

Is betindianasports.com a scam? TrustSniffer's high-risk assessment: 5/100

betindianasports.com

Verdict

5

OUT OF 100

CRITICAL RISK

betindianasports.com shows high-risk / scam indicators.

This assessment found strong scam indicators. Do not pay, sign in, or share personal details with this site.

Sensitive Interaction Risk

Governance Risk

Assessed 2026-08-19 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Regional sports-focused website providing match previews, betting-related articles, contests and links to sportsbooks for Indiana users. Primary function appears informational with monetization via gambling affiliate/referral channels.

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

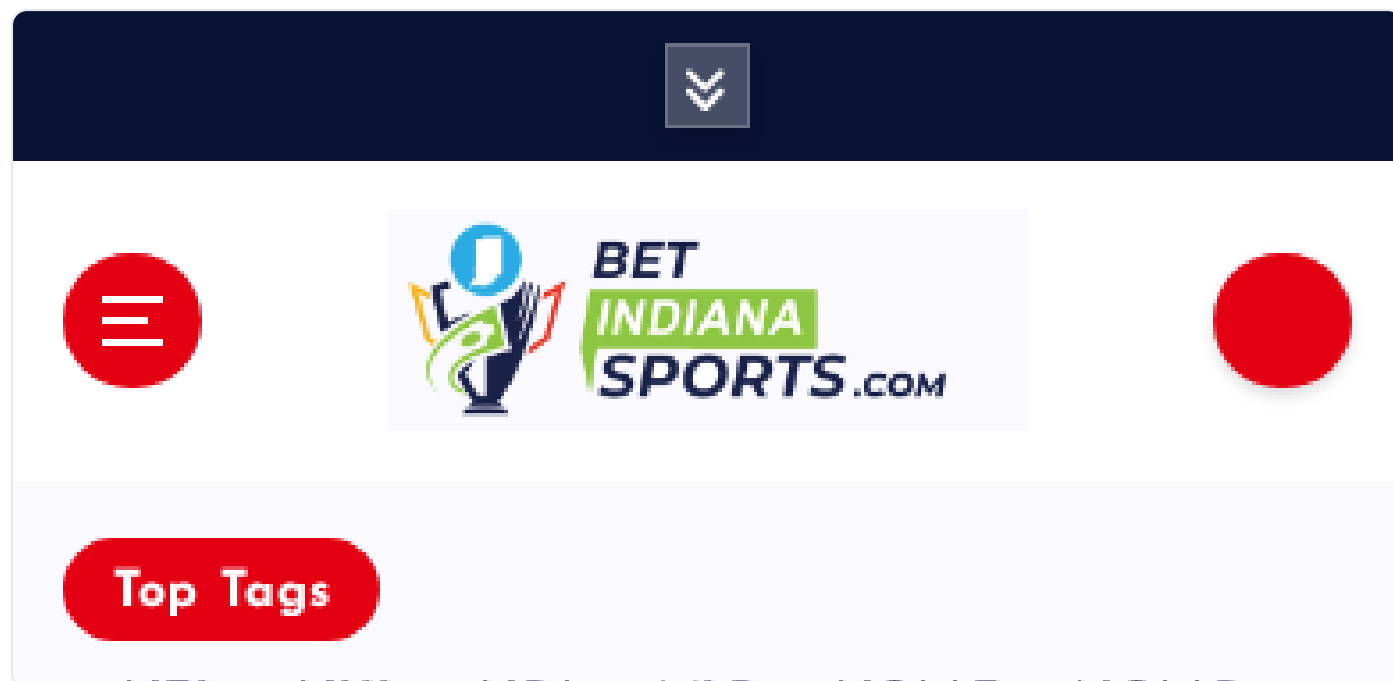
At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	5 flagged it VirusTotal	RISK
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	9.2 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2018 359 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YR2	NOTED

The page as captured

<https://betindianasports.com/>



What betindianasports.com served when TrustSniffer captured it on 2026-08-19. The page may look different now.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Sensitive Interaction Risk.
- Domain age: 3 to 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2018.
- At least one reputation service TrustSniffer consulted had flagged this domain at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

This website, BetIndianaSports.com, presents Indiana-focused sports news, match previews, betting-related articles, contests, and links to sportsbooks, with an apparent business model based on advertising, affiliate referrals, and contest participation.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

