

Information Governance: A Best Practices Approach to Mitigating Risks and Improving Resilience

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noun

- the capacity to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness.
 "the often remarkable resilience of so many British institutions"
- the ability of a substance or object to spring back into shape; elasticity. "nylon is excellent in wearability and resilience"



Session Objectives

- The Current Healthcare Landscape
- What is a Data Breach?
- What happens when the worst happens?
- Let's talk about Resilience
- Information Governance and why you need it.
- How to get there
- Q&A

The Current Healthcare Landscape



The Current Landscape: Key Focus Areas

STRATEGIC TARGETS



- Quality outcomes
- Reduced compliance & privacy risks
- Savings targets
- Achieve margin
 improvement
- Leverage technology

OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY



- Enhance labor efficiency/ productivity
- Reduce redundancies/ rework
- Improve workflow

COMPLIANCE RISKS



- Advance proactive data and information management
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MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS



- Integrate systems
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What is a Data Breach?

- According to Techopedia,
- "A data breach is an incident that involves the unauthorized or illegal viewing, access or retrieval of data by an individual, application or service. It is a type of security breach specifically designed to steal and/or publish data to an unsecured or illegal location."



https://www.techopedia.com/definition/13601/data-breach



Your hospital will be targeted.



- Healthcare organizations remain the most vulnerable of any industry because of a lack of investment in infrastructure security
- Hospitals remain the most targeted sector among cyber criminals because health records are worth 20 times the value of credit card

Modern Cyber-Attack Threats

Malware

Destruction

ruction

Ransomware

Zero-Day & Well-Known

Wiping

Encrypted data held hostage Encrypting/decrypting pre & post processors in app path

Slow Moving Crawlers

Subtly encrypt and wipe small pieces of data

Records Tampering

Alteration & extraction of data

Insider Attacks

Trusted insiders steal proprietary information for personal, financial or ideological reasons



Types of Cybersecurity Attacks



- Malware
- Phishing
- SQL Injection Attack
- Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
- Denial-of-Services (DoS)
- Session Hijacking and Man-in-the-Middle Attacks
- Credential Reuse

https://www.rapid7.com/fundamentals/types-of-attacks/





The Real Costs of a Ransomware Attack



Total Costs of Attack	\$6,755,000
Data Loss	3,000,000
Litigation	200,000
Brand Damage	500,000
Data Validation	25,000
Recovery & Re-Imaging	60,000
Forensics	75,000
Lost Productivity	250,000
Legal Advice	70,000
Incident Response	75,000
Lost Revenue	2,500,000

Digital Transformation Has Created a Complex Information Landscape





WHICH CYBERSECURITY RISKS ARE THESE ORGANIZATIONS MOST WORRIED ABOUT?

THE SHORT ANSWER: A BUNCH OF THEM.





Experience with Cybersecurity Events

Unsure



■ No, definitely not







MORE THAN HAF

(58%) OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS TOOK "DAYS, WEEKS, OR LONGER" TO GET AFFECTED DATA BACK TO A GOOD STATE AFTER THEIR MOST SERIOUS SECURITY EVENT.

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AND

65% had to revert to data versions that were "days or weeks" old.



Most Concerning Potential Business Impacts of Cybersecurity Attacks

All Respondents





By Job Title

None

Healthcare Industry Cyber Challenges

Explosive Data Growth

Increased Cost of Breach



Healthcare represents a significant percentage of the overall Digital Universe, and is growing at **48% per year** — faster than the rest of the Digital Universe.

IDC/EMC Digital Universe 2015



The cost per lost or stolen record in Healthcare is the highest of any industry, \$408 and continues to increase, up \$28 from \$380 per record in the 2017 report.

2018 Cost of Data Breach study IBM Security and the Ponemon Institute

Budget Pressures



Healthcare provider IT spending is experiencing decline – yet health systems need planning, modernization, implementation and ongoing threat monitoring

Gartner WW IT Spending Report 9/15

"The healthcare sector is the most targeted yet underprepared genre within our Nation's critical infrastructures."

ICIT "Hacking Healthcare IT in 2016"

Healthcare Regulatory Cybersecurity Guidance

✓ **Disaster recovery plan** to restore any loss of data

Agency

Data Protection Focus

HIPAA



- ✓ "... Test restorations should be periodically conducted to verify the integrity of backed up data and provide confidence in an organization's data restoration capabilities....
 - ... As some ransomware variants have been known to remove or disrupt online backups, entities should consider maintaining backups offline and unavailable from their networks."

