

Nebula Changes at FY16

“I’M SO CONFUSED...”

FY16: Nebula Service changes

Biggest questions:

1. How does Nebula know what “belongs” to me?
2. How can I see what I’m going to be charged for?
3. How can I fix bad information?

Have a piece of paper handy as you read through this.

1. How does Nebula know what “stuff” belongs to me? #1: Departments

Your Nebula Department is used to identify:

- User accounts
- Computer accounts
- Budget information
- Contact information
- Your I:\groups folders

Take a moment and write down your Nebula department name(s).

1. How does Nebula know what “stuff” belongs to me? #2: Budgets

Your Budget is used to identify and pay for:

- User accounts: H: drive usage and consulting hours
- Computer accounts: Monthly Nebula fee
- Your I:\groups folders: I: drive usage

Take a moment and write down your Nebula budget(s).

2a. How can I see what I'm going to be charged for?

myIT: view & manage your dept's Nebula "stuff" (*link & instructions on next slide*). Write down a NetID (not shared account) for each role (one person may have multiple roles):

Role	# of NetIDs	What they do	What they will see in myIT
Owner	1	Make strategic decisions	Resources associated with your dept.
Billing contact	1	Check invoices	Resources associated with your dept.
Technical contacts	1 or 2	Help with technical issues	Resources associated with your dept.
ManagedBy contact (<i>optional</i>)	1 per desktop	Technical contact for specific desktop	Specific desktops they are the contact for.
Budget contact	Multiple per budget	Manage budgets	Resources associated w/your budget: computers, users, consulting hours.
<i>Budget approver</i>	<i>1 per user</i>	<i>cc'd on billable requests</i>	No longer available; phased out.

2b. How can I see...

...the myIT portal?

1. <https://support.nebula.washington.edu/myIT/>
2. Type in the log in box:
`netid\your_uwnetid`
3. Click on IT Things I Own/Manage and then explore the different menu items

Can't see anything? Write down the message you get and go the next slide.

Nebula Departments

Nebula Desktops on My Budgets

Nebula Desktops in My Departments

Nebula Desktops I Manage

Nebula Users in My Department

Nebula File Services

My Budgets

Nebula Consulting Hours

Recent Nebula support requests

Stale Desktops

2c. How can I see...

....the right stuff in myIT? *(Skip this slide if you saw the right stuff.)*

- 1. Earlier, you wrote down the budget numbers used by your department to pay for Nebula items. (If you don't know which ones are Nebula, you can send us the whole list.)*
- 2. If somebody else should also be able to see your Nebula items, write down their NetID too.*
- 3. Now email us the information on that paper so we can assign the right roles in your department.*

3a. How can I fix bad information?

Once we assign the right role, you can *edit information that is specific to a computer or user*:

1. *A budget for a computer*
2. *A primary user for a computer*
3. *The technical contact for a computer*
4. *The budget for a user's support hours*
5. *Other budget info (Task, Option, Project codes)*
6. *The inventory field (to whatever you want; it's a free text field)*
7. *The other roles for your department*

You use a different method to add or remove computers or users.

3b. How can I fix bad information?

To add or remove computers and users that belong to your department:

Same method for:

Computers: email name(s) to add/remove (adds need budget #)

Individual Users: Neb Acct Request Form: <https://netman.cac.washington.edu/webforms/nebula>

New Method for: Multiple Users:

1. myIT has an Eligibility Group field for each department.
2. Each department's H: drive usage will be limited to the NetIDs listed in the Eligibility Group.

For more help on Eligibility Groups, email us.