Chapter 1 – Architectural Concepts

- CSA Trusted Cloud Initiative (TCI) Reference Model
 - Intent is to provide a reference architecture cloud providers can use to give cloud customers confidence in their solutions
 - Draws requirements from SOX, GLBC, ISO 27002, PCI-DSS, COBIT
 - Uses SABSA, ITIL, TOGAF, and Jericho frameworks to structure guidance
- CSA Trusted Cloud Initiative (TCI) Reference Model Components
 - Business Operation Support Services (BOSS) -> SABSA
 - IT Operations and Support -> ITIL
 - Presentation, Application, Information, Infrastructure Services -> TOGAF
 - Security and Risk Management -> Jericho
- Sherwood Business Security Architecture (SABSA)
 - Framework for enterprise security architecture and service management
 - Everything derived from analysis of business requirements for security
 - Layers -> contextual, conceptual, logical, physical, component, management
 - What, why, how, who, when where
- The Open Group Architecture Framework (TOGAF)
 - Framework for enterprise architecture that helps with designing, planning, implementing, and governing
 - Four levels -> business, application, data, technology
 - High-level approach to design
- NIST 800-53 Recommended Security Controls for Federal Information Systems and Organizations
 - Guidance document w/ primary goal of ensuring appropriate security requirements and controls are applied to US Federal government information management systems
- Managed Services Provider
 - IT Service where customer dictates tech and operational procedures and external party executes administration and operations support contract
- FIPS 140-2
 - NIST standards document that lists accredited and outmoded cryptosystems
- Eucalyptus
 - Open source cloud computing and laaS platform for enabling private clouds
- Cloud Service Broker (CSB)

- Intermediary between cloud service customers and CSPs to help select best provider for each customers
- Cloud Computing Reseller
 - Company purchases hosting services from cloud server hosting or compute provider and resells its own customers
- Cloud Access Security Broker
 - 3rd party offering IAM to CSPs and cloud customers that comes with single signon, certificate management, and cryptographic key escrow
- Cloud Bursting
 - Augment internal private datacenter capabilities with managed services during time of increased demand
- Business Requirement
 - Operational driver for decision making and input for risk management
- Nonfunctional Requirements
 - Aspects of device or process that are not necessary for accomplishing business task but are desired or expected
 - EXAMPLE: salesperson's connection to corporate network is secure
- Functional Requirements
 - Performance aspects of the device or process that are necessary for business task to be accomplished
 - EXAMPLE: salesperson must be able to connect to corporate network remotely
- Cloud Characteristics
 - Elasticity
 - Simplicity
 - Scalability
- Cloud Computing Characteristics
 - Broad network access
 - On-demand services
 - Resource pooling
 - Measured/metered service

Chapter 2 – Design Requirements

- Homomorphic encryption
 - Process data in cloud while it is encrypted w/o having to encrypt

- Cloud Provider Security Devices
 - All guest accounts are removed
 - All unused ports are closed
 - No default passwords remain
 - Strong password policies
 - Admin accounts secured and logged
 - Unnecessary services are disabled
 - · Physical access severly limited and controlled
 - Systems patched, maintained, updated according to vendor guidance
- How to deal with risks
 - Avoid
 - Accept
 - Mitigate
 - Transfer
- Risk
 - Potential for loss, damage, destruction of an asset as result of a threat exploiting a vulnerability
 - Intersection of asset, threat, and vulnerability
- Threat
 - Anything that can exploit a vulnerability intentionally or accidentally and obtain or destroy an asset
 - The thing we protect against
- Vulnerability
 - Weakness or gaps in security program that can be exploited by threats to gain unauthorized access to an asset
 - Weakness or gap in protection efforts
- Dealing with Single Point of Failure (SPOF)
 - Add redundancy
 - Create alternative paths
 - Crosstrain personnel
 - Backups and restore
 - Load sharing
- Business Impact Analysis (BIA)
 - Determine value of asset
 - Cost to org if asset lost
 - Cost to replace or repair
 - Method to deal with loss

