VPN Configuration for Windows 7

VPN Services are used off-campus when you need to connect to on-campus resources.

Click the Start wheel.

In the **Search programs and files** box, type **network and sharing** and hit **Enter**.

The **Network and Sharing Center** will open.

Click **Set up a new connection or network**.

A window will open asking you to **Choose a connection option**.

Select **Connect to a workplace**, and click **Next**.

A window will open asking **How do you want to connect?**

Click **Use my Internet connection (VPN)**.
A window will open asking you to **Type the Internet address to connect to.**

Type the following address: **vpn-public.vpn.northwestern.edu**

You do not need to check any of the boxes.

Click **Next.**

For **User name,** type your NetID.

For **Password,** type your NetID password.

You can select **Remember this password** if you wish.

Leave the **Domain** field blank.

Click **Connect.**

If you are connected to the Internet, your credentials will be verified and then you will be connected to VPN. Click **Close** to finish the process.