

Nameserver

What alternatives are there to forward a domain?

After you registered/transferred a domain, usually there is no content connected. We offer various alternatives to forward a domain. It is decisive for choosing the correct alternative, what requirements and what purpose your domain has.

Forwarding to a IP adress (A/AAAA record)

This is necessary if you have rent Webspaces or a hosting server with another provider and want to point to their IP.

You can find information about how to set up forwarding to a IP address [here](#).

Forward to a hostname to a hostname with CNAME

This is necessary if your Webspaces provider asked you to set a CNAME record. CNAME records can only be set for subdomains. This is not possible for Wildcard.

You can find information about how to set up forwarding by CNAME [here](#).

Forwarding to an exiting internet address

This is necessary if your domain name should link to an already existing internet address.

You can find information about how to set up forwarding to an existing internet address [here](#).

Forwarding through external Nameserver

This is necessary if your Webspaces provider has asked you to set up their Nameservers. The domain will be forwarded by the third-party Nameservers. All settings have to be made there.

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You can find information about how to set up external Nameservers here.

Forwarding to a hosting package you have booked at INWX

This is necessary if you have booked a hosting package with us, which provides storage space to upload the content of your website. Forwarding to a hosting package can only work, when you have booked one with us. You can see the offerings in the customer under the menu item "Hosting".

You can find information about how to set up a hosting package here.

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