- Used to identify SPOF
- Business requirements Analysis
 - Inventory all assets
 - Valuation of all assets
 - Determination of critical paths, processes, and assets
 - Understanding of risk appetite

Chapter 3 – Data Classification

- Data Lifecycle
 - Create
 - Store
 - Use
 - Share
 - Archive
 - Destroy
- Data classification
 - Characteristics of data such as sensitivity, jurisdiction, or criticality
 - Classify by a trait
- Data categorization
 - Define how data is used
 - Categorize by its use
- Data Metadata
 - Listing of traits or characteristics about specific data elements or sets
 - Created as same time as data
- Data Owner (Data Controller)
 - Org that collected or created the data
- Data Custodian (Data Processor)
 - Manipulates, stored, moves data on behalf of data owner
- Data Labeling
 - Data owner
 - Date of creation
 - Data of scheduled destruction
 - Confidentiality level
 - Handling directions
 - Dissemination / distribution instructions

- Access limitations
- Source
- Jurisdiction
- Applicable regulation
- Data Discovery Methods
 - Label-based discovery
 - Metadata-based discovery
 - Content-based discovery
 - Data Analytics
- Datamining
 - Organization collects various data streams and can run queries across various feeds and organization can detect and analyze previously unknown trends and patterns
 - Real-time analytics
 - Agile business Intelligence
- DRM Traits
 - Persistent protection
 - Dynamic policy control
 - Automation expiration
 - Continuous auditing
 - Replication restrictions
 - Remote rights revocation
- Data Retention Policy Requirements Archive Stage of Data Lifecycle
 - Retention period
 - Applicable regulation
 - Retention formats
 - Data classification
 - Archiving and retrieval procedures
 - Monitoring, maintenance, enforcement
- Data Audit Policy requirements All Phases of Data Lifecycle
 - Audit periods
 - Audit scopes
 - Audit responsibilities
 - Audit processes and procedures
 - Applicable regulations
 - Monitoring, maintenance, enforcement
- Cryptoshredding (cryptographic erasure)

- Encrypt data with strong encryption engine and then taking keys generated in process and encrypting with a different engine and then destroy keys
- Effective destruction technique in cloud
- Data Disposal Policy requirements Destroy phase of Data lifecycle
 - Process for data disposal
 - Applicable regulations
 - Clear direction of when data should be destroyed

Chapter 4 – Cloud Data Security

- Protect data created remotely Create Stage
 - Encrypt before uploading to cloud
 - Cryptosystem should be on FIPS 140-2 list
 - Connection should be secure
- Protect data when in use Use stage
 - Connections should be secure
 - Secure user platform/device
 - Least privilege
 - Strong access control
 - Logging and audit
- Protect data during archive stage
 - Cryptography and key management
 - Jurisdiction / location
 - Format
 - Staff (people)
 - Procedure (backup/recovery)
- Key Management Tenants
 - Level of protection -> encryption keys secured at same level or higher
 - Key recovery
 - Key distribution
 - Key recovery
 - Key escrow
 - Don't store key with data
- Randomization
 - Replace data or part of data with random characters
- Shuffling
 - Use different entries from within same data set to represent data

- Drawback uses production data
- Static obscuring
 - New dataset is created as a coy and only obscured copy is used
- Dynamic obscuring
 - Data obscured as called
- SIEM Goals
 - Centralize collection of log data
 - Enhanced analysis capabilities
 - Dashboarding
 - Automated response
- Data Loss Protection (DLP)
 - Additional security
 - Policy enforcement
 - Enhanced monitoring
 - Regulatory compliance

Chapter 5 – Security in the Cloud

- Responsibilities in IaaS
 - Security Governance, Risk, and Compliance -> Enterprise
 - Data Security -> Enterprise
 - Application security -> Enterprise
 - Platform security -> Enterprise
 - Infrastructure security -> Shared
 - Physical security -> Cloud
- Responsibilities in PaaS
 - Security Governance, Risk, and Compliance -> Enterprise
 - Data Security -> Enterprise
 - Application security -> Enterprise
 - Platform security -> Shared
 - Infrastructure security -> Cloud
 - Physical security -> Cloud
- Responsibilities in SaaS
 - Security Governance, Risk, and Compliance -> Enterprise
 - Data Security -> Enterprise
 - Application security -> Shared
 - Platform security -> Cloud

