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Thread: [\[Suggestion\] New page in the \[url=//hackforums.net/misc.php?action=help\]Help Docs\[url\] named "Warning System"](#)

M?xim - June 20, 2017, 2:58 pm

With the help of [Genuine](#), I wrote together a page for the [Help Docs](#).

I think that it is needed to be added to the [Help Docs](#) so that you can easily refer users to the [Help Docs](#) to get an understanding of their warning points.

And also when new users are trying to get a better understanding, I think that the [Help Docs](#) is the first place they look.

Prewritten and formatted ([Click to View](#))

What do I get warning/potentially ban for?

Here you can find the list of warnings, how many points they're worth and the duration of each warning.

Breaking any of the rules is prohibited and can lead to having your account banned.

Adult Content (+15 points)

Expires after a month.

Advertising Competing Site (+15 points)

Expires after a month.

Disallowed Blackhat Activity (+20 points)

Expires after two months.

Flaming, Threatening, or Harassing (+15 points)

Expires after a month.

Infected Links or Infecting Members (+25 points)

Expires after a month.

Leaking, Copyright, or Leeching (+20 points)

Expires after a month.

Marketplace Violation (+10 points)

Expires after a month.

Nonsense (+10 points)

Expires after two weeks.

Post to PM (+25 points)

Expires after two weeks.

Posting Etiquette (+20 points)

Expires after a month.

Posting Personal Data (+10 points)

Expires after a week.

Profile Violation (+10 points)

Expires after a week.

Reputation Violation (+20 points)

Expires after 2 months.

Vouch Begging (+10 points)

Expires after a week.

Warez, Keys, Serials, Rips or Cracks (+20 points)

Expires after a month.

What happens if I get 100% warning level?

You will get automatically banned for 2 weeks.

Post Suspension

40% warning disables your post feature for 24hours, starting from the time you've received the warning.

75% warning disables your post feature for one week, starting from the time you've received the warning.

Other

If you are UB3R or above you can see the past 72 hours of warning logs here:

[Hack Forums / Warning Log](#)

If you have an existing warning level, you can check it here:

<https://hackforums.net/ub3rviewwarnings.php>

Code The warning system is in place in order to give users a second chance. Instead of banning users for not following the site policy, staff members hand out warning levels if your post is reported by another member who noticed that you violated a rule or if the staff member notices something themselves.

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(Jun 20, 2017 03:14 PM)Yani Wrote: [CITE](#) I contacted staff and even Omni for that rule. It's a very vague rule.

Just don't force people to post in your thread to receive something (except for giveaways)
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Post below if you'd like one

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M?xim - June 20, 2017, 3:17 pm

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From what I've heard / gotten to understand is that the only thing that is not allowed is:

"Post and I'll PM you the XXXXX"

Though it is allowed to do:

"PM me for XXX"

OT:

Very nicely written. Hoping this will be added as I think it will save staff alot of time since users will stop asking why they get a warning.

Mr. Robot - June 20, 2017, 3:18 pm

Nice suggestion mate and nice layout - looks good.

Egregious Jr. - June 20, 2017, 3:39 pm

Looks nice maxim - hopefully this gets implemented.

SIM-2285183 - June 20, 2017, 3:41 pm

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M?xim - June 20, 2017, 3:42 pm

(Jun 20, 2017 03:41 PM)iiCarelessness Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) 24 hour post suspension hits at 40%, not 50%. Oh, might have changed then. I take it that this is true because you happen to have 40%. Thanks for letting me know. Will edit the thread.

Vandor - June 20, 2017, 4:00 pm

This is actually really informing. I think that this suggestion should be implemented! Good job!

M?xim - June 21, 2017, 4:21 pm

(Jun 20, 2017 03:20 PM)Yani Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) On topic though, I don't see why this would be a good addition to the [Help Docs](#).

It's interesting information, but adding the color coded points you'll get just make it seem like you can do a few of the less red colored ones and still be perfectly fine wink*wink

Instead of scaring the user it might make them try and abuse it.

I think you are right, but damn, really want the colors. Not sure what to change it to.

M?xim - June 21, 2017, 4:43 pm

(Jun 21, 2017 04:32 PM)Yani Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Well it also feels as if this would be the same for any sort of statistic really, like the amount of time and whatever can happen on specific amounts.

It's like saying we work on a 3 strikes basis, which implies you can fuck me over 2 times free of charge.

I'm quite certain Omni is very good with psychology and thinks like this.

Yeye Omni is a psychology master and you know how he thinks.

I'll work something out.

Happeh - June 21, 2017, 4:54 pm

Pretty informative suggestion and can serve as a guide even if it isn't added. Very nice, Maxim.

grady - June 21, 2017, 4:57 pm

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Why is that a rule?

M?xim - June 21, 2017, 4:59 pm

(Jun 21, 2017 04:57 PM)?Infamy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Why is that a rule?

I would think that it is because it is because it gives a forum a sort of "desperate" look.

It will force people to post, thereby the post count will look forced.

But if you do the exact opposite, not allowing people to be forced to post, the post count will be legit. Shows the true activity of a forum.

M?xim - July 1, 2017, 10:13 am

Just giving this a bump then closing.