CYBERSECURITY

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6 THINGS *Integrators Should Do* NOW *to Mitigate* CYBERSECURITY RISK AND LIABILITY

The PSA Security Network cybersecurity program offers a step forward for the physical security industry. By raising the knowledge base of integrators and manufacturers and teaming them with the very best cybersecurity professional partners, the PSA Security Network cybersecurity program is helping arm industry leaders with tools and resources they need to help prevent, detect, and mitigate cybersecurity breaches.

01 CONDUCT A CYBERSECURITY ASSESSMENT AND MAKE A PLAN

Hire an outside firm to perform an internal analysis of your company's cybersecurity processes and identify areas of weakness. Implement action plans immediately that result from that assessment.

PSA Security Network has vetted third-party cybersecurity specialists that can assist with conducting internal audits and assessments, establishing best practices for installing networked security systems, and formulating a plan for incident response in the event of a cybersecurity breach.

02 EDUCATE YOUR TEAM

A company's weakest link is often its own employees. Make cybersecurity top of mind for all employees and make sure they know what role they play in keeping the company, and its data, safe.

Conduct Cybersecurity Awareness Training with your employees. The Department of Homeland Security provides free resources on their website available for download including presentations, videos, handouts, discussion questions and promotional materials. Many cybersecurity firms also offer cybersecurity awareness training for a fee. PSA Security Network also recommends your company join and participate in PSA Security Network cybersecurity education programs. Unlike traditional cybersecurity education, the PSA Security Network cybersecurity courses are catered to meet the needs of the physical security community.

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PURCHASE CYBERSECURITY INSURANCE

Protect the future of your company with a comprehensive cybersecurity policy. Make sure you understand where your coverage begins and ends when it comes to customer data and network connectivity in your installations.

PSA Security Network has sourced multiple insurance providers who offer cybersecurity policies and are familiar with the needs of the physical security industry.

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UPDATE YOUR CONTRACTS

Review and modify your existing customer contracts to include language about cybersecurity breach liability and ask your vendor providers to do the same. Capture anything they have guaranteed or assured in writing.

PSA Security Network has partnered with a leading cybersecurity attorney who understands the dynamics of the physical security community and can provide counsel regarding your contract language.

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CHOOSE CYBER HARDENED PRODUCTS

Ask your product providers and manufacturers what their cybersecurity measures are, how often they are assessing their risk and what their response and communication plans, and evaluate partners based on their current security measures and cybersecurity precautions to protect their products as best as they can from potential cybersecurity breaches.

Even manufacturers are not always sure where to start when it comes to protecting their products and processes from the latest cyber threats. To support the physical security vendor community, PSA Security Network has examined third-party cybersecurity laboratories that can work with physical security vendors to provide independent testing on individual components and well as bench testing for integrated components prior to deployment.

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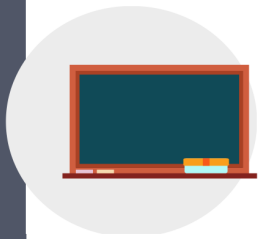
EDUCATE YOUR CUSTOMERS



Establish a cybersecurity dialogue with your own customers. What steps are they taking to improve their own cybersecurity? Ongoing, consistent communication is key to ensuring the ongoing security of your installations.

Offer to introduce them to PSA Security Network cybersecurity solution providers that can help them with the process of assessing and improving their own security posture.

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