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Launching your employee cyber security program

A quick-start blueprint to get your team working securely and protecting your business

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Less than 15
BiteSized Business Bulletins

Employee education is critical to business cyber protection

Employee education is critical to business cyber protection because employees, often overwhelmed with their workloads, can unintentionally become the weakest link in a company's security chain.

Many employees lack a deep understanding of the sophisticated tricks and tactics used by hackers and scammers, and are often unaware of the latest scams circulating online. Without proper knowledge, they may inadvertently click on malicious links, fall for phishing emails, or mishandle sensitive information.

Implementing a lightweight, ongoing education program can empower employees to recognise and respond to these threats effectively. Such a program can be the difference between a secure organisation that maintains customer trust and one that is vulnerable to costly security breaches

Quick-start Blueprint

FOLLOW THESE SIX STEPS TO KICK START AN EFFECTIVE CYBER SECURITY EDUCATION PROGRAM

01

CONTENT

Phishing, MFA, file sharing, passwords, access management, mobile security and web navigation are just a few of the topics that should be on your annual reoccurring training list. *Cyber.gov.au* is a great resource to help establish the important topics to you.

02

CADENCE

How often you communciate cyber topics or provide training should be aligned to your organisations needs and employee activities. A monthly email blast and 1-2 live training sessions annually ticks most compliance boxes and keeps security front of mind for your employees.

03

CHANNELS

Email, Slack, MS Teams, Intranet, Posters. What communications channels do you have available in your organisation to publish content to your people. Create a plan across each of the channels ensuring your contents are reaching your audience.

04

PHISHING SIMULATIONS

Phishing simulations are an easy way to help your people practice spotting and reporting phishing emails which could cause damage to your organisation. Running a simulation exercise quarterly will achieve most compliance requirements and get your team talking, keeping cyber concepts front of mind.

05

EDUCATION SESSIONS

You should aim to do 1-2 live or recorded 40min training sessions annually to properly train your people in practicing secure habits. These sessions drive higher engagement and confidence across your teams if you include activities, real examples and polling to capture audience attention.

06

SUPPORT & COMMUNITY

Ensure you establish a way for your people to ask questions about the tools they use and proper processes to follow. Having security champions will help or a channel for security banter enabling colleagues to help each other.

How can InspireCyber help your organisation

We believe in light-weight, to the point and approachable cybersecurity education for your people.

This means we break down the concepts so your people understand exactly how to navigate their workday without accidentally putting business information, customer data or company money at risk.

InspireCyber is a renowned cyber education practice lead by **Cyber Security Education specialist Christina Arcane**. Our specialisation means we deliver quality content, material and workshops that your employees will enjoy!

- **DESIGNED BY EXPERT CONTENT WRITERS AND TRAINERS**
- **MESSAGING THAT YOUR PEOPLE CAN ACTUALLY UNDERSTAND**
- **ALIGNED TO MOST COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS**
- **HAPPY, KNOWLEDGEABLE AND CONFIDENT EMPLOYEES**

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OF CYBER INCIDENTS START WITH HUMAN ERROR

After all, we are only human.

Your people can be a security asset with accessible education that works for them and your business.

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