NovaLockr - Privacy Policy

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Overview

NovaLockr ("the app") is a locally-encrypted information and file manager developed by an independent developer. It is designed to operate fully offline, ensuring that your sensitive data stays on your device—unseen, unread, and unprocessed by anyone, including the developer.

Data Storage & Security

All information—passwords, notes, files, and subscriptions—is stored exclusively on your device and protected using AES-256-GCM encryption.

Your vault data is encrypted with a key derived from your master password. This password is known only to you. The developer does not store, transmit, or access this key.

NovaLockr does not use cloud servers, external storage, or sync services. Your data never leaves your device.

Deleted data is recoverable from the in-app Trash for up to 30 days. After that, it is permanently erased with no recovery option.

Data Collection

NovaLockr does not collect, track, or transmit any personal identifiers such as your name, email, address, or IP address. It does not access device metadata, biometric information, geolocation data, usage analytics, or advertising identifiers.

The app does not connect to any external database, telemetry system, or analytics platform.

Passphrase Generator Notice

NovaLockr includes a passphrase generator feature, which uses external wordlists to generate human-readable passwords.

The app retrieves word lists from trusted sources such as hekkuro.app or similar open-access dictionaries. No user data, activity logs, or identifiers are sent to hekkuro.app or any other service during this process. The request is unidirectional: the word list is sent to the app, and no response data is transmitted from the app back to the source. When possible, retrieved lists are cached locally to eliminate repeated requests.

If your device is connected to the internet, it is possible (as with any network connection) that the service's host may see metadata like your

IP address by default. However, the app itself does not send any identifiable content or usage patterns to the external service.

Payment & Subscriptions

NovaLockr offers premium features via in-app purchases, which are processed through Apple's App Store. All payment information is handled by Apple's secure billing infrastructure and governed by Apple's privacy policies. This information is not visible to or stored by the app or the developer.

Your Responsibilities

Because of the app's fully offline, zero-knowledge design, you are the sole custodian of your data. If you lose your master password, data cannot be recovered. If you uninstall the app without exporting a backup, your data is lost permanently.

There is no password reset, key recovery, or remote access available. This is intentional, to protect your privacy.

Children's Privacy

NovaLockr is not intended for users under the age of 13. The app does not knowingly collect any personal information. Parents and guardians are encouraged to supervise use if installed by minors.

Data Breaches

As no data is transmitted or stored outside your device, the only plausible data breach scenario is device-level compromise, such as theft or malware. The developer has no access or ability to detect, report, or resolve such incidents.

Legal Compliance

Although NovaLockr does not process any personal data, it is designed to align with global privacy regulations, including the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR – EU), California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA/CPRA – US), and Lei Geral de Proteção de Dados (LGPD – Brazil).

Since all data control rests with the user, requests for access, correction, or deletion must be executed by the user directly in the app.

Policy Updates

This policy may be revised occasionally. Major changes will be reflected in this document and optionally through App Store notes. However, due to the app's offline nature, no notification will be pushed to the app itself.

Contact

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