

Clearwater Capabilities Overview

Threats to Healthcare Continue to Grow

Breaches in healthcare continue to break records, and ransomware attacks are increasing, are more damaging and are taking longer to recover from.



Healthcare organizations report a ransomware attack last 12 months²



Why are breaches increasing in healthcare and becoming harder to recover from?

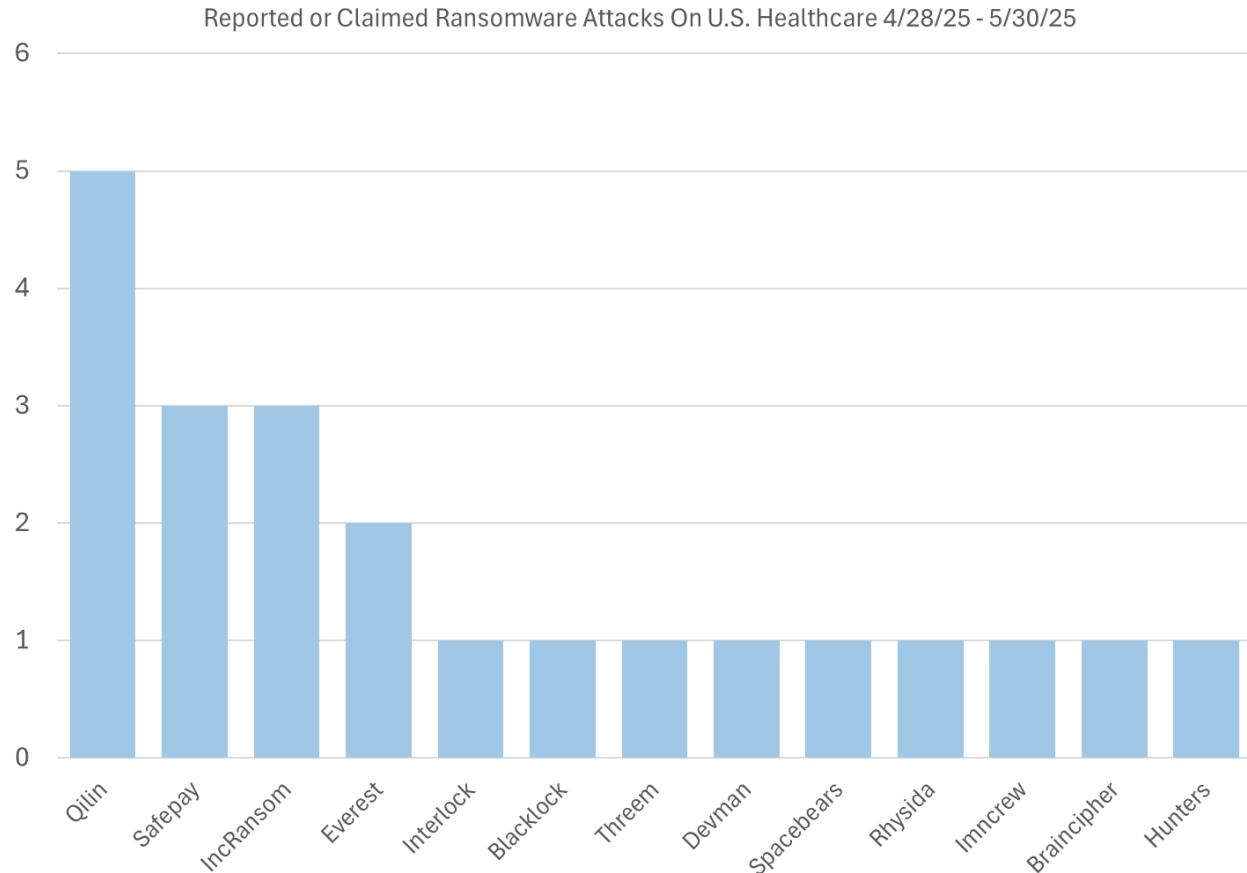
- Growing attack surface with more vulnerabilities
- ePHI is most valuable data
- Most likely to pay ransom
- Number of attackers increasing
- TTPs are evolving quickly
- Weak security programs
- Limited resources

