

# Using the NIST Cybersecurity Framework to Guide your Security Program

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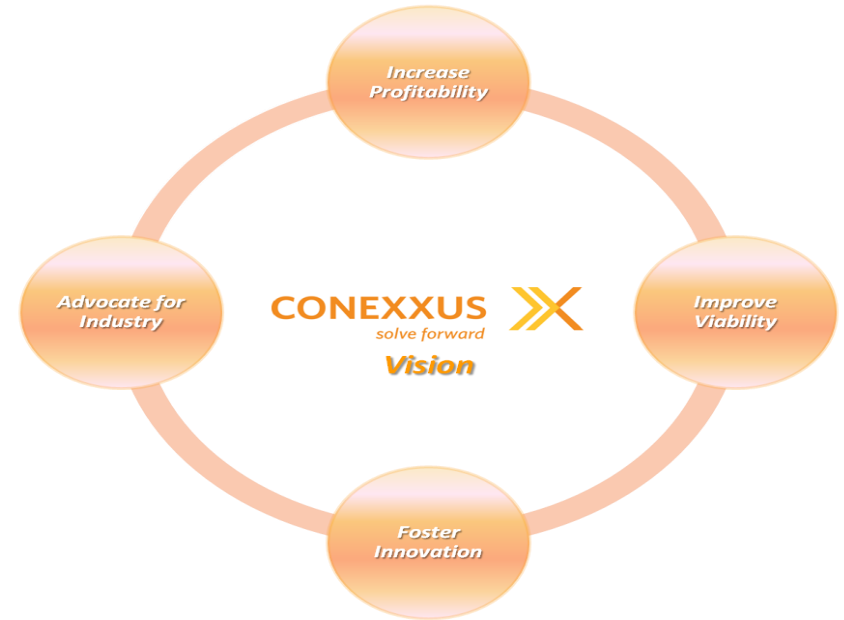
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# About Conexus

- We are an independent, non-profit, member driven technology organization
- We set standards...
  - Data exchange
  - Security
  - Mobile commerce
- We provide vision
  - Identify emerging tech/trends
- We advocate for our industry
  - Technology is policy



# 2017 Conexus Webinar Schedule\*

Month/Date	Webinar Title	Speaker	Company
July 27, 2017	Third Party Risk Management: How to Identify and Manage Data Security Risks from your Vendors	Sam Pfanstiel	Coalfire
August 31, 2017	Using the NIST Cybersecurity Framework to Guide your Security Program	Chris Lietz, Bob Post	Coalfire
September 28, 2017	Things & Impact of Bring Your Own Device to the Workplace	Bradford Loewy Jeff Gibson	Dover Fueling ControlScan
November, 2017	New Technologies for Addressing Payment Risk: A Survey of Payments Security Landscape	TBD	Coalfire (other DSSC member(s) TBD)
December 2017	Conexus: EB2B White Paper Presentation	TBD	EB2B WG

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# 2018 Conexxus Webinar Schedule\*

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January 2018	Securing and Penn Testing your Mobile Payment App	Denis Sheridan	Citigal
February 2018	Unified threat management: What is it and why is it important?	Thomas Duncan	Omega
March 2018	Penetration Testing: How to Test What Matters Most	Sam Pfanstiel & Coalfire Lab Personnel	Coalfire
May 2018	QIR Program Update	Chris Bucolo	ControlScan



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# Agenda

- NIST CSF Overview (Chris)
- Implementing the CSF (Bob)
- Resources & Recommended Actions
- Q&A

# NIST CSF OVERVIEW (CHRIS)

# Going-in Assumptions

1. Every enterprise is increasingly aware of cyber risk, and is seeking to 'manage it' through:
  - Policies, procedures and other administrative controls
  - Technology-based controls
  - Insurance (aka, 'risk transfer')
  - Risk acceptance
2. Cyber is an enterprise-wide risk management issue
  - It is much broader than the PCI DSS
  - It is a business issue, not only a technology issue
  - Legislators and regulators may take action
3. Listeners may be looking for a:
  - A place to start their cybersecurity programs, or
  - A way to communicate with stakeholders and set priorities & budgets
  - A way to measure progress
  - A way to get risk under (sufficient) control



