

## [MS-SAMR]: Transport

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This protocol configures the RPC runtime to perform a strict [Network Data Representation \(NDR\)](#) data consistency check at target level 5.0, as specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 3.

This protocol uses [UUID](#) 12345778-1234-ABCD-EF00-0123456789AC to identify the RPC interface.

This protocol enables the ms\_union extension that is specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 2.2.4.

This protocol asks the RPC runtime, via the **strict\_context\_handle** attribute, to reject the use of context handles that are created by a method of a different RPC interface than this one, as specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 3.

This protocol uses the following RPC protocol sequences: [<7>](#)

- RPC over SMB, as specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 2.1.1.2. [<8>](#)

This protocol uses the pipe name "\\PIPE\\samr" for the endpoint name. [<9>](#)

- RPC over TCP. [<10>](#)

This protocol uses RPC dynamic endpoints, as specified in [\[C706\]](#) section 6.

This protocol MUST indicate to the RPC runtime that it is to support both the Network Data Representation (NDR) and [64-bit Network Data Representation \(NDR64\) transfer syntaxes](#) and provide a negotiation mechanism for determining which RPC transfer syntax will be used, as specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 3.

This protocol MUST use the UUID as specified previously. The RPC version number is 1.0.

The protocol uses the underlying RPC protocol to retrieve the identity of the client that made the method call, as specified in [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 3.3.3.4.3. The server SHOULD use this identity to perform method-specific [access checks](#), as specified in the message processing section of each method. [<11>](#)

RPC clients for this protocol MUST use the authentication level RPC\_C\_AUTHN\_LEVEL\_NONE when invoking RPC over SMB methods.

The server SHOULD [<12>](#) reject calls that do not use an authentication level of either RPC\_C\_AUTHN\_LEVEL\_NONE or RPC\_C\_AUTHN\_LEVEL\_PKT\_PRIVACY (see [\[MS-RPCE\]](#) section 2.2.1.1.8).

RPC clients for this protocol MUST use RPC over TCP/IP for the [SamrValidatePassword](#) method and MUST use RPC over SMB for the [SamrSetDSRMPassword](#) method.

RPC clients **MUST** use only RPC over SMB for the [SamrSetInformationUser](#) and [SamrSetInformationUser2](#) methods when UserInformationClass is UserAllInformation, UserInternal1Information, UserInternal4Information, UserInternal4InformationNew, UserInternal5Information, UserInternal5InformationNew, UserInternal7Information, or UserInternal8Information.

For the SamrValidatePassword method, the client **SHOULD** use transport security to encrypt the message because the message contents contain cleartext password data. That is, the client **SHOULD** use an SPNEGO security provider, as specified in [MS-RPCE] section [2.2.1.1.7](#), and **SHOULD** use the packet authentication level, as specified in [MS-RPCE] section [3.3.1.5.2.<13>](#)

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