Use VPN for Remote Access

When you are connected to the Cisco AnyConnect VPN, your computer becomes part of the UIHC network and will have access to resources similar to when the computer is on campus. As such, computer usage during VPN connections is governed by UIHC computer usage policies. Please continue to be careful about what web pages you visit and what links (such as in an email) you click on.

VPN is a shared resource. Please disconnect once you no longer need access to UIHC network resources.

Access VPN

1. Access Cisco AnyConnect VPN using the AnyConnect icon or the Start menu.
   a. Double click the AnyConnect icon in the system tray (the lower right corner of your monitor).
   b. Or, click Start | Cisco | Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility Client.

   The first time AnyConnect is opened, the VPN Network Access screen displays.

2. Enter vpn.healthcare.uiowa.edu in the Connect field.

3. Click Connect.

The AnyConnect Login screen displays.

4. Enter your credentials. This is the same username and password you use to log in to your computer at work.

5. Click OK.

The Terms of Use Policy screen displays.

6. Read the Terms of Use policy.

7. Click Accept.

AnyConnect VPN connects your computer to the UIHC network. When connected, a lock appears on the AnyConnect icon in the system tray.

The lock appears any time your VPN connection is active.
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You are automatically disconnected after an idle period or if your computer goes to sleep.

Connecting and disconnecting are options available when right clicking on the icon in the system tray.