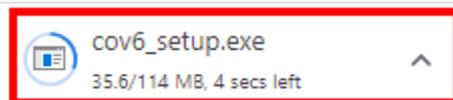


## Installation Guide

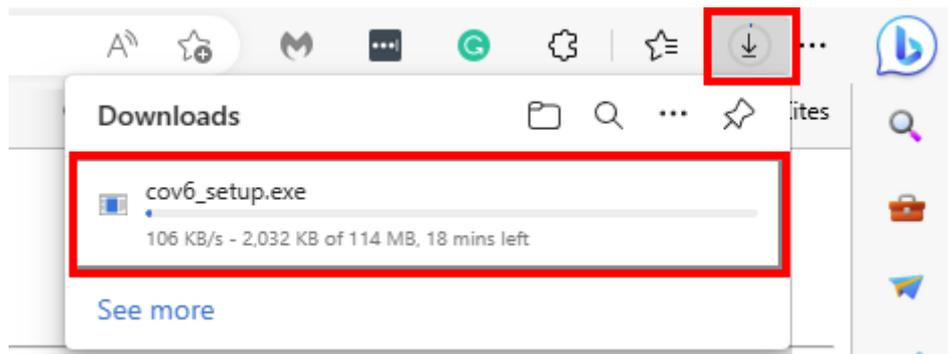
**[1]** To download the SETUP file, please click this link:

[https://pioneersoftware.co.uk/files/cov6/cov6\\_setup.exe](https://pioneersoftware.co.uk/files/cov6/cov6_setup.exe)

**[2]** The download will start to and depending on which web browser you use; you may see something like this at the bottom left of the window...



...or something like this towards the top right...

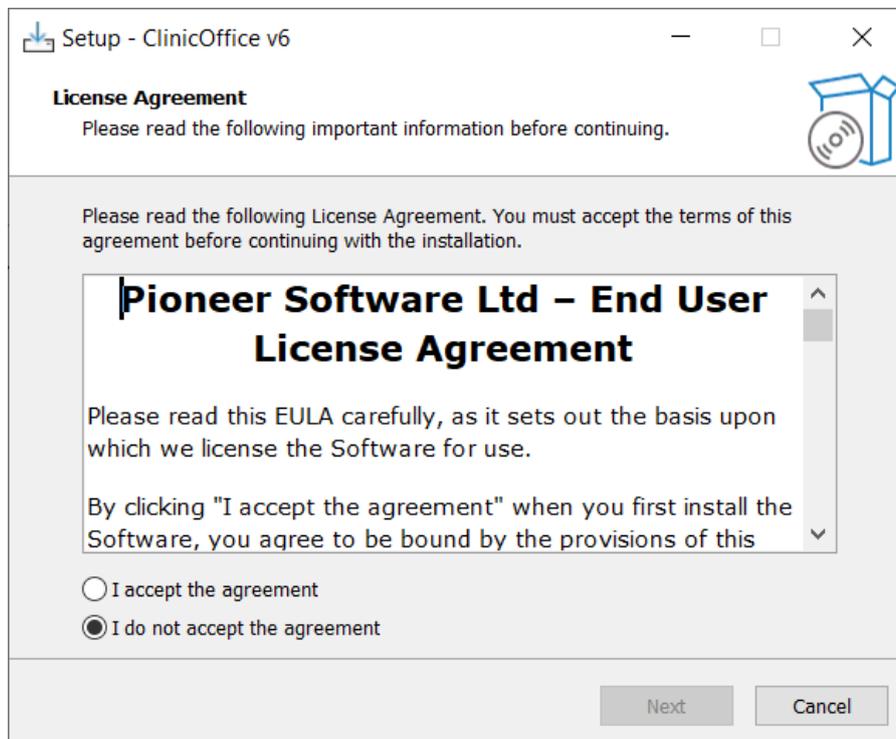


Once the download has completed launch the “**cov6\_setup.exe**” file to start the installation process.

