

Cybersecurity Training for IT Leadership

Purpose:

This training aims to enhance the leadership and strategic skills of IT engineers in cybersecurity while equipping them with practical knowledge to safeguard organizational assets. Participants will explore the evolving cybersecurity landscape in New Hampshire, learn to implement strong security measures, respond to incidents effectively, and take the lead in advancing cybersecurity efforts within their organizations.

Audience:

IT Engineers and Leaders responsible for cybersecurity planning, implementation, and response in county, municipal, or educational institutions.

Outline of the Training:

1. Current Cybersecurity Landscape in NH:

- Overview of local threats affecting municipalities and schools.
- Key implications for leadership and decision-making.

2. Key Areas of Cybersecurity:

- **Monetary Fraud Prevention**
Recognizing and mitigating financial cybercrime risks.
- **Authentication Security**
Implementing MFA and strong password policies.
- **Email and File Security**
Strategies to protect against phishing and secure file sharing.
- **Logging and Monitoring**
Basics of proactive threat detection and response.

3. Leadership and Incident Response:

- Developing effective incident response plans.
- Mobilizing teams during crises and communicating with stakeholders.
- Building leadership skills to foster collaboration and drive cybersecurity initiatives.

4. Q&A Session



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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