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HIPAA SECURITY ASSESSMENT

Ensure HIPAA compliance with WWT's Security Assessment

WORK WITH EXPERTS

Work directly with WWT experts to:

- Ensure your organization is compliant with HIPAA regulations
- Evaluate intra-organizational communication and response processes
- Determine gaps between technical and administrative controls
- Receive a CMMI rating for foundation-level elements

▶ EXECUTIVE OVERVIEW

Organizations that have access to protected health information (PHI) or electronic protected health information (ePHI) must ensure compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). Failure to comply with HIPAA regulations can result in significant fines being issued and criminal charges and/or civil action lawsuits being filed should a breach of PHI or ePHI occur. Ignorance of HIPAA regulations is not considered a justifiable defense by the Office for Civil Rights (OCR) within the Department of Health and Human Services. The OCR can issue fines for noncompliance regardless of whether the violation was inadvertent or not.

▶ BENEFITS

The value of engaging WWT to conduct a HIPAA assessment lies in having an autonomous entity evaluate the effectiveness of an organization's security controls protecting PHI and ePHI. This assessment presents an organization with actionable data to strengthen areas, mature processes, bring attention to compliance issues, and provide recommendations for remediation efforts.

World Wide Technology's (WWT) approach and methodology for a HIPAA assessment begins at the foundational levels of people, process and technology. WWT conducts HIPAA assessments using a variety of information-gathering and analysis techniques that include on-site interviews with key staff members in multiple functional areas, including senior management, cybersecurity, compliance, technology infrastructure, and business teams within the organization.

During an assessment, the following tasks are completed:

- Policy review
- Gap analysis of physical controls (mobile devices, workstations, document storage)
- Gap analysis of technical controls (access controls, audit reviews)
- Gap analysis of administrative controls (designated security officer, business associate agreements, etc.)
- Evaluation of intra-organizational communication and response processes
- Evaluation of PHI and ePHI risk areas
- Review of security awareness and training content

Each of these foundation-level elements will be given a Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI) rating. These ratings utilize a scale from 1 to 5 that coincides with other common approaches for defining the maturity of an organization or its specific operations.

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After conducting the assessment, WWT will provide a report that identifies potential security control gaps, presents a comprehensive view of organizational strengths and weaknesses, lists current and future maturity ratings, and provides recommendations for improving the organization's risk, security and compliance posture.

▶ WWT'S TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS

WWT is uniquely qualified to help you address today's cybersecurity challenges. Our expertise in state-of-the-art cybersecurity technology provides a holistic approach for true enterprise security management. We understand the importance of enterprise security and use a completely integrated approach because we understand that only a comprehensive solution will allow you to invest where it matters most and maximize your technology investments.

WWT has the depth of knowledge and demonstrated track record of deploying and supporting a diverse portfolio of solutions. Moreover, WWT's professional services engineers, consulting service engineers, cybersecurity architects and subject matter experts provide end-to-end services and support. They draw on industry certifications from a wide range of OEMs, including (but not limited to):

- Check Point
- Intel/McAfee
- Splunk
- Cisco
- Palo Alto Networks
- Tanium
- F5
- Phantom Cyber

▶ GET STARTED TODAY

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WHAT TO EXPECT

- Highly-Skilled Engineers
- Hands-On Access to Emerging Technology
- Customized Technical and Strategic Whiteboard Session
- Best Practices
- Expert Insight
- Use Cases and Success Stories

ABOUT WWT

World Wide Technology (WWT) is a technology solution provider. While most companies talk about delivering business and technology outcomes, WWT does it.

Our customers have hands-on access to cutting-edge big data, cloud, collaboration, compute, mobility, networking, security, software and storage products in our Advanced Technology Center; technical expertise from our expansive team of engineering resources; and accelerated global product delivery, powered by a sophisticated supply chain management infrastructure.

By working with a financially strong, privately held systems integrator with more than \$9B in annual revenue that ranks among the top tier of partners with Cisco, Dell EMC, Hewlett Packard Enterprise, HP, NetApp, VMware and F5, our customers realize the benefits of saving time and money while significantly minimizing risk.

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