- Infrastructure security -> Cloud
- Physical security -> Cloud
- Private Cloud Risks
 - Personnel threats
 - Natural disasters
 - External attackers
 - Regulatory compliance
 - Malware
- Community Cloud Risks
 - Risks of each node in the community being an entry point into the larger community
 - Shared access and control
 - No centralized administration for performance and monitoring
- Multitenant Environment Risks
 - Conflict of interest
 - Escalation of privilege
 - Information bleed
 - · Legal activity
- Vendor Lock-In Mitigations
 - Ensure favorable contract terms for portability
 - Avoid proprietary formats
 - Ensure no physical limitations (bandwidth)
 - Regulatory constraints (needs to be more than on CSP)
- Vendor Lock-Out Mitigations
 - Provider longevity
 - Core competency
 - Jurisdictional suitability
 - Supply chain dependencies
 - Legislative environment
- Brewer Nash
 - Users given permission to access datasets based on which datasets user had previously seen but also considers free will to choose initial silo
 - Reduces risk of cloud administration conflict of interest by having access to multiple cloud customers that are competitors
- IaaS Threats
 - Personnel threats
 - External threats

- Lack of specific skillsets
- PaaS Threats
 - Interoperability issues
 - Persistent backdoors
 - Virtualization threats
 - Resource sharing
- SaaS Threats
 - Proprietary formats
 - Virtualization threats
 - Web app security
- Virtualization Threats
 - Hypervisor threat
 - Guest escape
 - Information bleed
 - Data seizure
- Guest Escape vs Host Escape
 - Attacker leaves confines of virtualized instance
 - Attacker leaves confines of virtualized instance and host
- Private Cloud Threats
 - Malware
 - Internal threats
 - External attackers
 - Man-in-the-middle
 - Social engineering
 - Theft/loss of device
 - Regulatory violations
 - Natural disasters
- Community Cloud Threats
 - All private cloud threats
 - Loss of policy control
 - Loss of physical control
 - Lack of audit access
- Public Cloud Threats
 - All private cloud threats
 - All community cloud threats
 - Rogue admins
 - Escalation of privilege

- Contractual failure
- Hybrid Cloud Threats
 - All private cloud threats
 - All community cloud threats
 - All public cloud threats
 - Loss of uniformity and centralized control
- Malware Countermeasures
 - Host/network-based anti-malware on host and vm
 - User training
 - Continual monitoring
 - Updates/patches
- Internal Threat Mitigations
 - · Good hiring practices
 - Job rotation, mandatory vaca
 - Separation of duty/least privilege
 - Data masking
 - Egress monitoring
 - Behavioral analysis
- External Threat Mitigations
 - Hardened machines
 - Access control
 - Know your data
 - Threat intelligence
- · Man-in-the-middle Mitigations
 - Encrypt data in transit
 - Secure session technology and enforcement
- Theft/loss of device mitigation
 - Encryption of stored material
 - Strict physical controls
 - · Inventory and monitoring
 - Remote wipe and kill
- Contractual Failure Mitigations
 - Full offsite backups
- Regulatory Violation Mitigations
 - Trained straff, strong legal
 - DRM

- Encryption, obfuscation, masking
- Rogue Admin Mitigations
 - Additional administration controls for privileged access
 - Locked racks, video surveillance, financial monitoring
- Loss of privilege control mitigations
 - Strong contract
 - Audits
- Escalation of Privilege Mitigations
 - · Access control and authentication
 - Review of log data
- Cloud-specific BIA Concerns
 - New dependencies
 - Regulatory failure
 - Data breach/disclosure
 - Vendor lockin/lockout
- Options for Cloud Backup
 - Private architecture using cloud services as backup
 - Cloud Operations with cloud provider as backup
 - Cloud Operations with 3rd party cloud backup provider

