

Setting Up Your First CO

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Review

Before continuing you should make sure you have reviewed the following documents:

- [Understanding Registry People Types](#)
- [Registry Administrators](#)
- [Default Registry Enrollment](#)

Keep in mind that you are actually creating your *second* CO. The first CO, called CManage, is automatically created when you set up the Registry. The CManage CO is used for various platform wide configuration tasks. Administrators in the CManage CO are [Platform Administrators](#).

First CO

1. Log in to the Registry using the credentials you specified as part of the [Registry Setup Script](#). These credentials have Platform Administrator privileges.
2. Define a new CO.
 - a. In Registry v6.0.0 and later, via *CManage CO >> Configuration >> COs*.
 - b. In earlier Registry versions, via *Platform >> COs >> Add CO*.
3. You should define at least one [CO administrator](#).
4. That's it! However, in order to do something useful you (or the CO administrator) may want to
 - a. Define some [COUs](#) and administrators
 - b. Set up one or more [enrollment flows](#)
 - c. Configure [identifier assignments](#)
 - d. Define one or more [provisioning targets](#)
 - e. Enable [data normalization](#) (as of v0.9.4 normalization is enabled by default)
 - f. You can also define [Extended Types and Extended Attributes](#) to extend the Registry data model

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