

Registered Practitioner High-Level Scoping

1.0 Defining Organizational Scoping:

1.1 Headquarters (HQ) Organization: The legal entity that will be delivering services or products under the terms of a DoD contract. The HQ Organization itself could be the OSC, or it could designate a Host Unit as the OSC.

1.1.1 The legal entity that is directly linked to the Systems Security Plan (SSP) and associated processes and practices that protect Federal Contract Information (FCI) and/or Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI).

1.2 Host Unit: The specific people, processes, and technology within an HQ Organization that would be applied to the DoD contract and that are to be considered the OSC for CMMC Assessment purposes.

1.2.1 The host unit (FCI/CUI Assets) are required to be documented by the contractor within the asset inventory, SSP, as well as the network diagram of the assessment scope.

1.3 Supporting Units: The people, processes, and technology that *support* the Host Unit. These resources need to be included as part of the Assessment.

1.3.1 Supporting units may include Subcontractors, External Service Providers (ESPs)/ Third-Party Service Providers (TSPs).