¹ The HHS Breach Portal (2024 data through 12/31/24, pulled on 1/31/25; 2023 data pulled 11/3/24) + 90 million additional records Change Healthcare announced earlier this year

² The State of Ransomware in Healthcare 2024 – Sophos News

Ransomware Attacks on Healthcare are Increasing

22 newly identified ransomware attacks on U.S. Healthcare organizations 4/28/25 – 5/30/25.*



- Majority of attacks continue to occur on specialty provider groups, ambulatory surgical centers, physician practices, behavioral health and assisted living facilities
- Qilin had more reported attacks than any other threat actor in healthcare
 - Attacks on Clinpath (labs), The Holiday (SNF), New Season (Rehab), Dermatologists of Birmingham, and LaTouche Pediatrics
- IncRansom continues to be a front-runner
- SafePay moved to top 3 attackers after no activity last month

Healthcare Organizations Are Feeling the Pain

89%

Of OCR ePHI-related enforcement actions found failure to conduct risk analysis.

67%

Of surveyed healthcare organizations reported ransomware incident in 2024, a four-year high up from 60% in 2023.

389

U.S. institutions reported ransomware attacks in 2024 resulting in delays in medical procedures and disruptions to patient care.

OCR Enforcement is Increasing



HHS OCR has been active with several new settlements and appointing of new Director.

Paula M. Stannard announced as Director of HHS Office for Civil Rights



- Previous experience at HHS in legal affairs under first Trump and George W. Bush administrations
- Replaces Alex Azar who was in interim role

[HHS Announces Paula M. Stannard as Director of the Office for Civil Rights | HHS.gov](#)

Enforcement Actions Since Last Cyber Briefing, Both with 2 Year Corrective Action Plans

- BayCare Health System: 16 hospitals, malicious insider, 586K individuals - 5/28/25 - \$75,000
- Comstar: medical billing and collection company, ransomware, single complainant 5/30/25 - \$800,000

Risk Analysis, Risk Management Plans, and Review of System Activity continue to be top areas of focus for OCR Enforcement.

[Link to OCR's Final Guidance on Risk Analysis](#)

[Link to Differences Between HIPAA Security Evaluations and Risk Analysis - Clearwater](#)

Threat Environment Creates Challenging Demands

Cybersecurity & Compliance Demands

- A cybersecurity program with recognized best practices
- Comprehensive understanding of current risk and maturity
- Optimized security investment decisions
- Compliance with regulations, insurance and customer/third party requirements
- Resiliency – the ability to effectively detect, respond, operate during, and recover from a security incident

Challenges in Meeting Demands

- Limited compliance and security resources, expertise and capabilities
- Staff turnover creates gaps, or restarts to program
- Lack of visibility to risks
- Increasing cyber insurance costs and underwriter demands
- Cybersecurity and compliance interfere with core activities that drive strategic value



Moving healthcare organizations
to a more secure, compliant, and
resilient state so they can achieve
their missions.

Clearwater Overview



Founded in 2009, the largest pureplay healthcare cybersecurity and compliance managed services and consulting firm



600+ clients including large IDNs, academic medical centers, ambulatory providers, and digital health companies



200 colleagues with 100+ expert on-shore consultants



24x7x365 Security Operations Center with Managed Detection & Response (MDR) Services and Managed Azure Cloud Services



Proprietary IRM|Pro® SaaS-based software platform for analyzing and managing cybersecurity and compliance risks



100% OCR acceptance rate of our deliverables



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ClearAdvantage Managed Services Program for Regional and Critical Access Hospitals for Healthcare Industry Solution



Won the 2025 KLAS "Most Improved Award" for the largest increase in service levels of an acquired service line.