Emergency mode operation plan to enable continuation of critical business processes for protection

"The presence of ransomware (or any malware) is a security incident under HIPAA_that may also result in an impermissible disclosure of PHI in violation of the Privacy Rule and a breach..."

July 2016, US Department of Human and Health Services



✓ Back up data regularly, and regularly verify the integrity of those backups.

§ 164.308.7.(ii) Administrative Safeguards – *Required to Establish and Implement:*

Data backup plan to create and maintain retrievable copies of ePHI

of the security of ePHI while operating in emergency mode

✓ Guidance Issued for Ransomware as Breach – Be Prepared!

- ✓ Secure your backups
- ✓ Ensure backups are not connected to the computers and networks they are backing up.

Examples might be securing backups in the cloud or physically storing offline. ... Backups are critical in ransomware; if you are infected, this may be the best way to recover your critical data.



Wana Decrypt0r 2.0

Ooops, your files have been encrypted!

English

What Happened to My Computer?

Your important files are encrypted.

Many of your documents, photos, videos, databases and other files are no longer accessible because they have been encrypted. Maybe you are busy looking for a way to recover your files, but do not waste your time. Nobody can recover your files without our decryption service.

Can I Recover My Files?

Sure. We guarantee that you can recover all your files safely and easily. But you have not so enough time.

You can decrypt some of your files for free. Try now by clicking <Decrypt>. But if you want to decrypt all your files, you need to pay.

You only have 3 days to submit the payment. After that the price will be doubled. Also, if you don't pay in 7 days, you won't be able to recover your files forever. We will have free events for users who are so poor that they couldn't pay in 6 months.

How Do I Pay?

bitcoin

ACCEPTED HERE

Payment is accepted in Bitcoin only. For more information, click <About bitcoin>. Please check the current price of Bitcoin and buy some bitcoins. For more information, click <How to buy bitcoins>.

Send \$300 worth of bitcoin to this address:

12t9YDPgwueZ9NyMgw519p7AA8isjr6SMw

And send the correct amount to the address specified in this window. After your payment, click <Check Payment>. Best time to check: 9:00am - 11:00am

Check Payment



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WannaCry Ransomware Cyberattack Timeline & Response, May 2017



Friday, May 12Saturday, May 13Sunday, May 14Monday, May 15Tuesday, May 16Wednesday, May 17Thursday, May 18 Friday, May 19 ... Monday, May 22



Ransomware Attack Disrupts Emergency Services at Ohio Hospital



What Is Information Governance?





An organization-wide framework for managing information throughout its lifecycle and for supporting an organization's strategy, operations, regulatory, legal, risk, and environmental requirements.

SOURCE: 2014 Information Governance in Healthcare Benchmarking Survey by Cohasset Associates and AHIMA and underwritten by Iron Mountain.

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Why Adopt Formal Information & Security Governance in Healthcare?

- Necessary to meet the requirements of a complex Healthcare ecosystem
- Realigns the focus of information management from being solely on technology and physical records to the people and policies around the information
- Required to ensure safe high quality care
- Differentiator that demonstrates a Healthcare organization's commitment to treating information as a valued strategic asset



Aligning IG With Strategic Objectives

Quadruple Aim

Improve patient experience Improve health of populations Reduce per capita expense Reduce clinician & staff burnout

QUALITY & SAFETY

Top Healthcare Regulations

HCQIA Act of 1986 Medicare / Medicaid CHIP HRRP HIPAA Act of 1996 PSQIA of 2005 Affordable Care Act of 2010 DELIVERY REFORM

PAYMENT REFORM

Value-Based Care Payment based on health outcomes vs. fee-for-service or capitated approach



Interworking Gears of Governance

Information Governance:

- Accountability framework & decision rights to ensure effective & efficient us of information across the enterprise to achieve its goal
- Responsibility of executive leadership
- Focus on strategic goals



IT Governance:

- Policies & procedures to ensure the effective evaluation, selection, prioritization, & funding of competing IT investments
- Oversee implementation & extract business benefits
- Led by the CIO

Data Governance:

- Policies, processes & practices that address the accuracy, validity, completeness & integrity of data (data quality)
- Operational focus (i.e., metadata, classifications, data standards, auditing, risk management, versioning, etc.)
- Business unit stewardship responsibility







