**Notes for comptia security + exam**

**Contains only important points to remember.**

Social engineering is the process by which intruders gain access to your facilities, your network, and even your employees by exploiting the generally trusting nature of people.

Occasionally social engineering is also called as wetware.

Difference between phishing and spear phishing is that they both follow the same principle but spear phishing makes it look like the message is particularly for you. The attacker builds it in such a way that it makes the victim feel it is from someone you know.

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