



EBOOK

Security Awareness Training with CyberGuard

Users can be either your weakest link or your best asset in defence against a cyber-attack.



Introduction

Developing a culture of understanding, awareness and reporting is key in the fight to protect your IT infrastructure.

Cyber security awareness training for staff is a critical (but often overlooked) part of protecting a business. Our awareness programme is designed to educate employees about keeping security in the forefront of their minds and driving home the importance that due diligence is imperative.

Having a team of staff that understand the risks and are encouraged to report potential issues will greatly enhance your chances of protecting your business.

Security Awareness

It's a fact that your end-users are often the weakest link in your network security.

CyberGuard's extensive security and awareness training helps users identify potential risks and provides mechanisms for validating and reporting suspicious emails.

The most common ways employees are targeted by cyber criminals are:

- Ransomware
- Malware
- CEO fraud
- Compliance failure
- Phishing attacks
- Spear phishing attacks
- Executive whaling
- Social engineering



The solution

CyberGuard's security awareness packages can include the following activities.

Monthly phishing attacks – all business

We'll attempt to hack your users' accounts and identify employees who have weak passwords and network security. Month-on-month an improvement in employee cyber behaviour is expected.

Spear attacks – high risk departments

Typically targeting departments that have access to business finances or sensitive data, we will attempt to scam specific groups of employees and steal data. Issues can be quickly pinpointed and addressed with departmental training.

Whaling attacks – executives and directors

Once a year we will target your executives and directors with sophisticated attack methods. The higher up the chain an employee, the more access they have to valuable information and the more there is to gain for the attacker. All outcomes will be reported, and training will be provided to prevent repeat incidents.

On-demand video training

Access to engaging video content on the issues around cyber security. Available on-demand to all staff, or purely to those with learning requirements.

Cyber security updates

Topical updates and links to useful reports, advice on tackling current cyber threats and ideas for working securely, delivered by email.

Password check

We'll run our state-of-the-art password checker to pinpoint passwords that do not adhere to password protocols. We'll inform employees that need to change their password and offer advice on how to set a secure but memorable password.

Reporting and validation service

If you are not sure that an email is genuine, a simple click can send the email to the security team at CyberGuard who will forensically analyse it and return it to you, if deemed safe.



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