Chapter 6 – Responsibilities in the cloud

- Cloud Provider Responsibilities Physical
 - Secure hardware components
 - Manage hardware config
 - Set hardware to log events and incidents
 - Determine compute component composition by customer need
 - Secure administrative access
- Cloud Provider Responsibilities Logical
 - Installation of virtual OS
 - Secure config of virtualized elements
- Cloud Provider Responsibilities Networking
 - Firewalls
 - IDS/IPS
 - Honeypots
 - Vulnerability assessments

- Hardening OS
 - Remove unnecessary services and libraries
 - Close unused ports
 - Antimalware
 - Limit administrators
 - Remove default access
 - Event/incident logging
- System and Organizational Control (SOC) Report
 - Created by AICPA
 - Ensure compliance with SOX
 - Three SOC report levels
- SOC1
 - Auditing financial reporting instruments
- SOC2
 - Type 1 Reviews design of controls
 - Type 2 Reviews implementation of controls
- SOC 3
 - Seal of approval by an auditing company

Chapter 7 – Cloud Application Security

- Cloud Secure SDLC
 - Defining
 - Designing user stories, identifying programming language
 - Development
 - Testing
- ISO/IEC 270341
 - Standard for secure app development
- ISO/IEC 270341 Organizational normative framework (ONF)
 - Business context
 - Regulatory context
 - Technical context
 - Specifications
 - Roles, responsibilities, qualifications
 - Processes
 - Application security control library (ASC)

- ISO/IEC 270341 Application Normative Framework (ANF)
 - ONF used to create ANF for a single application used to achieve app required level of trust
- Policy management
 - Helps achieve access management
 - Enforcement arm of authN/authZ and is established based on business needs and senior management decisions
- Web of trust
 - Form of FIM where each member has to review and approve member for inclusion of federation
- Third party identifier
 - Form of FIM where member organizations outsource responsibility to approve/review each other
- Database Activity Monitoring (DAM)
 - Watches database for unusual behavior and alert or stop it
- Deception Technology
 - Works with WAF/DAM to guietly re-route attack traffic to honeypot
- API Gateway
 - Proxy
 - Access control
 - Limit connections (DDoS)
 - Logging
 - Metrics
 - Additional security filtering
- XML Gateway
 - Similar to API gateway but works around how sensitive data/services are exposed to API
- REST
 - Lightweight
 - Simple URLs
 - Not reliant on XML
 - Scalable
 - Outputs to JSON/CSV
 - Efficient w /small message
 - Good for limited bandwidth

- Stateless operations
- Caching

SOAP

- Standard-based
- Reliant on XML
- Highly intolerant of errors
- Slower
- Built-in error handling
- · Asynchronous processing
- Stateful operations
- Formatted
- Application Specific Integrated Circuits (ASIC)
 - Perform cryptographic operations to offload burden from primary CPU
- Application Virtualization
 - Run apps in trusted virtual environment where full apps run in protected space
 - XenAPp, App-V, WINE
- STRIDE
 - Threat model where standardized way to describe threats by their attributes and examine app for vulnerabilities of three threat types
 - Spoofing, tampering, repudiation, Ddos, elevation of privilege
- Injection
 - Malicious user injects string of some type of data into field in order to manipulate app actions or access unauthorized data
 - SQL, LDAP, OS
- Cross Site Scripting (XSS)
 - App includes untrusted data in a new page w/o proper validation or escaping or updates to existing web page w user supplied data using browser API that can create HTML/Javascript
 - Allows attacker to execute scripts in victims browser to hijack sessions, deface websites, or redirect user to malicious sites
- Insecure Direct Object Reference
 - App provides direct access to objects based on user input bypassing AuthZ
- Invalidated Redirect and Forwards
 - Devs use redirect wo validating allowing malicious users to alter redirects and send user to malicious site