Digital Transformation Maturity Model

Information Lifecycle Management

Analog Information Rethink your current relationship with paper & tape Dark Information	Digital Transfor Digital Transition Enable automation & efficiency Democratize access	mation Themes Simplify & Scale Manage data chaos and hybrid IT complexity Learn the "what"	Realize Value Drive better business & clinical outcomes through data insights & Al Learn the "why"		
Privacy & Security					
Workplace Transformation					



Information & Security Governance ensures information quality and integrity by creating a <u>clinical and operational baseline</u> for an organization's infrastructure from which to track changes over time



Information & Security Governance in Healthcare

- Healthcare information is a strategic asset
- Healthcare is a highly regulated industry where organizations must demonstrate compliance with a myriad of laws and standards
- The protection of Personal Healthcare Information (PHI) through Information & Security Governance (IG) from breach, loss, or corruption is <u>critical in order to maintain trust</u>







Let's Talk About Paper...

Hospitals account for 1/3 of all healthcare breaches Results varied by hospital type



Paper and films most often breached

- Theft
- Improper disposal
- Unauthorized access

Resource: <u>https://www.healthcare-informatics.com/news-item/cybersecurity/paper-records-films-most-common-type-healthcare-data-breach-study-finds</u>

69%

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that 69 percent of the information in most companies serves no regulatory, legal or business purpose?

70%

FAST FACT:

In a typical company, as much as 70 percent of paper documents and 60 percent of unneeded electronic information can be defensibly disposed of in a compliant manner.

Resource: https://www.ironmountain.com/resources/general-articles/d/defensible-disposition-and-risk-mitigation-keep-everything-is-not-a-strategy

Key IG Concept: Privacy & Cybersecurity

- Administrative Safeguards
 - Data and information inventories
 - Record retention policies and schedules
 - Defensible disposition practices
- Physical Safeguards
 - Buildings
 - Access
- Technical Safeguards
 - Systems
 - Appropriate access
 - Encryption, firewalls, cloud storage, data centers & redundancy

Health Care Industry Cybersecurity Task Force

"In health care, security and cyber risk has historically fallen to IT. Information governance is a relatively new concept in the industry and should include not just IT and security stakeholders, but also information stakeholders. Governance structures should also include clinical and nonclinical leaders. Governance of information shifts the focus from technology to people, processes, and the policies that generate, use, and manage the data and information required for care."

Defensible Disposition – A Critical Component of IG and Risk Avoidance

"It is natural that information – data and records in all formats – will have an *end of life* at some point in time. Defensible disposition comes into play at this juncture and relates to making decisions about what can be disposed of based on an official policy, and that may mean either moving it to a secure archive or destroying it in a compliant way."

Resource: https://www.ironmountain.com/support/information-economics-academy/our-courses/defensible-disposition

Challenges with Defensible Disposition

Not knowing where to start



Ill-defined process or execution plan



Legal and operational considerations



Limited technology



Missing or inadequate controls

"The best defense is a good offense."

Roadmap to Achieve Compliance & Enable Enterprise-Wide IG



Ongoing Maintenance, Measures & Metrics

The Positive Impact of an IG Program

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A Multi-Phased Approach to Defensible Disposition



Defensible disposition is dependent on a solid policy around information/data/IT assets retention and disposition

Breaking It Down – Manageable Next Steps



Establishing a Good Offense







TRANSFORM for long term, enhanced business value



NIST Cybersecurity Framework





Credit: N. Hanacek/NIST

IDENTIFY	PROTECT	DETECT	RESPOND	RECOVER
 Asset Management Business Environment Governance Risk Assessment Risk Management Strategy 	 Access Control Awareness and Training Data Security Information Protection Processes and Procedures Maintenance Protective Technology 	 Anomalies and Events Security Continuous Monitoring Detection Processes 	 Response Planning Communication s Analysis Mitigation Improvements 	 Recovery Planning Improvements Communication s Validation

IDENTIFY

- Governance
- Asset
 Management
- Business
 Environment
- Risk Assessment
- Risk Management Strategy





Clinical systems	Consumer and patient health systems	Core transaction systems	Decision support systems (DSS and CPOE)
Electronic medical record (EMR)	Managed care systems	Medical management systems	Materials management systems
Clinical data repository	Patient relationship management	Imaging	Integrated medical devices
Clinical trials systems	Telemedicine systems	Workflow technologies	Workforce enabling technologies



Security Risk Assessment

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Security Rule requires that covered entities and its business associates conduct a risk assessment of their healthcare organization. A risk assessment helps your organization ensure it is compliant with HIPAA's administrative, physical, and technical safeguards. A risk assessment also helps reveal areas where your organization's protected health information (PHI) could be at risk. Watch the Security Risk Analysis video to learn more about the assessment process and how it benefits your organization or visit the Office for Civil Rights' official guidance.