# Executive Order (EO) 13636

- Repeated cyber intrusions demonstrated the need for improved cybersecurity
- February 12, 2013: President Obama issued Executive Order (EO) 13636 - Improving Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity
- National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) developed the “Framework for Improving Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity” (aka, the “CSF”)
  - Version 1.0 released in February 2014
  - Draft Version 1.1 released in January 2017

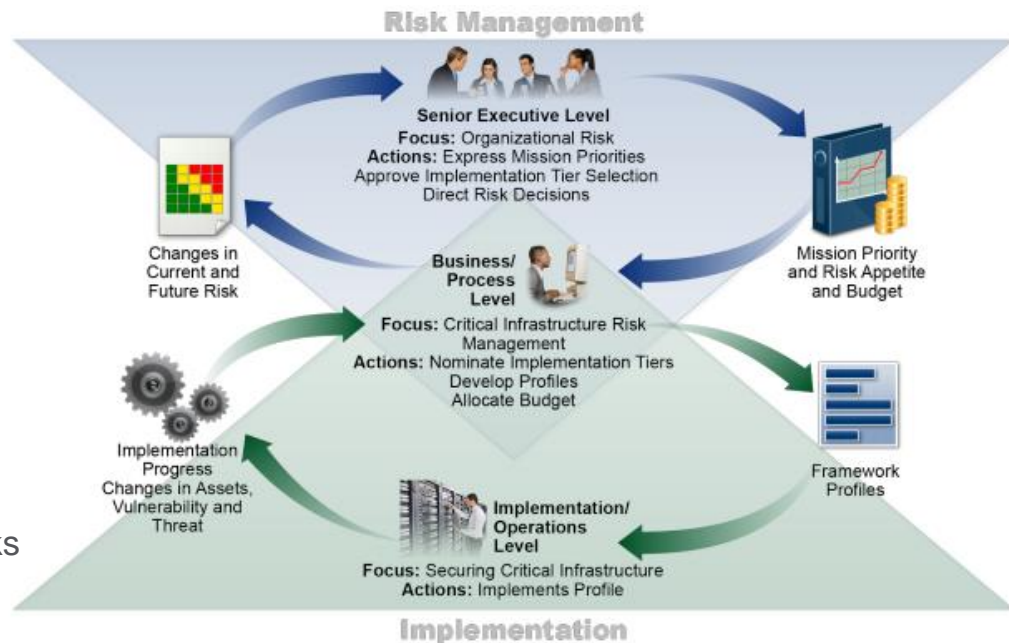


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SOURCE: <https://obamawhitehouse.archives.gov/the-press-office/2013/02/12/executive-order-improving-critical-infrastructure-cybersecurity>

# Framework Overview

- Intent
  - Voluntary
  - Adaptable and flexible
- Leverages standards, methodologies, and processes
  - Not a compliance checklist or control framework
  - Not a law or regulatory mandate
- Risk-based approach
  - Focused on top-down high impact risks
  - Connects executive, business, and security operations



SOURCE: <https://www.nist.gov/sites/default/files/documents/draft-cybersecurity-framework-v1.11.pdf>

# Components and Usage

Component	Description
Framework Core	Consists of five (5) functions (Identify, Protect, Detect, Respond and Recover) and includes activities, desired outcomes and applicable references.
Implementation Tiers	Provides context and identifies the degree in which practices exhibit the characteristics defined in the framework. Tiers range, from Tier 1 Partial to Tier 4 Adaptive.
Profiles	Outcomes based on business needs. This is the analysis of current and target profiles that help determine the prioritization of efforts based on risk.
Implementation Guidance	Uses a seven-step process that is iterative and flexible.

