

## **Strategic Security Consulting**

Patriot's professional services organization is dedicated to solving our clients' information security issues and implementing practical information security solutions. We have assembled top-talent that is internationally recognized in the fields of IT security policies, regulatory gap analysis, disaster recovery and continuity planning.

Patriot Security experts have authored numerous publications and regularly lecture at information security conferences around the world. Patriot leverages the knowledge of our expert security consultants to help organizations protect themselves from potential threats and vulnerabilities to their proprietary data and resources. In addition to our standard service offerings, we have developed additional pre-packaged offerings to address critical security measures. Our pre-packaged offerings include:

### **Policy Review (PR)**

Security and IT policies form the baseline of protections and configurations for computing (and paper-based) assets such as servers, laptops, remote connections and printouts to name a few. From these policy statements (i.e., all computer servers will be configured to meet HIPAA regulations) procedures dictate actual practices required to ensure your environment is secure and that usage policies are clearly understood by all employees. Patriot's security experts will review all (or a subset) of your IT security policies and related documents to determine if they are still accomplishing the stated goals of management. This may entail working with several of your staff members for input/review of existing documents. Recommendations will be made to increase (or establish) an efficient, effective policy framework.

### **Policy Gap Analysis (PGA)**

An effective policy framework is the first step. The next step is the Policy Gap Analysis. Using your IT Policies as a framework, Patriot experts will complete an independent audit of your network to ensure that your companies IT policies are properly implemented and enforced. Patriot Experts will work with your staff members to review and audit your companies IT control process and execution for compliance with existing policies and provide a detailed gap analysis highlighting any deficiencies or non compliance. Recommendations will be made to increase (or establish) an efficient, effective policy framework.

### **Regulatory Gap Analysis (RGA)**

Complying with regulations (government and/or industry-specific) can incur significant costs—new servers, new applications, more people, etc. Before making any capital/resource purchases, let Patriot's experts identify where potential shortfalls are in relation to those regulations. Our security experts will give your organization a clear, concise picture of where it stands in relation to regulatory initiatives such as Sarbanes-Oxley, Gramm-Leach-Bliley, HIPAA, FISMA, etc. We'll identify and assist you to implement the security standards your organization needs. Recommendations from the RGA include the exact section of the regulation that is being addressed to establish metrics on the status of all compliance activities.

### **Disaster Recovery (DR)**

A recovery plan is necessary to allow an organization to return its network infrastructure back to normal as quickly and effectively as possible following a security event or attack—with minimal data losses. Our experienced, certified team of engineers has hands-on experience in numerous environments and diverse markets. They will devise a cost-effective disaster recovery and backup solution to best suit your requirements.

### **Continuity Planning (CP)**

A sound disaster recovery/business continuity plan is essential to protect the well being of an organization. Many enterprises still disregard the issue or rely on plans that are out-of-date or inadequate. Patriot will assist your organization by establishing plans that will allow the organization to continue operations in the event of a catastrophic occurrence.

### **Next Step**

For further information and pricing on any of the Strategic Security Consulting services, or to schedule an appointment to meet with one of our security experts, call 301-695-7500 or visit [www.patriot-tech.com](http://www.patriot-tech.com).

## **Professional Services Offerings**

**Information Assurance**—regulatory compliance, web application security assessments, database security assessments, network vulnerability and penetration assessments, wireless security assessments, firewall audit, rapid security configuration assessments (RSCA)

**Product Deployment**—installation, testing, configuration management, migration, staged deployments, custom appliance fulfillment and logistics

**Support**—maintenance and support programs

**Patriot University**—authorized certification training, security awareness training, customized training, application proficiency training, on-site training

**Managed Services**—firewall, intrusion detection/prevention, VPN