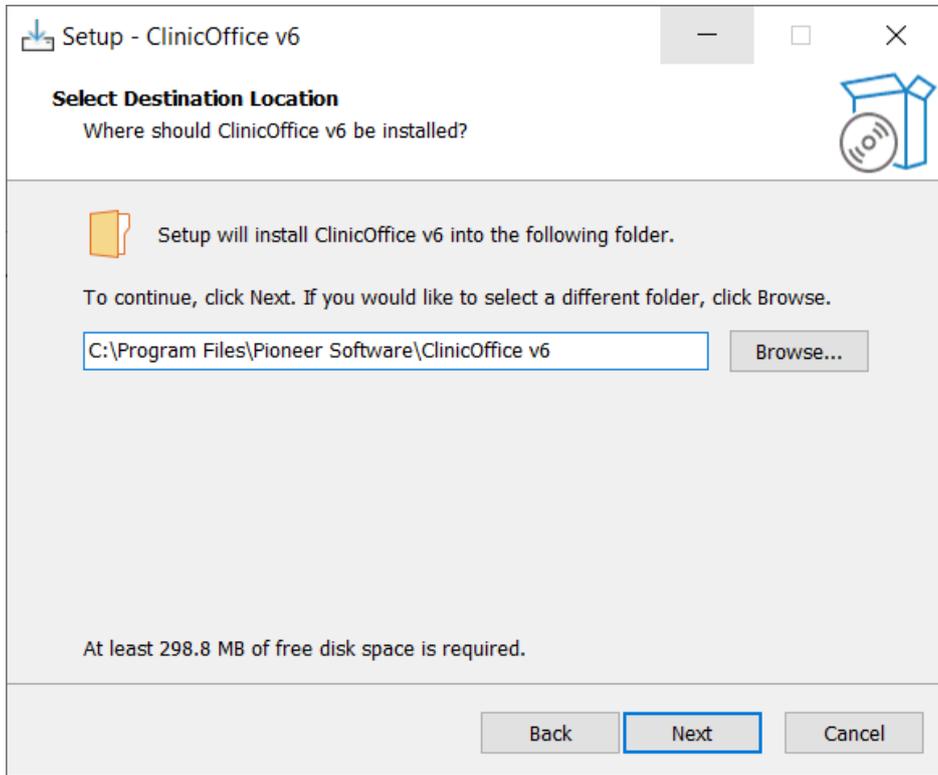
**[3]** Depending on your Windows configuration, you may see a *SECURITY MESSAGE* like the following. Simply click **YES** to allow the setup to continue...



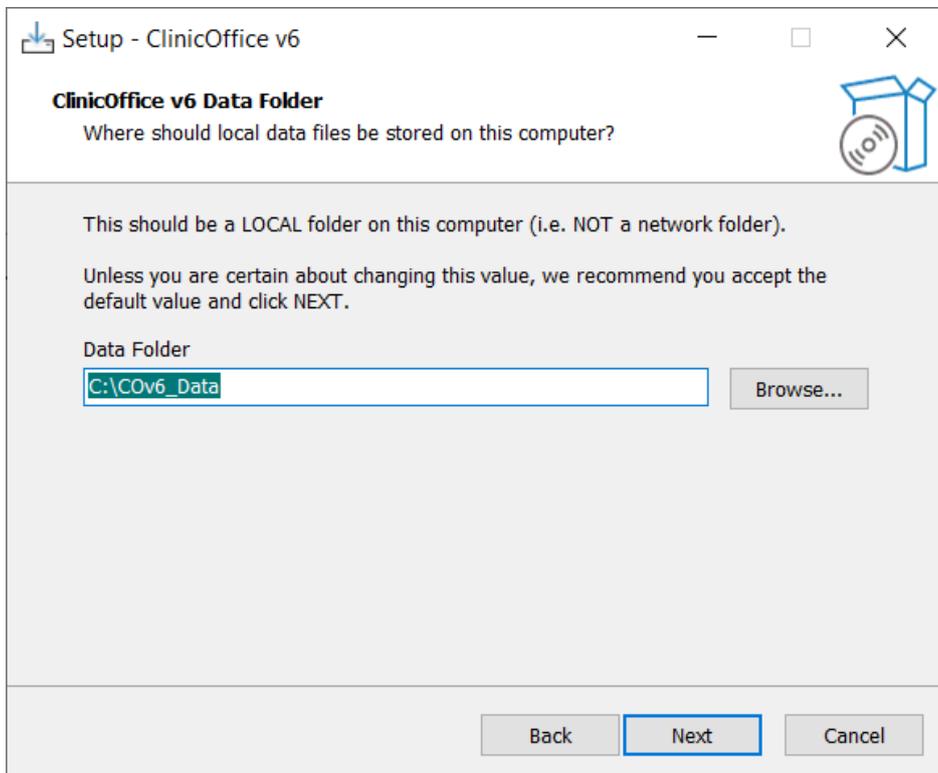
[4] If you're happy to accept our End User License Agreement (EULA), click **NEXT** to proceed...