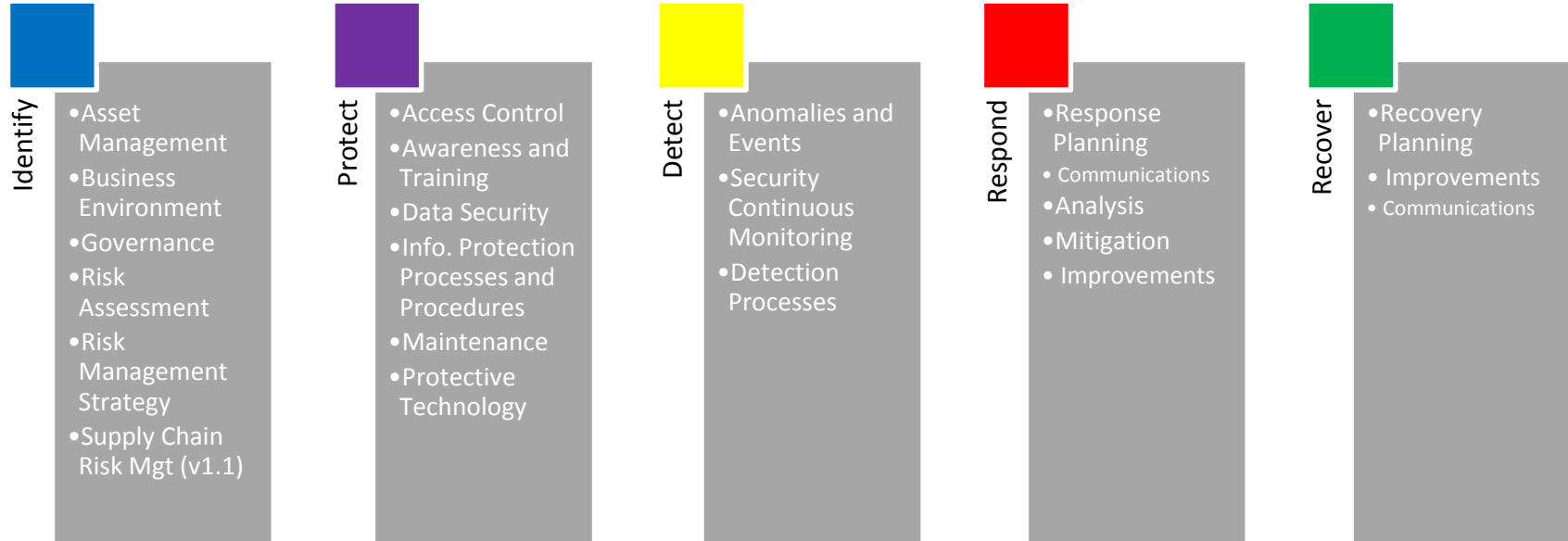


# Framework Core (Illustration)



SOURCE: Todd Marcinik, 2017 GRC Conference

# Framework Core



SOURCE: Framework for Improving Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity, Version 1.1, NIST . January 2017

# Framework Core (cont.)

Function

Category

Subcategory

Industry Standards and Alignment



<b>PROTECT (PR)</b>	<b>Access Control (PRAC):</b> Access to assets and associated facilities is limited to authorized users, processes, or devices, and to authorized activities and transactions.	<b>PRAC-1:</b> Identities and credentials are managed for authorized devices and users	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>CCS CSC 16</b></li> <li>· <b>COBIT 5</b> DSS05.04, DSS06.03</li> <li>· <b>ISA 62443-2-1:2009</b> 4.3.3.5.1</li> <li>· <b>ISA 62443-3-3:2013</b> SR 1.1, SR 1.2, SR 1.3, SR 1.4, SR 1.5, SR 1.7, SR 1.8, SR 1.9</li> <li>· <b>ISO/IEC 27001:2013</b> A.9.2.1, A.9.2.2, A.9.2.4, A.9.3.1, A.9.4.2, A.9.4.3</li> <li>· <b>NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4</b> AC-2, IA Family</li> </ul>
		<b>PRAC-4:</b> Access permissions are managed, incorporating the principles of least privilege and separation of duties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>CCS CSC 12, 15</b></li> <li>· <b>ISA 62443-2-1:2009</b> 4.3.3.7.3</li> <li>· <b>ISA 62443-3-3:2013</b> SR 2.1</li> <li>· <b>ISO/IEC 27001:2013</b> A.6.1.2, A.9.1.2, A.9.2.3, A.9.4.1, A.9.4.4</li> <li>· <b>NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4</b> AC-2, AC-3, AC-5, AC-6, AC-16</li> </ul>