- Notorious 9
 - Data loss
 - Data breach
 - Account takeover
 - Insecure API
 - DoS
 - Insider threats
 - Abuse of cloud services
 - Insufficient due diligence
 - Shared tech issues
- QoS
 - Idea of ensuring you do not over-control environment with security measures that degrade application performance
- Vulnerability Scanning
 - Scan application for known vulnerabilities
 - Passive and based on definitions
- Penetration Testing
 - Find vulnerabilities and exploit
 - Active
- White-box testing
 - Reviews source code
 - Test while inactive
- Black-box testing
 - Test application as it functions
- Static Application Security Testing (SAST)
 - Source code, binaries, byte code tested w/o executing application
 - Useful to identify XSS, SQL injections, buffer overflows, unhandled exceptions, and backdoors
- Dynamic Application Security Testing (DAST)
 - Test while application is running
 - Effective for HTTP / HTML applications
- Software Supply Chain API Management
 - Risks of an API using other underlining APIs which may or may not be secure and consumer not being aware of it
- Runtime Application Self-Protection (RASP)

- Application reacts to attacks by automatically reconfiguring itself w/o human interaction
- OWASP Top 9 Coding Flaws
 - Input validation
 - Source code design
 - Information leakage and improper error handling
 - Direct object reference
 - Resource usage
 - API usage
 - Best practice violations
 - Weak session management
 - Use of HTTP GET Query Strings

Chapter 8 – Operations Elements

- Uptime vs availability
 - Datacenter may be up and running but customers ISP connectivity is not working causing issues with availability
- Uptime Institute Standards
 - Four tiers of ascending levels of durability
 - 12 hours of fuel stored is requirement for all four tiers
- UI Tier 1
 - Basic site infrastructure
 - Little to no redundancy
 - Good for cold site or hot/warm for backup data
 - Least expensive
 - Downtime "will happen"
- UI Tier 2
 - Redundant Site Infrastructure Capacity Components
 - Good option for small organizations
 - Downtime "may happen"
- UI Tier 3
 - Concurrently Maintainable Site Infrastructure
 - Dual power supplies
 - Unplanned loss of component may cause downtime while system loss will
 - Planned maintenance may cause downtime but risk of downtime is increased at this time
- UI Tier 4
 - Fault Tolerant Site Infrastructure
 - Every element of system and facility has redundancy
 - "Will not"
- Loosely Coupled vs Tightly Coupled Architecture

- Tightly shares same physical hardware backplane which increases performance but limits agility
- Loosely coupled is connected logically allowing for scale and agility
- Bit splitting
 - AKA data dispersion
 - Data sliced into chunks and encrypted w/ parity bits and then dispersed across cloud cluster
- Awareness
 - Informal, voluntary presentation of material for purpose of reminding
 - Example: Posters
- Training
 - Formal presentation of materials by internal SME
 - Specific to organization
- Education
 - Formal presentation of material in academic environment
 - · Credit for degree
- Threat Modeling
 - · View application from perspective of attacker
- Training Types
 - Initial new employees
 - Recurring continual updating of security
 - Refresher you f-d up and now you need training

Chapter 9 – Operations Management

- Temperature, Humidity, Dew Point
 - Temperature 64 81 degrees F
 - Humidity 60%
 - Dew Point 42-59 degrees F
- Maintenance Mode Requirements
 - All operational instances are removed from system or device
 - Prevent new logins
 - Ensure logging is continued and increased
- Updated Process
 - Document how, when, why
 - Move through CM process
 - Maintenance mode
 - Apply update and update asset inventory
 - · Verify update
 - Validate modification
 - Return to normal

- Update vs Upgrade
 - Updates are applied to existing systems and components where upgrades are replacement of old components
- Change Management
 - Modification of network such as deployment of new tech or disposal of old
- Configuration Management
 - Modification to known set of parameters such as settings
- Baselining
 - Change -> depiction of network and systems based on inventory
 - Config -> standard build of OS and settings
- CM Policy
 - Composition of CM board
 - Process in detail
 - Documentation requirement
 - Instructions for exceptions
 - Assignment of CM tasks, validating, scanning, analysis
 - Procedure for addressing deviations
 - Enforcement measures and responsibilities
- CM Initial Process
 - Full asset inventory
 - Codification of baseline
 - Secure baseline build
 - Deployment of asset
- CM Normal Operation
 - CMB meeting
 - CMB testing
 - Deployment
 - Documentation
- Business Continuity
 - Concerned with maintaining critical operations during any interruption of service
- Disaster Recovery
 - Focused on resumption of operations after interruption due to disaster
- Event
 - Unscheduled adverse impact to operating environment