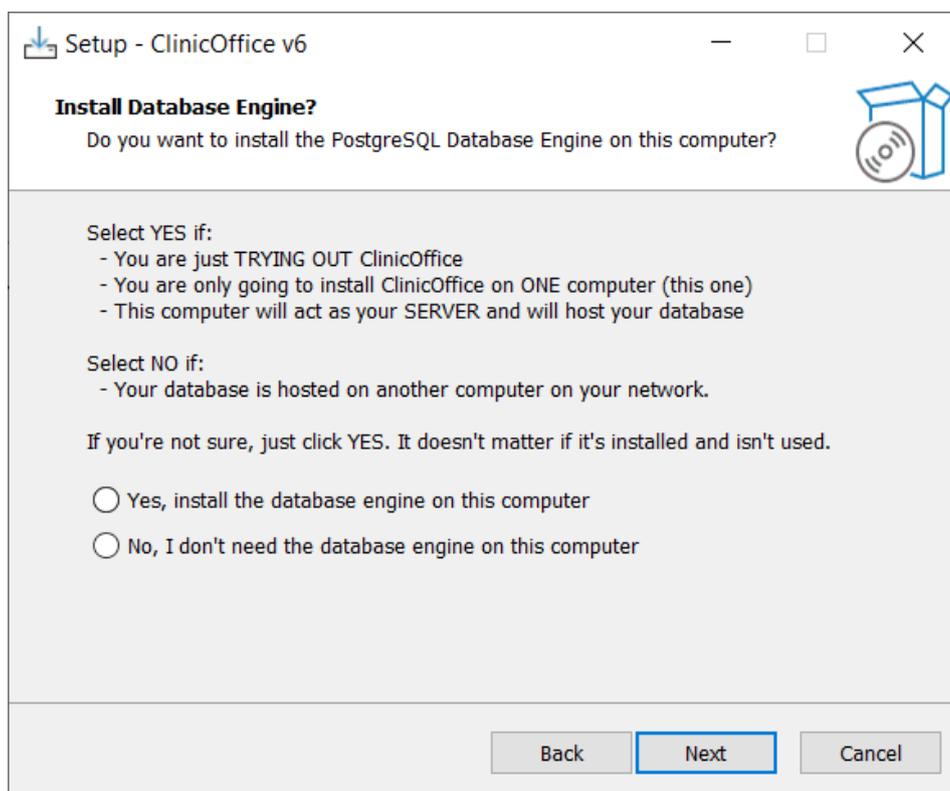
[5] We recommend leaving the "Destination Location" as the default, unless you know what you're doing and wish to install it somewhere else. Click **NEXT** to proceed...



**[6]** Again, we recommend leaving the “*Data Folder*” as the default (unless you wish to install it somewhere else). Click **NEXT** to proceed...