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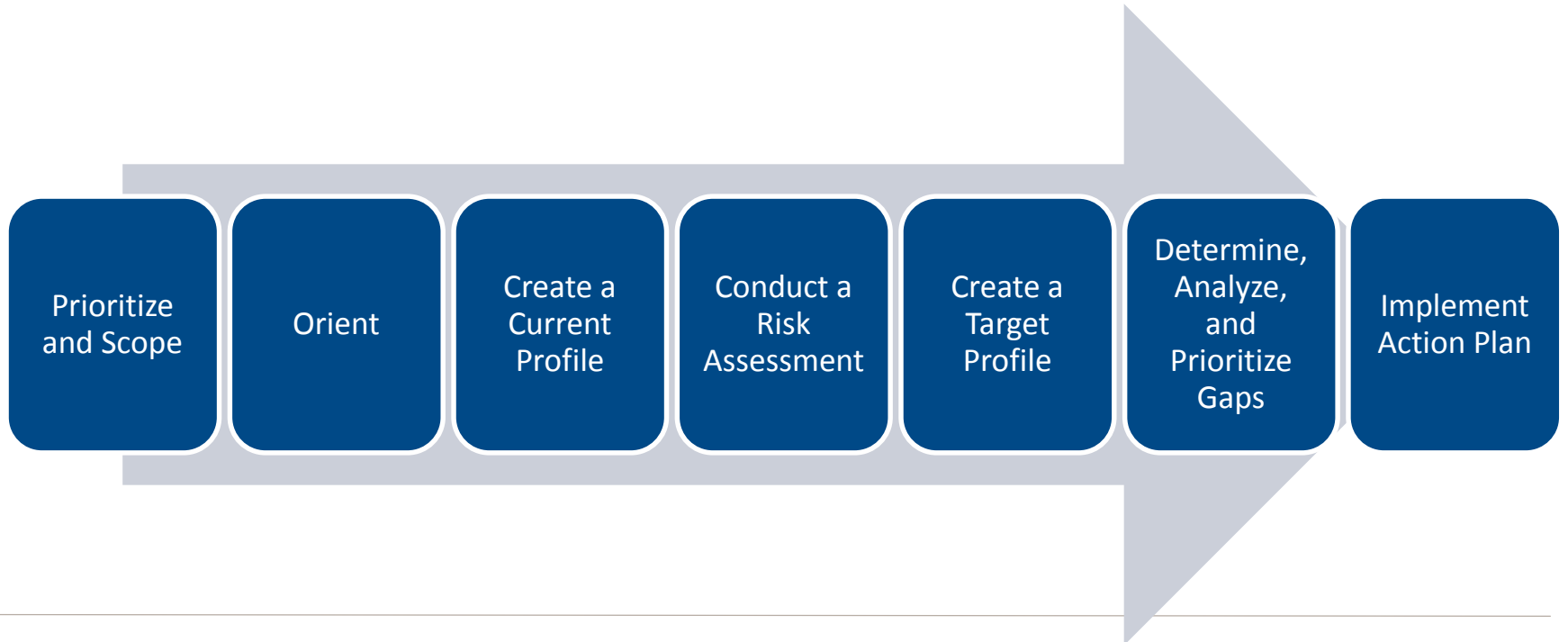
# Implementation Tiers

Tier	Description
Tier 1: Partial	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Risk Management Process</u> – Informed risk practices. Reactive, ad-hoc risk approach.</li><li>• <u>Integrated Risk Management Program</u> – Limited institutional awareness. Risk management in place but irregular.</li><li>• <u>External Participation</u> – Lacks process to coordinate and collaborate.</li></ul>
Tier 2: Risk Informed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Risk Management Process</u> – Approved risk management practices but not organization-wide. Priorities informed by stakeholder goals and corporate risk decisions.</li><li>• <u>Integrated Risk Management Program</u> – Organization has cyber security risk awareness but not an institutionalized approach.</li><li>• <u>External Participation</u> – Organization has not formalized capabilities to interact and share information.</li></ul>
Tier 3: Repeatable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Risk Management Process</u> – Risk management practices formally approved, expressed as policy, regularly updated.</li><li>• <u>Integrated Risk Management Program</u> – Organization-wide approach to managing cyber security risk. Risk-informed policies, processes and procedures are defined and reviewed.</li><li>• <u>External Participation</u> – Organized understands dependencies and partners. Receives information that enables collaboration and risk-based response decisions.</li></ul>
Tier 4: Adaptive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Risk Management Process</u> – Implementation Guidance uses a seven-step process that is iterative and flexible.</li><li>• <u>Integrated Risk Management Program</u> – Organization risk approach with situational awareness integrated into culture.</li><li>• <u>External Participation</u> – Active sharing with partners to proactively learn and benefit the community.</li></ul>

SOURCE: Framework for Improving Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity, Version 1.0 NIST , Feb 2014

# IMPLEMENTING THE CSF (BOB)

# Implementing the CSF



# Step 1 - Prioritize and Scope

- What are you trying to assess?
  - Enterprise
  - Business Unit
  - Business Process
- How does the assessment target align with overall goals and priorities?