"Redspin ready" CMMC Cloud Hosting solution is the winner of the "Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity Solution of the Year"

Our C.L.E.A.R Values



Service Leaders With Deep Healthcare Experience

STEVE AKERS



Chief information Security Officer and Chief Technology Officer, Managed Security Services

JON MOORE
JD, MS, HCISPP



Chief Risk Officer; SVP Consulting Services

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Vice President, Privacy & Compliance Services

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JAIME CIFUENTES
CISSP, C|CISO



Director, Consulting Services
PPMG & Ambulatory

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CISSP, CCSP, Security+, CE



Director, Consulting Services
Digital Health & Health IT

Trusted Expert Partner to Healthcare

Awards & Recognition



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Recognized as the #1 Client-Rated Cybersecurity and Compliance Consulting Firm in the Top 100 Healthcare IT Advisory and Consulting Project Areas in Highest Demand for 2025



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1. The ClearAdvantage Managed Services Program for Regional and Critical Access Hospitals for Healthcare Industry Solution
2. Redspin's CMMC Services in the CMMC Compliance category
3. The Redspin Ready Managed Cloud Programs in the National Cyber Defense category



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100+ Experienced and Certified Consultants

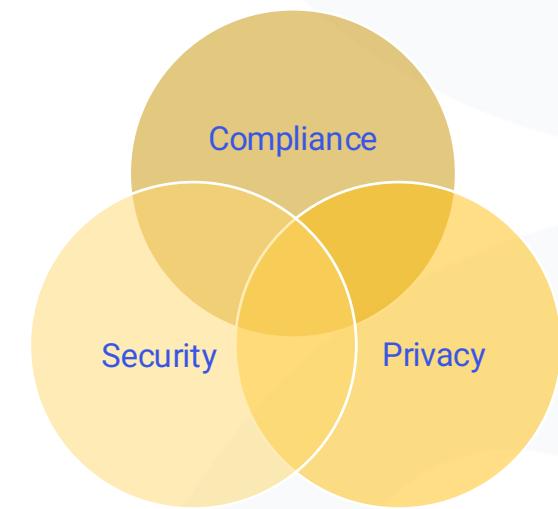
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- CIISO
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- CAHIMS
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- CCSFP
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- CISA
- CISM
- CISSP
- CP
- CPA
- CPHQ
- CPTS
- CRISC
- CROTO
- CySA+
- GCIH
- GISP
- GPEN
- GREM
- GWAPT
- GWEB
- GXPN
- HCISPP
- ISO/IEC 27001
- ITIL
- IVMCA
- JD
- LSSGB
- MBA
- MCCAE
- MCSOA
- MPA
- MS
- MS, IPM
- MSCHPM

The Most Comprehensive Set of Cybersecurity & Compliance Services for Healthcare Organizations

We combine people, processes, and technology to deliver better, easier, and more cost-effective solutions to business problems, and enable our clients to achieve their strategic goals and objectives.



We are experts in Healthcare Sector Sub-Segment Specific Needs



Dedicated Practice Groups for
Digital Health/ HIT, IDNs/Health Systems
Small Hospitals, Ambulatory/PPMG

Extensive Experience in the Hospital and Health System Sector



UCSan Diego Health



Extensive Experience In Digital Health, PPMG & Other Healthcare

Physician Practices / Specialty Providers



Health IT / Digital Health



Other



Education & Thought Leadership

Clearwater has a long history of providing free education to the healthcare cybersecurity and HIPAA community.



Clearwater's Monthly Cyber Briefing | 12pm – 1pm CT

We invite you to attend our free, virtual monthly Cyber Briefing. During each hour-long, dynamic, educational session an industry expert will draw on their previous experience to cover several key topics & trending news related to healthcare privacy, cybersecurity, IT audit, & compliance.

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There's a treasure trove of free cybersecurity resources available from HHS to healthcare leaders—here's how to ...

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Data-Driven, Industry-Leading Insights