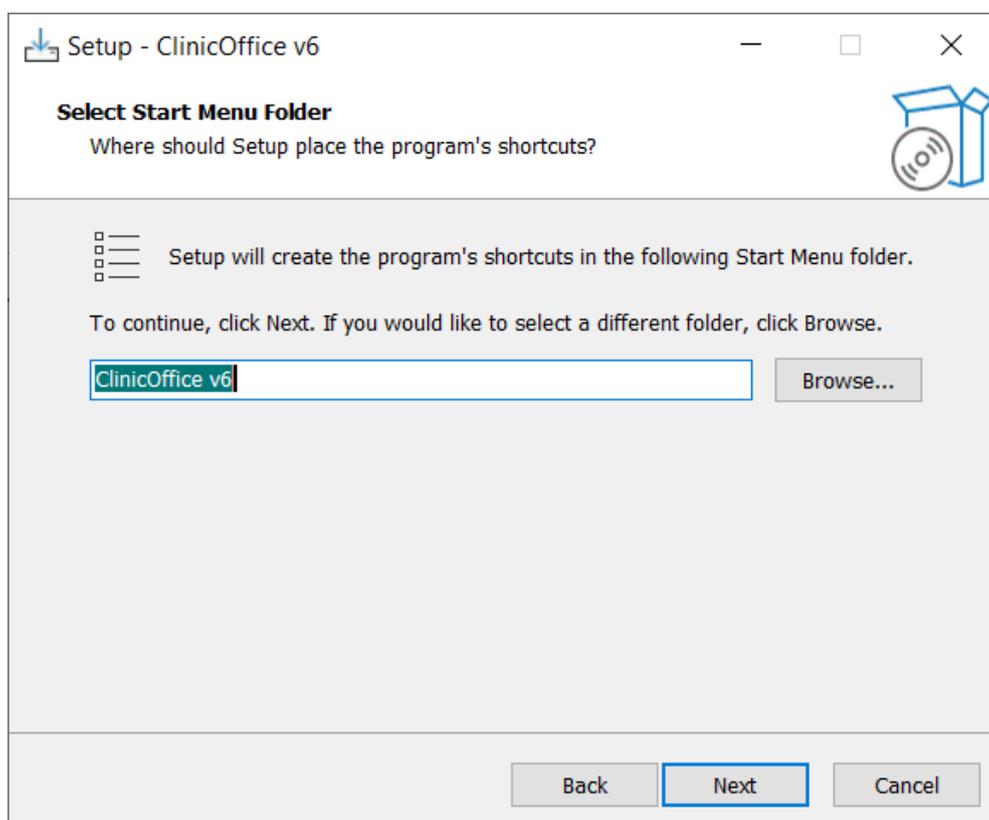


**[8]** If you are using ClinicOffice on one machine only or if this computer will be your server computer (the machine with the database), please select “**Yes, install the database engine on this computer**” and click next.

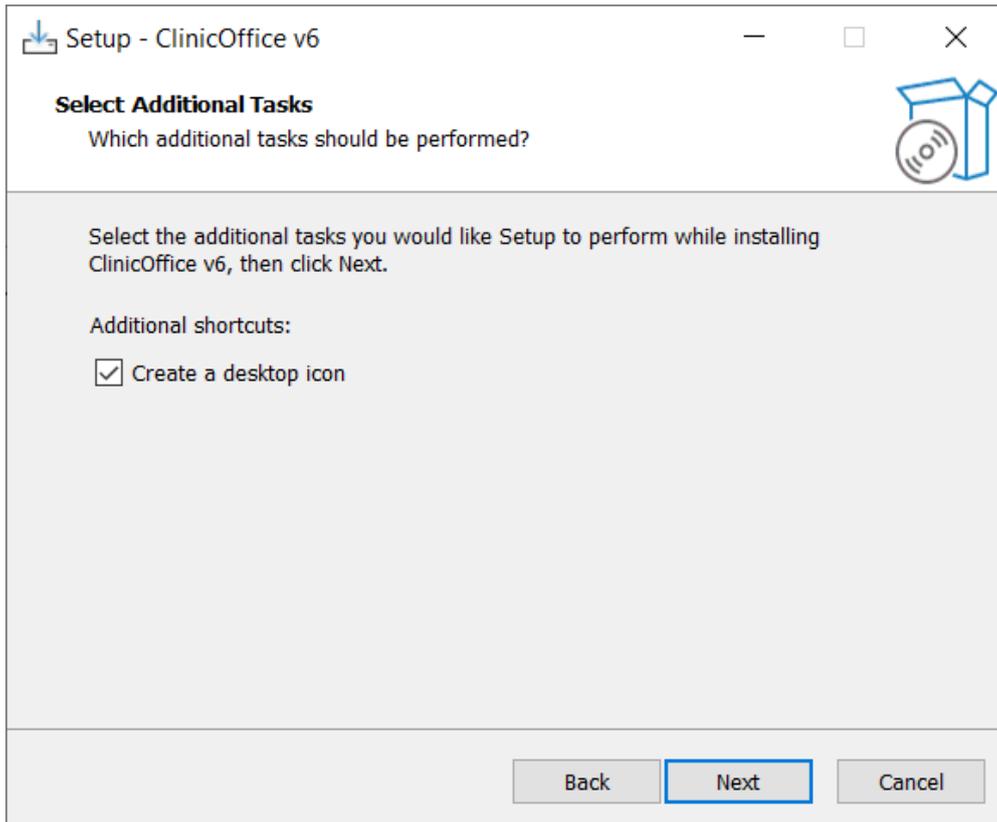


If this is not your server machine and is a client machine, please click “**No, I don’t need the database engine on this computer**” and click **Next**.