# Step 2 - Orient

- What are the supporting IT systems and assets
- What are the relevant legal, regulatory, and contractual requirements?
- Has a risk strategy been developed and implemented?



# Step 3 – Create a Current Profile



- Functions organize basic cybersecurity activities
- Categories are groups of outcomes (Asset Management)
- Subcategories are specific outcomes of management or technical activities

# Step 4 – Assess Risk

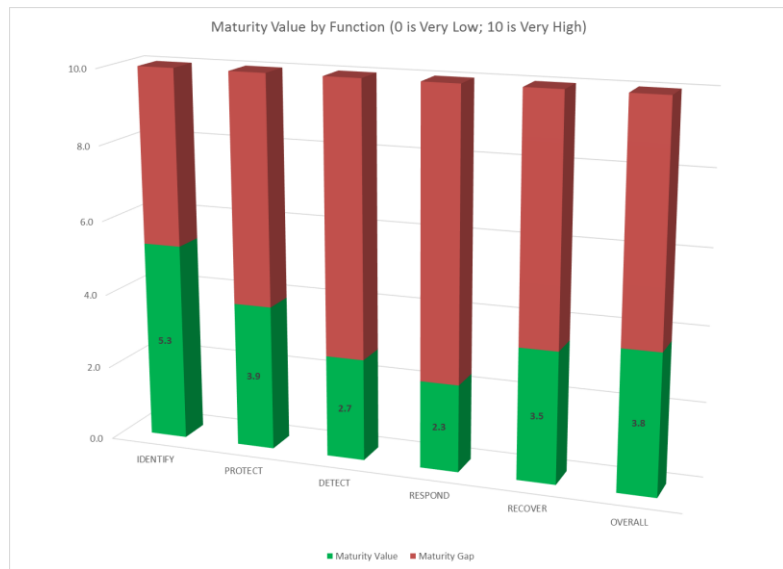
Risk Area	High	Medium	Low
Legal & Regulatory	The company handles customer/employee information of a sensitive and personal nature to include PII and PHI as defined by law/regulations where the company conducts operations.	The company handles customer/employee information of a personal but not sensitive nature to as defined by law/regulations where the company conducts operations.	The company does not handle personal data other than those of the people employed by the organization.
Productivity	The company employs more than 100 employees who have a daily need to access business applications and services.	The company employs more than 50 employees who have a daily need to access business applications and services.	The company employs less than 10 employees who have a daily need to access business applications and services.
Financial Stability	Yearly revenues exceed \$xxx M and/or financial transactions with third parties or customers take place as part of the regular annual process.	Yearly revenues do not exceed \$xxx M.	Yearly revenues do not exceed \$xx M.
Reputation/Loss of Customer Confidence	Unavailability or Service Quality directly impacts the business or/and over 70% of the customer base has online access to business products or services.	Unavailability or Service Quality can indirectly have impact on the business or/and less than 5% of the customer base has online access to business products or services.	Unavailability or Service Quality cannot directly or indirectly have impact on the business or result in the loss of revenues.