Cyber Risk Benchmark

Trend Report for Healthcare Private Equity

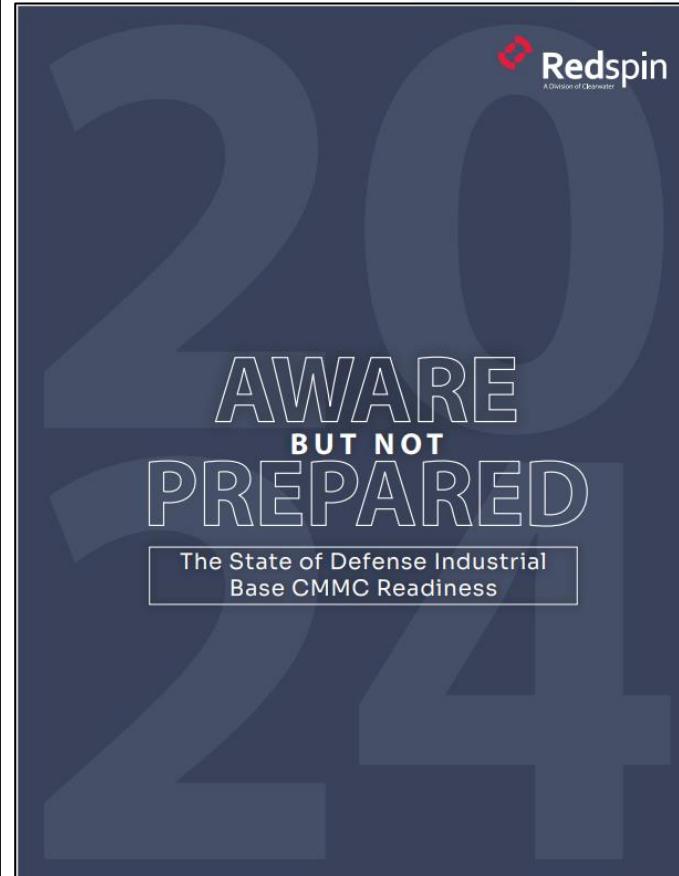
Private Equity Portfolio Companies

Assessments reveal many under-performing healthcare segments - but there is a clear path for improvement



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2025 Report



Cyber Risk Benchmark

Trend Report for Healthcare Vulnerability Management

The Ups and Downs of Vulnerability Management Across Healthcare Segments



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March 2025 Report

Why Healthcare Organizations Partner With Clearwater



People & Expertise

Highly skilled team of 100+ consultants with deep insight across healthcare



Reputation & Trust

Recognized leader in our markets with strong KLAS scores, often referred by attorneys and other experts



Strategic Guidance

Advanced support leveraging comprehensive portfolio of healthcare security & compliance services



Tech-Enabled Solutions

Innovative IRM|Pro® software suite and MSS/SOC platform that power our services



White Glove Service

Proactive, flexible, and willing to go above and beyond to meet client needs



Client Outcomes

Outstanding track record of delivering on-going value with 100% of risk analysis accepted by OCR

Strong Client Endorsements From Healthcare Leaders



"Partnering with Clearwater has been a critical step in bringing our solution to market. Their team of experts guided us in building our cloud architecture in alignment with industry standard protocols and maintaining the necessary audit trail for HIPAA purposes. And they play an ongoing role in ensuring our cloud-based applications meet our customers' strict security and availability requirements"

**Chaitanya Mamillapalli, MD, MRCP, FAPCR,
FACE, CEO**



"Clearwater helped us articulate in a very transparent way what we had in place and how we were following the requirements of the HIPAA Security Rule. As a result, the OCR agreed that the corrective action plan wasn't needed."

Terri Ripley, CIO



"As the industry continues to evolve, we recognize the need to advance our approach to cybersecurity and HIPAA compliance. Clearwater is the ideal partner to help us do that. Their ClearAdvantage program provides us with ongoing access to a deep team of cybersecurity and compliance experts that know the healthcare industry inside out, software that is purpose-built to help us manage cyber and compliance risk, and a dedicated program leader to bring it all together in alignment with our business objectives."

Mark Ludwig, CEO





Clearwater's Core Cybersecurity Advisory, Risk Management & Resiliency Services



Build Cybersecurity Programs Based on Recognized Practices

NIST Cybersecurity Framework

Created through collaboration between industry and government, the voluntary Framework consists of standards, guidelines, and practices to promote the protection of critical infrastructure.



<https://www.nist.gov/cyberframework>

CSA of 2015 Section 405(d)

The 405(d) aims to raise awareness, provide vetted cybersecurity practices, and move towards consistency in mitigating the current most pertinent cybersecurity threats to the health sector.