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- 3 days or less
- Disaster
 - Event that lasts greater than 3 days
- Continuity Main Focuses
 - Connectivity
 - Utilities
 - Processing capacity
- BC/DR Plan
 - List of items from asset inventory deemed critical
 - Circumstances under which disaster declared
 - Who is authorized to make declaration
 - Points of contact
 - Detailed actions and tasks
- BC/DR Kit
 - Replicate to at least one other location
 - Current copy of plan
 - Communication equipment
 - Architecture diagrams
 - Software
 - Emergency contact info
 - Documentation tools and equipment
 - Emergency essentials
 - Fresh batteries to last 24 hours
- Maximum Allowable Downtime (MAD)
 - How long before interruption in service kills organization
- RTO
 - How long to recover operations after interruption in service
 - Must be less than MAD
- RPO
 - Maximum allowable lost data in a time measurement
- UPS
 - Must last long enough for graceful shutdown of affected systems

Chapter 10 – Legal and Compliance Part 1

Bodies of Law

- Criminal
- Civil
- Administrative
- Uniform Code of Military Justice

Criminal Law

- All legal matters where govt is in conflict w/ person, group, or org that violated statutes
- Includes federal and state courts where punishment can include monetary fines, imprisonment, or death
- Govt prosecutes and conducts law enforcement activities

Statute

 Rules that define conduct prohibited by government and are designed to provide for safety and well being of public

State Law vs Federal Law

- In state law jurisdiction stops at state line vs federal law includes entire country
- State law is superseded by federal law but the most strict law applies unless there is strict jurisdiction

Civil Law

- Set of rules that govern private citizens and disputes
- Strictly private entities such as individuals, groups, and organizations
- Body of law that deals with community-based laws
- Punitive measures are restitution of monetary damages or requirement to perform actions

Contract

- Agreement between two parties to engage in some specific activity, usually for mutual benefit
- Applies to SLA, OLA, PLA, and PCI-DSS contracts
- Disputes general handled in civil court and involve reparative restitution in event of loss

• Contract Components

- Finite duration
- List of parties
- Means for dispute resolution
- Jurisdiction law under which contract will be subject

• (OLA) Operating Level Agreement

- Used internally for service provide to detail responsibilities, process, and time frames in support of SLA
- Must be more strict timeframe than SLA

(UC) Underpinning Contract

Contract between service provider and third-party vendor/provider

Tort Law

- Body of rights, obligations, and remedies that have been set for reliefs for persons who have been harmed as result of wrongful acts by others
- Shift cost away from victims to person that hurt the victim
- Deterrent to careless and risky behavior

Common Law

- Existing set of rulings and decisions by court informed by cultural norms and legislation
- Create precedents

Administrative Law

- Created by executive decision and function
- EXAMPLE: IRS administers federal tax law

Intellectual Property

Intangible assets that are property of the mind (ideas)

Copyrights

- Used to protect expression of an idea like an artistic work or software
- Person who first expresses the idea immediately becomes the copyright owner and can additionally register the copyright with the United States Copyright Office
- Lasts for 75-125 years after the death of the copyright owner

Trademarks

- Intellectual property used to identify a brand
- Issued by state government or USPTO
- Last as long as property still being used

Patents

- Used to protect a formula, process, pattern, invention, etc
- Last for 20 years
- Granted by USPTO

