

# DATA CENTER CHECKLIST

Use our data center checklist to check for what truly matters at a data center. We've developed this so you can easily compare the most important features.

1. Enter the names of the data centers at the top
2. Mark features off as you see them
3. Compare section scores

[Contact us](#) if you have any questions.

## Building / Facilities

	COLOCATION PROVIDERS				
	Colocation Provider A	Colocation Provider B	Colocation Provider C	Colocation Provider D	Colocation Provider E
Do they have enough available space for your requirements?					
Do they offer 24/7 remote hands on?					
Is their remote hands-on free?					
Are they rated 5-star on third party sites?					
Do they have a 100% uptime SLA?					
Is the building in a floodplain? Check this on the <a href="#">Harris County Flood map</a>					
Is the location easily accessible?					
Does the location have sufficient nearby power?					
Do they have ultra-fast discharge batteries?					
Do they have stock parts available on site?					
<b>BUILDING / FACILITIES SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## Generators

	Colocation Provider A	Colocation Provider B	Colocation Provider C	Colocation Provider D	Colocation Provider E
Are they located indoors for additional reliability?					
Do they have hurricane resistant systems?					
Are there onsite fuel supplies?					
Do they meet NPS 110 requirements?					
<b>GENERATORS SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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## Cooling

Do they have a waterless facility?					
Can they support high performance computing?					
<b>COOLING SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## Connectivity

Are cross connects free?					
Do they have over 10 carriers?					
Is the infrastructure truly fault tolerant?					
Do they have dual meet me rooms?					
Do they have armored core fiber cabling?					
<b>CONNECTIVITY SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## Security

Do they have 5 layers of security?					
Is the security customizable at point of access?					
Is the facility in a low crime area?					
<b>SECURITY SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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## Compliance

HIPAA					
SSAE					
SOC					
PCI					
NFPA 110					
<b>COMPLIANCE SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## Amenities

Can your rent offices?					
Do they have conference & break out rooms?					
Do they have showers?					
Is there wi-fi throughout the building?					
<b>AMENITIES SCORE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## Total Score

<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
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