Read the HHS Press Release.

Download the SRAT event files from the April 29 Webinar [ZIP - 4 MB]

 Security Risk Assessment Tool
 SRA Tool Videos

 ONC, in collaboration with the HHS Office for Civil Rights (OCR) and the HHS Office of the General Counsel (OGC), developed a downloadable Security Risk Assessment Tool (SRA Tool) to help guide you through the process.
 Watch videos on what a risk assessment may involve, and learn how to use the SRA Tool by watching the SRA Tool Tutorial video.

 Download Tool
 Watch Videos

https://www.healthit.gov/topic/privacy-security-and-hipaa/security-risk-assessment



IG Structure Strategic IG Alignment Performance PROTECT IG Enterprise Info Mgnt Awareness and Adherence Access Control AHIMA's Data Security Information Governance Adoption Model Legal and Data Information Protection Regulatory Governance Competencies (IGAM)™ Processes and Procedures Maintenance Privacy and IT Governance Security • Protective Technology Analytics Awareness and Training © American Health Information Management Association

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Steps to Protect

- User Password Policies
- Appropriate Access and Use
 Policies
- Information Sharing Policies and Procedures
- Mobile Device Policies
- Social Media Policies
- eMail Policies
- Advanced Controls, such as encryption, intrusion detection
- Data Center Locations and Security
- Cloud Storage





DETECT

- Anomalies and Events
- Security Continuous
 Monitoring
- Detection Processes













IG - The Wrapper Around Cybersecurity

An IG Program

- Ensures well vetted, defined and documented policies, procedures, and processes
- Guarantees key stakeholder engagement and input
- Addresses all decisions about data and information, including the security of electronic data, across the organization in its entirety
- Aligns information decisions and protections with the organization's strategic goals and objectives



What should you do?



IS YOUR MOST CRITICAL DATA REALLY PROTECTED & RECOVERABLE?

The Traditional Pyramid of Protection



Cyber Protection Expert Guidance

- Cyber security experts and regulators recommend "...physical segregation of networks....and regular testing of critical data recovery procedures"
- Address the threat of insider attacks with managed services
- Remote data protection through automated, randomized network disconnection to reduce risk of planned attacks
- Encryption of data in-flight and at-rest with key management by customer
- Dedicated secure isolated environment for offline data testing & validation
- Understand the full TCO of managed services including egress fees, recovery procedures and additional "hidden costs"



Modern Cyber Resilience for Critical Data

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Cloud Cyber Resilience Services (CPR for Data Domain)

• Ultra-secure cloud-based managed service to protect vital digital assets

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- Network and physical isolation of CPR Vault in Iron Cloud data centers
- Iron Cloud Cleanroom for off-line isolated analytics and recovery testing
- Rapid, assured restoration to get business-critical systems running again

Cloud Disaster Recovery Services

- Secure Immutable Cloud-based storage
- Reduced CAPEX, Lower TCO for better DR
- Industry-leading Resilience, 3-site Geo-redundancy

Cloud Archive Services

- Secure Immutable Cloud-based storage
- Industry-leading Security, Resilience and Availability
- Dedicated, Private & encryption in-flight and at-rest

Cyber Resilience Key Takeaways 58

- Cyber Resilience helps mitigate unplanned operational downtime, data loss, & destruction.
- Cyber resilience has been elevated to the executive level, prompting senior level groups charged with designing and testing systemwifde recovery plans.
- Isolated recovery is a critical component of a layered data protection plan.
- To be effective, recovery plans should be updated and tested regularly.
- Best practices for Healthcare include the use of dedicated private networks, encryption of in-flight and at rest data and physical isoloation of critical data from the network

Questions?

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- 89 million pieces of media stored in highly secure data protection vaults
- 675 million cubic feet of hardcopy records stored
- S&P 500 Member \$15B Enterprise Value
- 65+ years of protecting, preserving and managing critical information and assets
- Over 850 million patient records
- Over 1 billion medical images

225,000+ Customers 95% Fortune 1000 90MM SF of secure real 1,400+ Facilities 25,000+ Employees