Notional

# Step 5 – Create Target Profile

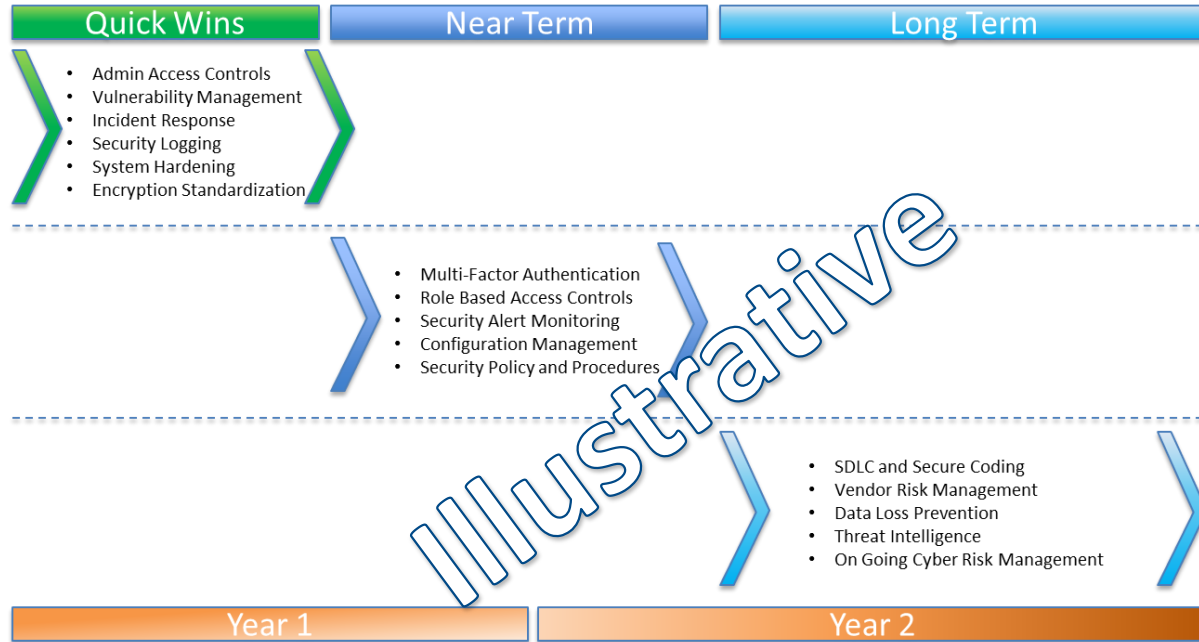


# Step 6 – Determine, Analyze, and Prioritize Gaps



Summary of Cyber Risk Controls					
Maturity Level: Low					
Function / Category	# of Category Controls	Control Testing Status			
		Satisfied	Partially Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Incomplete
<b>IDENTIFY</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>
Asset Management	6	0	5	1	0
Business Environment	5	4	1	0	0
Governance	4	1	3	0	0
Risk Assessment	6	0	2	4	0
Risk Management Strategy	3	0	0	3	0
<b>PROTECT</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>
Access Control	5	0	5	0	0
Awareness and Training	5	0	2	3	0
Data Security	6	1	1	4	0
Information Protection Processes and Procedures	12	1	6	5	0
Maintenance	2	0	0	0	2
Protective Technology	4	0	2	2	0
<b>DETECT</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>
Anomalies and Events	5	0	2	3	0
Security Continuous Monitoring	8	0	4	4	0
Detection Processes	5	0	1	4	0

# Step 7 – Implement Action Plan



# RESOURCES & RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

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# Resources

- NIST Cybersecurity Framework
  - <http://www.nist.gov/cyberframework/>
- ISACA
  - <http://www.isaca.org/cyber/>
- FFIEC
  - <https://www.ffiec.gov/cybersecurity.htm>
- Information Security and Risk
  - NIST SP 800-30, 800-39, 800-53
  - COBIT5 for Risk, COBIT 5 for Information Security
  - ISO 27005, ISO 31000
  - <https://www.cisecurity.org/critical-controls/>
- NACD
  - Director's Handbook on Cyber-Risk Oversight <https://www.nacdonline.org/cyber>
- Other
  - How to Measure Anything in Cybersecurity Risk <http://www.wiley.com/WileyCDA/WileyTitle/productCd-1119085292.html>
  - Measuring and Managing Information Risk: A FAIR Approach: <http://www.fairinstitute.org/fair-book>

# Recommended Actions

1. Review/adopt the NIST CSF
2. Form a team (e.g., a security governance process)
3. Start a CSF-based program that includes:
  1. Scope statement (enterprise, location, department, etc.)
  2. “Crown jewels” inventory (systems, suppliers, assets)
  3. Current profile (where you are at it re: controls)
  4. Risk assessment (likelihood/impact of named risks)
  5. Target profile (where you want to be re: controls)
  6. Prioritize & act (investments, projects, tests)
  7. Implement







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