

# Software|Hardware Security and Other Concerns

Philippine Health Research Ethics Portal



# Software Security

## How secure is the Public Knowledge Project's software?

The current suite of releases (OJS 2.x, OCS 2.x, and the PKP Harvester 2.x) are based on a structured, proven, and widely deployed platform. We have taken considerable care to ensure that our software is secure at all levels, including checks to prevent SQL injections, XSS (cross-site scripting) attacks, and to ensure that application-level permissions are checked. As all of our software is open-source, it additionally benefits from community scrutiny. Our security track record is extremely good.

Source:

[http://pkp.sfu.ca/wiki/index.php/PKP\\_Frequently\\_Asked\\_Questions](http://pkp.sfu.ca/wiki/index.php/PKP_Frequently_Asked_Questions)



# OJS Based Journals

2609 Journals are listed as registered OJS users.

Source: <http://pkp.sfu.ca/ojs-journals>

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# Hardware | Network Security

- Watchguard Firewall
- MAC Address based Network Access
- Multi level user-based validation server access



# Maintenance cost for Participating ERCs