The site carries a material security concern because external reputation evidence records a confirmed blacklist hit alongside malicious and suspicious detections. That contradiction outweighs otherwise normal-looking publishing content and means the website should not be treated as reliable for sensitive interactions. The homepage's sports-news presentation does not itself prove malicious intent, and no separate identity contradiction or brand-impersonation finding is established; however, its betting contests and sportsbook referral mechanics create a pathway to financial activity outside the site and increase the consequences of misplaced trust. The domain has an established registration and archival record, but that provenance does not neutralize the current external threat detections.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage presents match previews, betting articles, NFL and MLB coverage, contests, and sportsbook-related content for Indiana users.
- External reputation checks recorded 5 malicious detections, 1 suspicious detection, and a confirmed blacklist hit.
- The domain was registered on 2017-06-22 and is approximately 9.16 years old.
- Web archives contain 359 snapshots spanning 2018–2025, with 8 years tracked.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The apparent business model is gambling-related publishing and referral activity, but the available site evidence does not present a claimed license, licensing authority, or license number. This is a regulatory and disclosure gap requiring independent confirmation rather than, by itself, proof of a scam. The real-world operator remains unverified, so the site's apparent legitimacy and ownership should not be treated as independently established. Positive technical and historical signals are present: the long-established registration, substantial archive continuity, valid transport encryption, and identifiable hosting infrastructure are consistent with a functioning, maintained website, but they do not overcome the confirmed reputation contradiction.

EVIDENCE

- Registration records identify NAMECHEAP INC as registrar; creation date: 2017-06-22T22:00:54Z; expiration date: 2027-06-22T22:00:54Z; age: 9.16 years.
- Hosting infrastructure is served from AS14061, DIGITALOCEAN-ASN – DigitalOcean, LLC, US.
- The site's TLS certificate is issued by YR2, uses DV validation, and is valid to 2026-10-12T01:36:50+00:00.

What to Verify Next

Before any sensitive interaction, an organization should confirm the operator's legal identity and any applicable authorization through authoritative public registries rather than relying on the website's branding or editorial presentation. Any sportsbook, contest, or payment destination should be checked independently for ownership, licensing, terms, withdrawal conditions, and consumer-protection arrangements. Official support and contact channels should also be confirmed through an independent route, and any account, credential, or payment request should remain suspended until those checks are complete.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies the site as an Indiana sports and betting destination but does not, in the supplied content, establish an independently verified legal operator.
- The available business-model evidence records no claimed license, licensing authority, or license number.
- The site's transport encryption is DV-only, which authenticates encrypted delivery but does not establish the operator's identity or regulatory authorization.

Summary Verdict

The overall posture is **critical trust risk**, with sensitive interaction risk driven by confirmed external reputation contradictions and unverified operator identity. The website may function as a sports-content publisher, but the available evidence is insufficient to support confidence in account, credential, payment, or other financially consequential engagement.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by a CDN/WAF layer, and the observed address, 45.55.72.155, is treated as an edge address rather than a confirmed origin server. This reduces direct exposure of the underlying host and provides a limited mitigating control, but CDN/WAF protection is not evidence of legitimacy and cannot offset the external reputation findings.

Closing Assessment

Interaction should be limited to passive viewing, with credentials, account access, payment details, and other sensitive actions withheld unless independent identity, authorization, and destination checks produce satisfactory results.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-19 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

2 findings contributed to this verdict, raised by registration and ownership, analysis engine, behaviour in a sandbox, external reputation.

01 Governance Risk

- Registration details are held behind a privacy service, so no operator is named publicly. This is common and legal, and it also means there is nobody to check.

Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_PRIVATE

- The registration record withholds contact details for the operator.

Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_HIDDEN

02 Sensitive Interaction Risk

- The analysis matched a pattern TrustSniffer treats as a direct threat to a visitor.

Analysis engine signal:direct_threat

- The structure of the page changed sharply while it was loading.

Behaviour in a sandbox rule:BEHAV_DOM_DENSITY_SPIKE

- The page rewrote itself after it was interacted with, so what a visitor first sees is not what they end up on.

Behaviour in a sandbox rule:BEHAV_DOM_DIFF_AFTER_INTERACTION

- An external threat feed lists this domain: either Google Safe Browsing marked it malicious, or a significant number of malware engines flagged it.

External reputation rule:EXT_BLACKLIST_CRITICAL

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	25%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of betindianasports.com.

- The request stayed on betindianasports.com. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under NAMECHEAP INC. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by registrar-servers.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-06-22. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2018-08-08. CLEAR
- It is hosted on DIGITALOCEAN-ASN, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	NAMECHEAP INC
Hosting	DIGITALOCEAN-ASN - DigitalOcean, LLC, US
Country	US
Server IP	45.55.72.155
Name servers	DNS1.REGISTRAR-SERVERS.COM, DNS2.REGISTRAR-SERVERS.COM
SSL issuer	YR2
SSL expiry	2026-10-12
Domain age	9.16 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2027-06-22
Archive first seen	2018-08-08
Archive snapshots	359
Reputation	VirusTotal: 5 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about betindianasports.com at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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