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Showname: Security+ (SY0-601)

Topic: Implementing Security

Episode: Host Security - Hardening

Learner Objectives:

*Given a scenario, implement host or application security solutions.*

Description: In this episode, the viewer will identify techniques to secure a host through a process called hardening. This includes closing unused ports, registry protection, disk encryption, patch management, account and credential management as well as trusted vendor hardening guides.

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- Basics
    - Account Management
    - Patch Management
  - Firmware Protection
  - Ports and Services
  - Ports and Services Best Practices
  - Firewalls
  - Antivirus
  - File and Disk Encryption
  - Registry (**two slides**)
  - Hardening Guides
    - Microsoft Security Compliance Toolkit
      - <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/security/threat-protection/security-compliance-toolkit-10>
    - RHEL
      - [https://access.redhat.com/documentation/en-us/red\\_hat\\_enterprise\\_linux/8/pdf/security\\_hardening/Red\\_Hat\\_Enterprise\\_Linux-8-Security\\_hardening-en-US.pdf](https://access.redhat.com/documentation/en-us/red_hat_enterprise_linux/8/pdf/security_hardening/Red_Hat_Enterprise_Linux-8-Security_hardening-en-US.pdf)

- VMWare Hardening Guides

- <https://www.vmware.com/security/hardening-guides.html>