Trade Secret

- Intellectual property that is private business material like a client list, recipe, process
- Is perpetual as long as owner uses and attempts to keep a secret
- How are intellectual property rights enforced?
 - Owner must enforce the rights
 - Criminal law can come into play if it is theft
- Doctrine of the Proper Law
 - Process associated with determining what legal jurisdiction will hear a dispute
 - Typically which jurisdiction is closest to the damages
- · Restatement (Second) Conflict of Law
 - Developments in common law which help courts stay up to date with changes
 - Restatements used to determine which laws should be enforced
 - Laws that fit best or most restrictive influence the decision
- Stored Communication Act (SCA)
 - Part of ECPA
 - Restrict government from forcing ISP to disclose customer data ISP may have
- Graham-Leach Baily Act (GLBA)
 - Allowed banks and financial institutions to merge
 - Customer account info must be kept secure and private and customers can opt out of information sharing between entities
 - Requires information security plan and ISO
 - Administered by FDIC/FFIEC and enforced by FDIC/DFI
- SOX
 - Increased transparency into publicly traded corporations financial activities
 - Includes provisions for securing and maintaining confidentially, integrity, and availability
 - External auditors added to protect against abuse by publicly traded orgs
- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)
 - Prevents academic institutions from sharing data with anyone but parents or the student
 - Administered by DoE and enforced by the DoE
- Digital Millennium Copyright Act (DMCA)
 - Updated copyright provisions to protect owned data in Internet world
 - Crack of access controls is a crime
 - Allows copyright owner to take down websites that include their content

- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
 - Administered by DHHS and enforced by Office of Civil Rights (OCR)

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- Privacy Rule and Security Rule (Driven by HITECH)
- Primary purpose was to make it easier for people to keep health insurance policies, protect confidentiality and security of healthcare info, and help healthcare industry control administrative costs
- ePHI can be stored in the cloud but must have adequate security and private protections in place
- PII
 - Information that can be used to identify an individual
 - In EU this includes name and cell phone number, IP address, cookies, DNA
 - GLBA defines PII as customer account number and balances
- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)
 - Standards org made up of reps from multiple countries
 - Released set of principals Data Directive is based of
 - Non-legally binding
- EU Data Protection 95/46 EC (Superseded by GDPR)
 - Privacy law for EU
 - Notice, choice, purpose, access, integrity, security, enforcement
 - Handling of all personal/private info of EU citizens
 - "right to be forgotten" allows user to request data be deleted
- Safe Harbor (Superseded by Privacy Shield)
 - w/I Data Directive and outlines what American companies must do in order to comply with EU laws
 - Program administered by DoC or DoT
 - US company must voluntarily agree to comply with Data Directive
 - US company must sign up with federal enforcement entity that would administer program
- General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)
 - Enacted in May of 2018 and supersedes Data Protection Directive
 - Child consent rose from 13 to 16
 - Expands identifiable info to IP address, cookies, DNA
 - Processing criminal data requires official authority
 - Data subjects have right to not be subject to automated decision making and profiling
 - Data subjects have right in relation to processing of personnel data
 - Member states can scope balance of right to private w/ freedom of expression and information
- Privacy Shield

- Agreement between EU and US and Swiss and US to transfer data from EU/Swiss to US
- Companies voluntarily agree to principles and are then audited by DoC/DOT and enforced by FTC/DOT as law
- Requirements
 - Notice
 - Choice
 - Accountability of onward transit
 - Security
 - Data integrity and purpose limitation
 - Access
 - Recourse enforcement liability
 - Supplemental principals
- Binding corporate rules/ standard contractual clauses
 - Alternative for US companies instead of Privacy Shield
 - Company explicitly states full compliance with GDPR
 - All EU countries must approve of company policy
- Australian Privacy Act of 1988
 - Regulates handling of citizen personal information
 - Transparency, rules of collection, correctness and integrity
 - Aligns with EU
- Canadian Personal information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA)
 - Protection of personal information
 - · Aligns with EU
- Argentina Personal Data Protection Act
 - Ensures compliance with GDPR
 - Aligns with EU
- European Free Trade Association (EFTA)
 - Four nation body including Switzerland, Norway, Liechtenstein, and Iceland
 - Regulations are recognized to be stringent enough to protect EU data
- Asia-Pacific Economic Corporation (APEC) Privacy Framework
 - Goal to work toward economic growth and cooperation with its members
 - Agreements are not legally binding; voluntary compliance
 - Enhance free markets through common adherence to PII protection principals
- ISO 27017:2015
 - Guidelines for information security controls applicable to provision and use cloud services

