# **OS Management SOP:**

## **Purpose:**

To increase efficiency to users on the network, patch security flaws, protect data and ensure compatibility.

### Scope:

**OS Version Control** 

## Responsibilities:

IT System Administrator

### **Prerequisites:**

Full network access and control for users.

#### **Procedure:**

- Configure synchronization update from Microsoft Update and WSUS servers
- Navigate to WSUS console to view and manage updates pulled from Microsoft Update
- Approve and deploy updates in WSUS
- Configure group policy settings for automatic updates

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#### References:

- <a href="https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/windows-server/administration/windows-server-update-services/manage/viewing-and-managing-updates">https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/windows-server/administration/windows-server-update-services/manage/viewing-and-managing-updates</a>
- <a href="https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/windows-server/administration/windows-server-update-services/manage/setting-up-update-synchronizations">https://learn.microsoft.com/en-us/windows-server/administration/windows-server-update-services/manage/setting-up-update-synchronizations</a>

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#### **Definitions:**

[What words are used throughout this document and procedure which have specific meanings that must be respected.]

- Policy -- "why?"; broad, overarching guidance
- SOP -- "what, when, why"; could be multiple SOPs to support a specific policy
- Work Instructions -- "how"; in-depth, step-by-step directions for a particular task

## **Revision History:**

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