

# Add Existing Organizations



View in the help center:

<https://bitwarden.com/help/add-existing-client-org/>

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### Warning

As of 2024.7.0, the option to migrate pre-existing organizations to your Provider is no longer supported.

MSPs, resellers, and other Bitwarden partners that are already administering organizations on behalf of their clients can add pre-existing organizations to their Provider Portal.

When Bitwarden detects that a [Provider admin's](#) account is the **owner of a non-provider organization**, the Provider Portal will display an **+ Add existing organization** button:

The screenshot shows the Bitwarden Provider Portal interface. On the left is a sidebar with 'Clients' selected. The main area is titled 'Clients' and contains a table with three columns: 'Name', 'Number of users', and 'Plan'. The table lists three organizations: 'My Client's Organization' (25 users, Enterprise (Annually) 2020), 'Second Client's Organization' (15 users, Teams (Monthly) 2020), and 'Third Client's Organization' (10 users, Enterprise (Monthly) 2020). Above the table are buttons for '+ New client' and '+ Add existing organization' (highlighted with a red circle). A search bar and a user profile icon are also visible.

| Name                         | Number of users | Plan                       |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| My Client's Organization     | 0 / 25          | Enterprise (Annually) 2020 |
| Second Client's Organization | 0 / 15          | Teams (Monthly) 2020       |
| Third Client's Organization  | 0 / 10          | Enterprise (Monthly) 2020  |

Add existing client

Selecting the **+ Add existing organization** button prompts you to select the organization to add to the Provider:

This screenshot shows the same 'Clients' page as before, but with a modal window open. The modal is titled 'Add existing organization' and contains a list of organizations. 'My Client's Organization' is selected and highlighted with a green circle. To the right of this entry is an 'Add' button, which is highlighted with a red circle. There is also a 'Close' button at the bottom of the modal.

Confirm add existing client

Once added, the organization will appear in the **Clients** list alongside all other client organizations.

 **Tip**

**Once you have added the existing organization to the Provider**, you (the Provider admin and organization owner) can be removed from the organization. Doing so will free up the user seat previously taken up by your account. As a member of the Provider, you will retain all permission over the client organization:

1. Organizations may not be owner-less, so [add a backup owner to the organization](#).
2. Once the new owner is invited, accepted, and confirmed, ask them to [remove you from the organization](#).