HHS 405(d)
Aligning Health Care
Industry Security Approaches

<https://www.phe.gov/Preparedness/planning/405d/Pages/default.aspx>

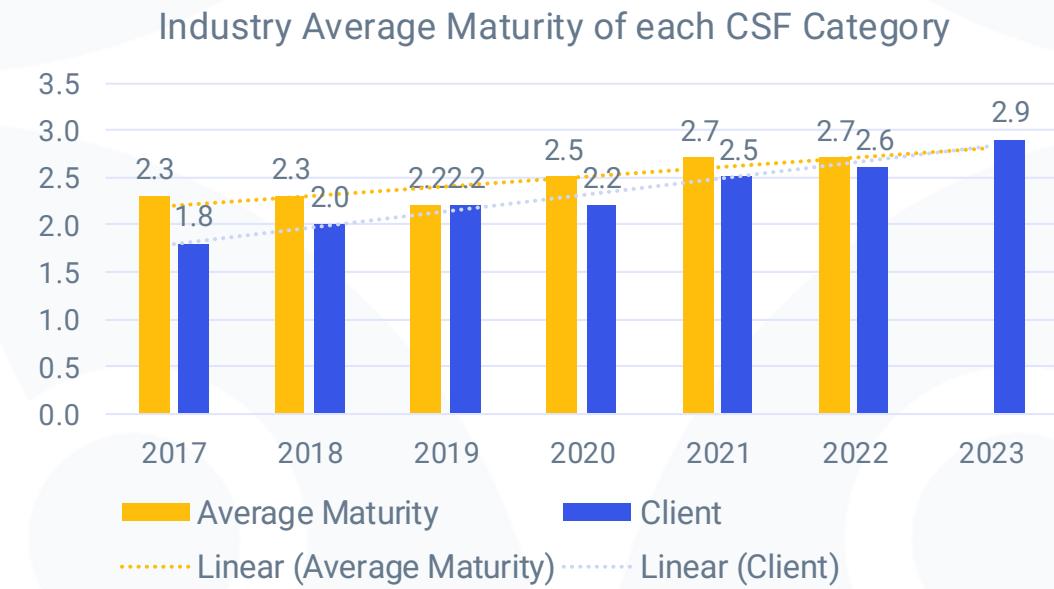
Program Leadership & Transformation

Seasoned cybersecurity leaders with significant experience build standards-based cybersecurity and compliance programs

- vCISO, vCPO, vCCO support
- Security Policies & Procedures
- Strategic & Tactical Planning
- Workforce Training
- Tool Selection & Implementation Planning
- Remediation & Maturity Program Support
- Audit & Certification Readiness (SOC 2, HITRUST, CMMC)
- Diligence and M&A Integration Support

Ongoing Maturity Trending vs. Benchmarks

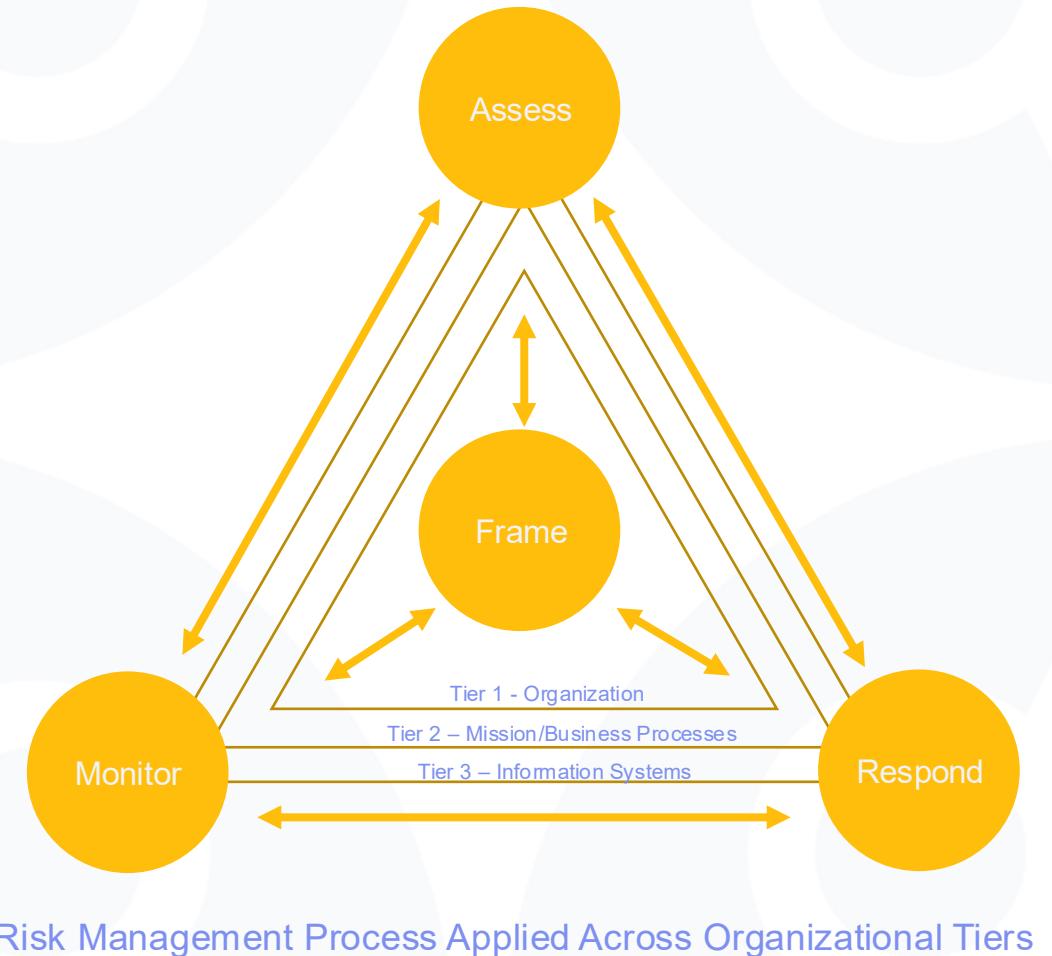
Our maturity assessment gauges program performance and maturity improvements over time in NIST Cybersecurity Framework categories relative to industry benchmarks.



