

Re: SP2 Security Center icon does not display in taskbar

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The "Security Center" icon is not designed to appear in the notification area of the Taskbar. A "Windows Security Alerts" icon will appear in the notification only if Windows XP detects a security issue related to Windows Updates, Firewall or your antivirus program. If you have Automatic Updates enabled, a firewall properly installed and functioning, and your antivirus program virus definitions are up-to-date, then that icon will not appear.

Additionally, if you manually made changes in the way the Security Center alerts you, the icon will not appear. This is by design.

Frequently asked questions about Windows Security Center

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us;883792&Product=windowsxpsp2>

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<http://www.microsoft.com/athome/security/protect/default.aspx>

"Judy" wrote:

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| Successfully installed sp2. The icon is supposed to appear  
| in the taskbar, but it's not there. I tried to put it in  
| the taskbar, per help instructions, but won't appear.  
| What shoul I do? Thank you for your time and help
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