



Centaur Setup for Receivers

Centaur ensures you receive high-quality media, in your selected format, by your preferred delivery method.

Delivery Methods — Specify your Preference:

- * Automated download from Centaur servers (via the Centaur Windows service)
- * FTP delivery to site hosted by receiver
- * FTP delivery to site hosted by Centaur

Centaur's client software runs as a Windows service — it starts automatically with the PC, runs in the background without a logged-in user, and resumes downloads after reboots or network interruptions.

Format Options — Specify your Preference:

- * Audio Level: Default is -24 dB LKFS. Please specify if you require a different level.
- * Metadata: Please indicate if you require sidecar XML metadata (e.g., for Telestream Vantage or similar automation systems)
- * Format: Please specify your format/compression (MXF, MPEG2, H.264, etc.)

If Using Centaur Software:

Installing Centaur: Download Centaur via <https://www.centauredelivery.com/SoftwareUpdate.html>

Administrator privileges are required to install the service. Once installed, it runs under a system account; no admin login is needed for day-to-day operation.

The service initiates outbound HTTPS connections to Centaur servers. No inbound ports need to be opened.

Get Started: Email cpro@centauredelivery.com with your delivery method, format preferences, and a request for your Centaur connection code.