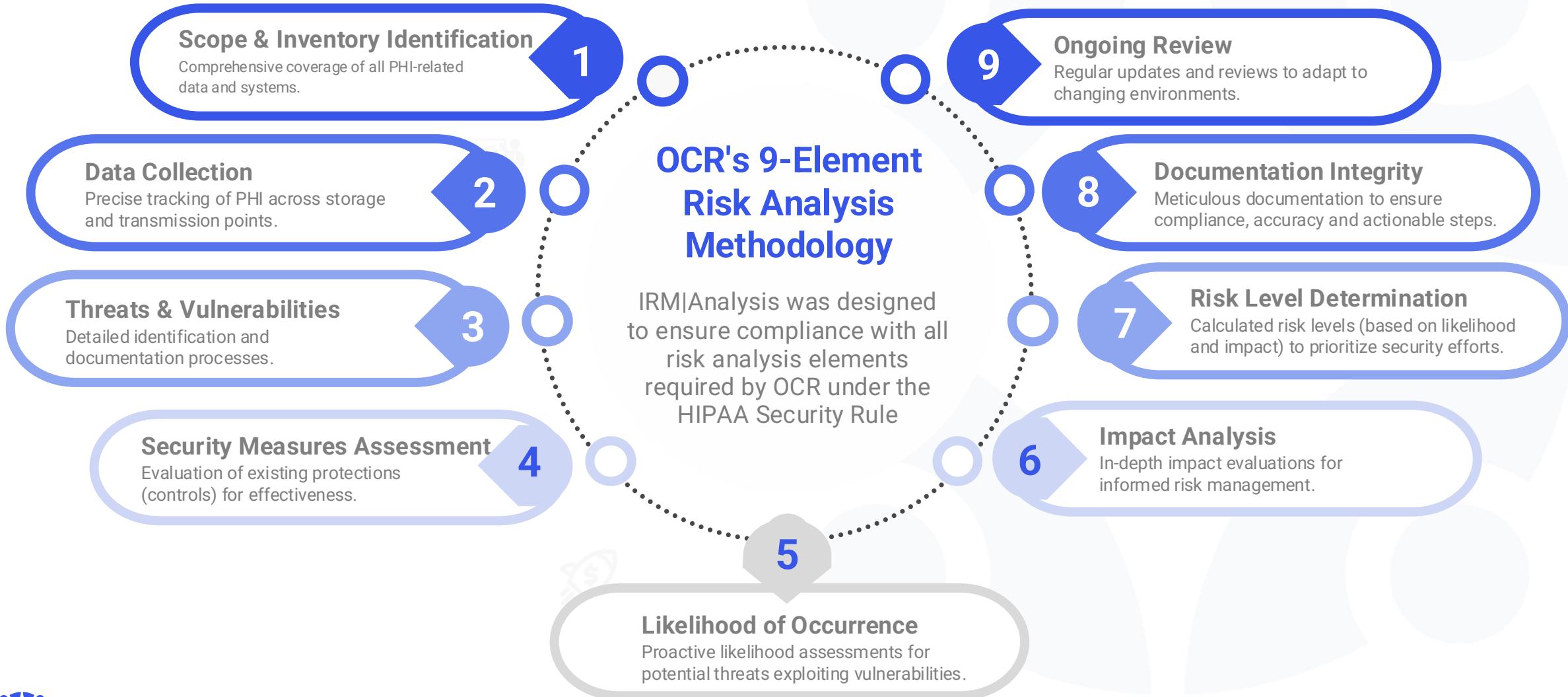
*The above charts are a generic example for reference