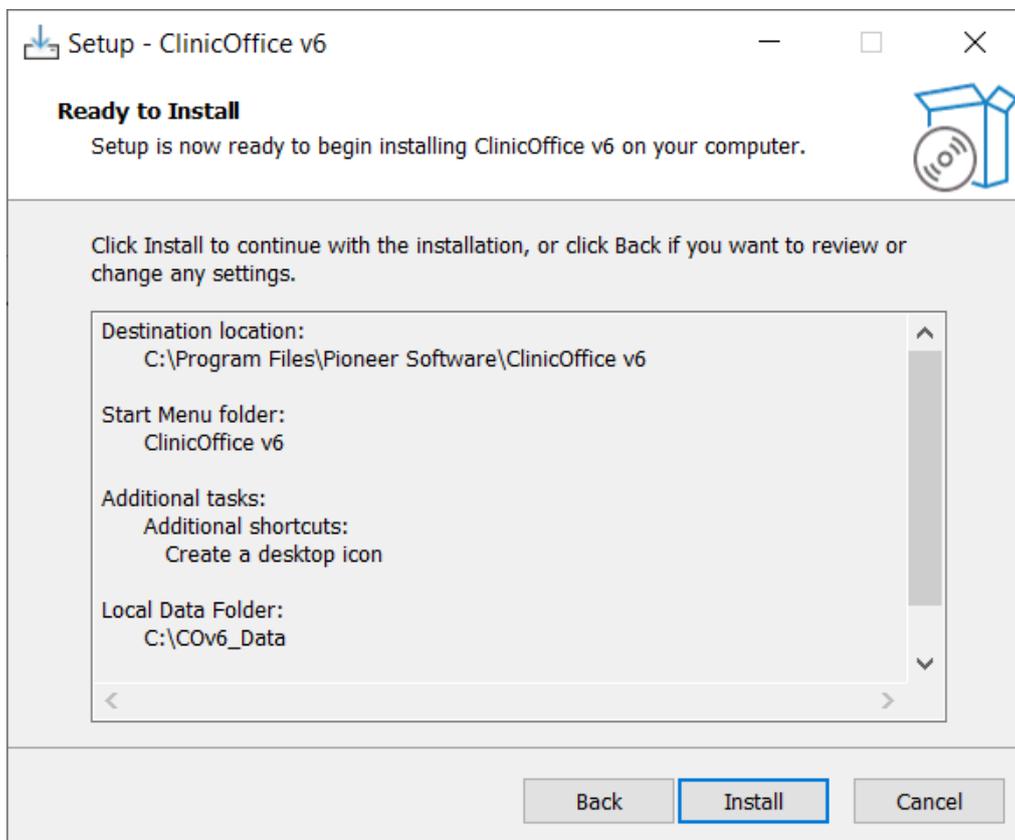
**[7]** The “*Start Menu Folder*” controls where menu items are installed on your Windows **START** menu. We recommend leaving this setting as the default. Click **NEXT** to proceed...



**[8]** Select whether you want a shortcut icon on your desktop and click **Next**.

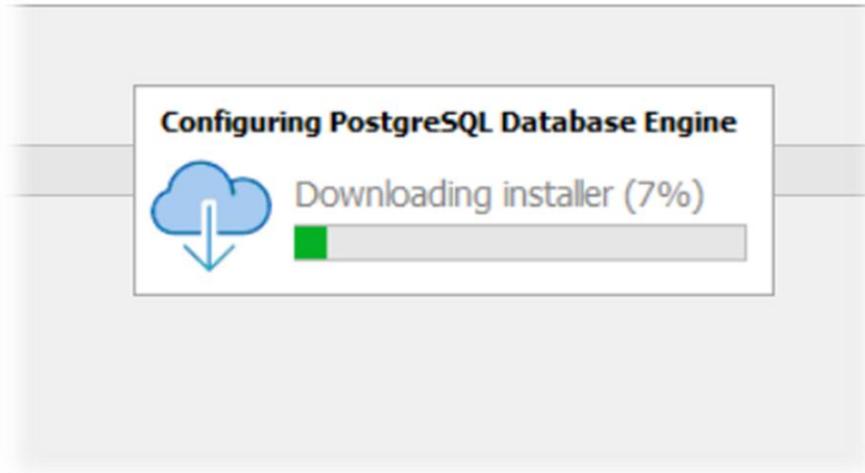


**[9]** Click **INSTALL** to proceed with the installation.



If you clicked to install the database engine the installer will download the PostgreSQL Database Engine at this point.

Please wait while Setup installs ClinicOffice v6 on your computer.



Once this completes, click **FINISH** to close the setup program.

# Uninstalling ClinicOffice

ClinicOffice is installed as a standard Windows application, so it can be removed like any other program i.e. from the Windows **Control Panel**, or Windows **SETTINGS**.

- Click the Windows **START** button and type “*SETTINGS*”
- You should now be able to launch the Windows **SETTINGS App**
- In the Windows **SETTINGS**, click “*Apps*”
- Locate **ClinicOffice v5** in the list of installed apps, then click **UNINSTALL**

This will launch the ClinicOffice uninstaller program which will remove the software from your computer.

- If you installed the server repeat the same above steps but locate the **PostgreSQL** and click to uninstall



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