# **Fla. Stat. § 1004.444**

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**§ 1004.444. Florida Center for Cybersecurity.**

**(1)** The Florida Center for Cybersecurity is established within the University of South Florida.

**(2)** The goals of the center are to:

**(a)** Position Florida as the national leader in cybersecurity and its related workforce through education, research, and community engagement.

**(b)** Assist in the creation of jobs in the state’s cybersecurity industry and enhance the existing cybersecurity workforce.

**(c)** Act as a cooperative facilitator for state business and higher education communities to share cybersecurity knowledge, resources, and training.

**(d)** Seek out partnerships with major military installations to assist, when possible, in homeland cybersecurity defense initiatives.

**(e)** Attract cybersecurity companies to the state with an emphasis on defense, finance, health care, transportation, and utility sectors.

**History**

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