



PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Offer Proctored Exams Online with Integrity. Affordably. Anytime. Anywhere.

As the demand for online education increases, institutions are being challenged by how to effectively verify the validity and quality of their online programs. Proctoring exams is a key component of establishing a credible online education program; when a program's assessments are secure, institutions can trust that student performance on exams is an accurate representation of learning and not the result of cheating. This is why leading academic institutions have chosen Software Secure Remote Proctor NOW to meet the regional accreditors' standards, and comply with the federal demands of the Higher Education Opportunity Act of 2008 – without sacrificing student convenience.

Remote Proctor NOW: The Solution Built for Online Education

Remote Proctor NOW - a technology-based exam proctoring solution delivers all the benefits of secure, fully-proctored testing in remote environments – anytime-anywhere, without the costs and inconveniences associated with test centers or finding personal proctors. Using a standard computer webcam with a high speed internet connection, students can take a proctored exam online - anywhere in the world. Now institutions can offer exams when it's convenient for them and their students – with full confidence that test takers are doing their own work without outside help.

Featuring robust exam security, Remote Proctor NOW's built-in security actively detects and prevents multiple applications from running before and during an exam. Blacklisted applications are often used by test takers to cheat on exams. Enhanced browser security prevents screen shots, desktop capture, remote access, virtual machines, hot keys, copy and paste, and more. This will help to protect your valuable intellectual property from question theft.

What is Remote Proctor NOW?

Remote Proctor NOW, a cloud-based (SaaS) technology solution is an on-demand, easy to use, low cost alternative to testing centers, personal proctors, and other inconvenient methods of securing the online testing environment. Students can take tests at their convenience, in the comfort of their own homes, using their computer and a webcam. No student set-up, pre-purchase or new hardware required – and no scheduling!

4 Simple Steps . . . and you can be taking a proctored exam within minutes









Remote Proctor NOW

Features

- Easy entry points. Remote Proctor NOW works on every computer and with every webcam.
- On-Demand Testing. No scheduling required, test taker can take an exam with integrity the moment they are ready.
- Recorded Exams. Remote Proctor NOW records the video and audio from the test session for rapid and efficient review.
- Ubiquitous. Remote Proctor NOW integrates with any Course Management System that has password protected exams.

Benefits

- Convenience and Cost. Test takers can use Remote Proctor NOW for a fraction of the cost of going to test centers and avoid the burden of securing a qualified personal proctor.
- Cheating Prevention. Remote Proctor NOW prevents
 electronic cheating and question theft with comprehensive
 application blacklisting to stop unauthorized programs
 from executing before and during the exam.
- **Easy implementation.** Institutions can easily implement a secure online testing environment as system is cloud-based.
- **Protect exam integrity**. Identity of the test taker and the exam video/audio is reviewed by Certified Proctors.

Remote Proctor NOW Technology: How it Works

Using a standard webcam with a microphone and an internet connection, students will have the ability to take a proctored exam anytime and anywhere. **Remote Proctor NOW** collects and stores the video from the student's webcam, the exam-time audio, and generates a video stream of everything displayed on the student's computer screen to create a complete recording of the student's entire exam session -- all of which will be reviewed by multiple certified proctors to catalog and report any exam policy violations. Each student will be watched by at least two proctors - ensuring any wrongful activities will be caught.

ID Authentication: The **Remote Proctor NOW** system provides a simple interface that records pictures of the test-taker and his/her photo-ID. Test-takers are shown the pictures and asked to confirm that the pictures can be used to authenticate identity. Each picture is reviewed by two Certified Proctors.

Security: Comprehensive application blacklisting to stop unauthorized programs from executing before and during the exam.

Exam Monitoring and Screen Capture: Remote Proctor NOW connects with test-takers' web-camera and microphone while recording the exam conditions during the test. Remote Proctor NOW also creates a video of everything that is being displayed on the test-takers' computer facilitating quick and efficient reviewing by Certified Proctors.

Efficient Recording Model: As each **Remote Proctor NOW** exam session is saved for later review, Software Secure is able to have two Certified Proctors review each exam record in its entirety including: ID verification process, room scan, webcam video with audio & desktop video). A comprehensive and complete report of all exam policy violations and suspicious activity (web-camera view, audio meter and desktop view) is provided to institution - all for as low as \$15 US per exam.

Exam Video Access: All exam videos are stored securely on servers using government approved encryption standards. Video records are maintained for as long as the institution offering the exam requires. Access to the video records is restricted to authorized personnel only.

How To Get Started!

- 1. See how it works! Watch our Remote Proctor NOW video demo
- 2. **Schedule a Demo –** Visit our website: <u>softwaresecure.com</u>, or
- 3. Contact Us at 617.340.6381