- Standards for providing services and how cloud customer information and privacy should be controlled
- Regulation
 - Rules created by either other department of government or external entities empowered by the government
 - Contractual regulations such as PCI-DSS
- ISO/IEC 27037:2012
 - Guide for collecting, identifying, and preserving electronic evidence
- ISO/IEC 27041:2015
 - Guide for incident investigations
- ISO/IEC 27042:2015
 - Guide for digital evidence analysis
- ISO/IEC 27043:2015
 - Incident investigation principles and processes
- ISO/IEC 27050:2016
 - Overview of principals of eDiscovery
- NIST SP 800-122
 - Insight into definition of PII as information about person such as name, DOB, SS#
- Gap analysis
 - Audits begin here and creates an accurate frame of reference
- ISMS
 - Model for development and implementation of policies, procedures, and standards
 - Top down approach to addressing and managing risk
- Right to Audit
 - Used to mean consumer organization could demand to audit provider organization but now has evolved to mean getting copies of audit reports for due diligence
- SAS 70
 - AICPA audit standard that was replaced by SSAE 16 which outlines SOC 1, SOC 2, and SOC 3 audit reports

Chapter 11 – Legal and Compliance Part 2

Risk tolerance

- Acceptable variation in outcome related to specific performance measures linked to objectives entity seeks to achieve
- Level of risk an org can accept per risk
- Risk appetite
 - Total risk an org can accept given a risk profile
- Key Risk Indicators (KRIs)
 - Indicators that something is wrong and a risk may be surfacing
 - EXAMPLE: new vulnerability surfaces that could impact cloud provider
- Risk profile
 - Comprehensive analysis of risks an organization is exposed to
- ISO 31000:2009
 - International standard focusing on designing, implementing, and reviewing risk management processes and practices
- European Union Agency for Network and Information Security (ENISA) -> Cloud Computing: Benefits, Risks, Recommendations for Information Security
 - 35 risks a cloud customer should consider
 - Loss governance
 - Lock in
 - Isolation failure
 - Compliance risk
 - Management interface failure
 - Data protections
 - Malicious insider
 - Insecure or incomplete data deletion
- Service Level Agreement (SLA)
 - List of defined, specific, numerical metrics used to determine whether provider is meeting contract terms during a period
 - Pay attention to quality of the service and the interruptions per period
- SLA Elements
 - Performance
 - Security and privacy considerations
 - Logging and reporting
 - DR metrics (RPO, RTO, MAD)
 - Location of data
 - Data format and structure
 - Data portability
 - Problem identification and resolution procedures
 - Change management process
 - Dispute mediation process
 - Exit expectations
- ISO 15408-1:2009
 - Provides assurance to customers that cloud security products have been tested by third parties
- Cloud Certification Schemes List (CCSL)

- Shows main characteristics of certificate scheme such as underlining standards, who issues the certification, is the CSP audited, and who conducts the audit (internal or external)
- Cloud Certification Scheme Metaframework (CCSM)
 - High-level mapping of security requirements of customer to security objectives in existing schemes
- CSA Security, Trust, and Assurance Registry (STAR)
 - Framework for evaluating cloud providers
 - Consists of Cloud Controls Matrix (CCM) and Consensus Assessments Initiative Questionnaire (CAIQ)
 - Three levels -> Self assessment, CSA Star Attestation, CSA START Continuous Monitoring
- ISO 28000:2007
 - Certification against certain elements of supply chain risk
 - Security management policy
 - Organizational objectives
 - Risk management practices
 - Documented practices and records
 - Supplier relationships
 - Roles, responsibilities, and authorities
 - Organizational procedures and processes