<u>TEP 1: Creating a CDX-NetDMR Account</u>

You will need a pen and paper to note down User ID, Password, security question answers, and email address. Please keep this information safe and do not share your account information with anyone.

- 1. Go to the CDX program at the following link: <u>https://cdx.epa.gov/cdx/login</u>.
- 2. Click the green **Register with CDX** link found underneath the User ID box.
- 3. Check the checkbox beside the statement, "I am the original registrant and owner of the User ID requested." Then, click the green Proceed button.
- 4. Select NetDMR: Network Discharge Monitoring Report from the list of Active Program Services.
- 5. Select State Agency **NDMR-LA: NetDMR: Louisiana DEQ** from the new list of Active Program Services.
- 6. Select **Role**:

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- a. Choose **Permittee (signature)** if you will be signing and submitting DMRs.
- b. Choose **Permittee (no signature)** if you are directly employed with the company and will be entering data or viewing DMRs, but <u>not</u> signing and submitting DMRs.
- c. Choose **Data Provider** if you are a third-party lab or consultant.
- 7. Click the green button to **Request Role Access**.
- Create User ID and enter in the email address that will be used for your account. Note both in your records for future use. Click the button to Continue Registration. **PLEASE NOTE**
 Email can be used as the User ID, however User IDs cannot be altered once the account is created.**
- 9. Click the button to **Proceed with Login.gov**.
 - a. <u>If you already have an existing Login.gov account</u>, please **login** using your credentials and enter in your pre-established authentication factor to confirm your identity with Login.gov. (**Proceed to step 10**).
 - b. <u>If you do **not** have an existing Login.gov account</u>, please click on the white and blue header to **Create an Account** and complete the following steps:
 - Enter in the **email address** entered into Step 8 above.
 - Click the checkbox beside the statement, "I read and accept the Login.gov Rules of Use." Click Submit.

- Check your email for an email confirmation from Login.gov. <u>Please check your</u> <u>spam folder if it does not appear in your inbox.</u> Click the button in the email to **Confirm email address**.
- **Create a password** and note in your records for future use. This password must be at least 12 characters.
- <u>Setup 1st Authentication method</u>: LDEQ recommends selecting the checkbox beside **Text or Voice message**, and clicking the **Continue** button. **Enter in your cellphone number** and click the radio button for **text message**. Click the button to **Send Code**. Enter the text messaged code into the prompt on the screen, and click **Submit**.
- Click the button to **Add another method**.
- <u>Setup 2nd Authentication method:</u> LDEQ recommends selecting the checkbox beside **Backup codes**, and clicking the **Continue** button. Print, Copy, or Download these backup codes, and put in a secure place in your records for future use. Click the checkbox next to the statement, "I've put my backup codes in a safe place." Click the button to **Continue**. ****PLEASE NOTE**** if both authentication methods are lost, the account will need to be deleted and re-created after a 24-48hr re-setting period. <u>Please keep codes in a secure and accessible location.**</u>
- Click the button to Agree and continue. You will be redirected back to CDX.
- 10. Enter in name, and select 3 security questions to answer. Note security question answers in your records for future use.
- 11. Enter Organization Name (the name of your facility) and click Find. Select your organization from the list of search results, or, <u>if it is not found</u>, click the link "request that we add your organization" at bottom of page and enter in your organization information. Then, click **Submit Request for Access**.
- 12. Permittee (no signature) roles can proceed to Step 14 below.
- 13. Permittee (signature) roles only:
 - a. Enter your Job Title into the box. Click Next.
 - a. You will need to fill out the Identity Verification form with Lexis Nexis[®]. This is a third party program that will verify your identity. We do not see or keep this information. The program will ask for <u>personal information</u> this section should not be filled out with facility information.

- b. Once your information is filled in, click the checkbox beside the statement "**The name above is me. Please proceed with Lexis Nexis® Validation**." Then, click the link to **Proceed with Verification**.
- c. The CDX Electronic Signature Agreement (ESA) will appear. Click the box to **Sign Electronically**.
- d. The legal signature disclaimer will appear. Click Accept.
- 14. To access NetDMR once the account has been created, click on the **Permittee (no signature)** <u>or</u> **Permittee (signature)** link that is listed next to NDMR-LA: NetDMR: Louisiana DEQ.
- 15. Click **Continue to NetDMR**.
- 16. **The NetDMR account is not complete.** Please continue with the **STEP 2 Document** for your chosen role, and link your permit(s) to your NetDMR account.

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