

# The MCDP Blocklist

## Making Environments Safer Through Exclusion

### Geographical Threat Sources:

In New Hampshire, we have found that the majority of the threat actors who attempt to and are successful at breaching our environments come from roughly 28 countries worldwide. IT professionals may consider blocking login attempts from any of the following locations unless a specific business need exists.

China	Ukraine	Germany
Iran	Poland	South Korea
Thailand	Sudan	Latvia
Algeria	Vietnam	Belarus
Pakistan	Brazil	Czech Republic
Venezuela	Indonesia	United Arab Emirates (UAE)
Turkey	Russian Federation	Syria
Tiawan	Egypt	Yemen
Italy	Mexico (Optional)	
Netherlands	Morocco	

### AI Large Language Model (LLM) Threats:

Threat actors are using AI tools and large language models to make attacks faster, smarter, and harder to catch.

The use of AI allows threat actors to:

- Automate attacks that adapt in real-time to the environment they're targeting.
- Find and exploit sensitive information more quickly than before
- Access harmful or illegal instructions, bypassing normal filters.
- Hide malicious activity in compromised systems, making detection more difficult.

### AI LLMs that are known to have guardrails removed

Below is a list of AI LLM tools that have had their restrictions removed. Unless organizations have a specific business use for these particular tools, they may consider blocking them from their environments. This list is not exhaustive and is ever-changing.

WormGPT	FraudGPT	Poison GPT
Mixtral	Grok	Deepchat (formerly WhiteRabbitNeo)
DarkBERT	Anthropic Claude	
DarkBARD	GhostGPT	



## NH Municipal Cyber Defense Program

The New Hampshire Municipal Cyber Defense Program (MCDP), managed by The ATOM Group, is a key initiative for enhancing New Hampshire's Cybersecurity Defense Services. Funded by the NH Department of Information Technology and the State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program, it aims to protect public trust in technology by providing comprehensive Cybersecurity training.

The MCDP is critical to New Hampshire as it enhances cybersecurity readiness across municipal and public sector entities. This program stands out because it is customized based on the municipality's type, job description, and organization's existing cybersecurity readiness.

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