

# Cyber Security Foundational Assessment (CSFA)

## Build and scale a formidable security program for your small or medium sized business

Are you looking to build and manage new a security program? Which risks should you be most concerned with? Where should you invest for the best return? How will you manage cybersecurity with existing IT staff? The Cyber Security Foundational Assessment (CSFA) is a risk assessment that utilizes cybersecurity best practices and recognized cyber frameworks to answer the questions surrounding the formation or refinement of a new cybersecurity program. The CSFA is tailored for small and medium businesses and is an analogous, lighter offering to the Cyber Security Maturity Assessment (CSMA).

During this assessment, Rapid7's security experts—industry vets who average over 20 years of experience across different areas of security and compliance—will evaluate and provide guidance on how to develop, mature, and grow the foundational parts of your security program in a way that makes the most sense for your organization's needs. As your program matures, alignment with the best practices outlined in the assessment better positions your organization to meet (and exceed) industry compliance requirements.

### HOW IT WORKS

The CSFA focuses on specific controls and best practices that will allow your organization to scale and more effectively implement future IT and security initiatives, including the following areas:

- Account Security
- Documentation and Organization
- Security Foundations
- Response and Recovery

We aim to be as efficient as possible: Help us by being prepared to answer questions that span people, processes, and technology (with the focus being on people and processes). Once we understand your goals and resources, then what? You can expect the final output to consist of a scorecard, keys gaps and focus areas, observations by the consultant(s), and detailed recommendations for risk reduction.

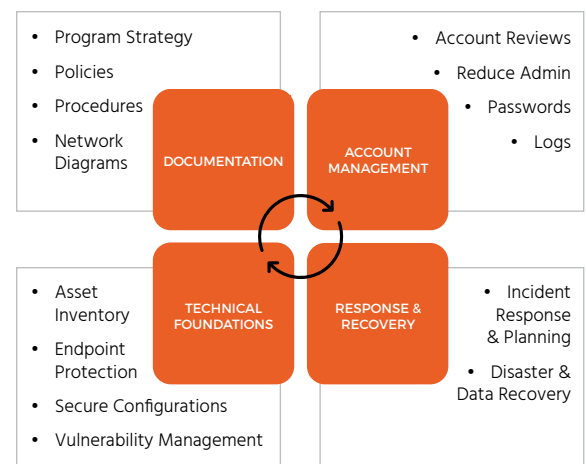


Figure 1: The Cyber Security Foundational Assessment (CSFA) structure