Risk Management - NIST Standards & OCR Experience

- Clearwater's solutions are built on NIST Guidance and Standards
 - NIST SP 800-39 Managing Information Security Risk
 - NIST SP 800-30 Guide for Conducting Risk Assessments
 - NIST SP 800-53 rev5 Security and Privacy Controls for Federal Information Systems and Organizations
- Clearwater's Risk Analysis methodology was purpose built to adhere to HIPAA requirements and Office for Civil Rights (OCR) guidance and enforcement actions
 - The HIPAA Risk Analysis implementation specification [45 CFR §164.308\(a\)\(1\)\(ii\)\(A\)](#) of the HIPAA Security Rule;
 - HHS/OCR "[Guidance on Risk Analysis Requirements under the HIPAA Security Rule](#)"
 - The "[OCR Audit Protocol – Updated April 2018](#)" specific to Risk Analysis and Risk Management
 - Our own work with dozens of organizations subjected to OCR enforcement actions.



Risk Analysis That Meets All 9 Elements of OCR's Guidance



Gold Standard Risk Analysis & Risk Management Solution

OCR cites failure to meet the HIPAA Security Rule's Risk Analysis requirement in ~90% of all HIPPA security rule enforcement actions

Purpose built for healthcare in alignment with OCR's Final Guidance, enforcement actions and commentary. Our deliverables have achieved a 100% acceptance rate by OCR.

Rigorous

- Includes all information systems with ePHI and other sensitive data
- Assesses controls and risks at the system and component level
- Follows NIST SP 800-30
- Meets all 9 elements of OCR's Final Guidance on Risk Analysis
- Performed by expert healthcare cyber risk consultants



"Based on all I've seen over the years, Clearwater's risk analysis methodology and software are in the best-of-breed tier and can be seriously considered by any organization striving to meet regulatory requirements in performing HIPAA Risk Analysis."

Leon Rodriguez, Partner, Seyfarth Shaw and former Director
of the Office for Civil Rights



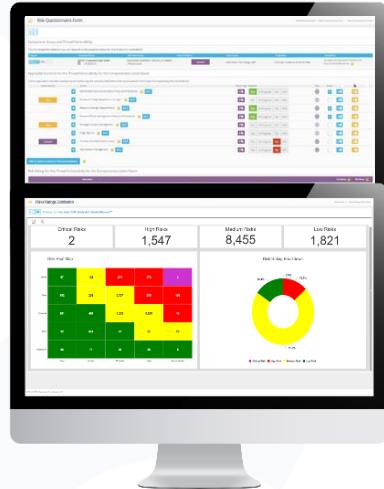
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Industry Proven

- Recommended by the nation's top healthcare security and privacy attorneys including former OCR Directors
- Experience addressing hundreds of HHS Office for Civil Rights (OCR) investigations and Corrective Action Plans
- 100% OCR success rate when clients have submitted Clearwater deliverables

Tech-Enabled

- Intelligent algorithms and Machine Learning-AI support comprehensive analysis
- View critical risks on dashboards and reports, produce OCR-Ready Reports and peer benchmarking
- Initiate risk response and create and track remediation actions
- Fully populated software platform for ongoing risk analysis and management



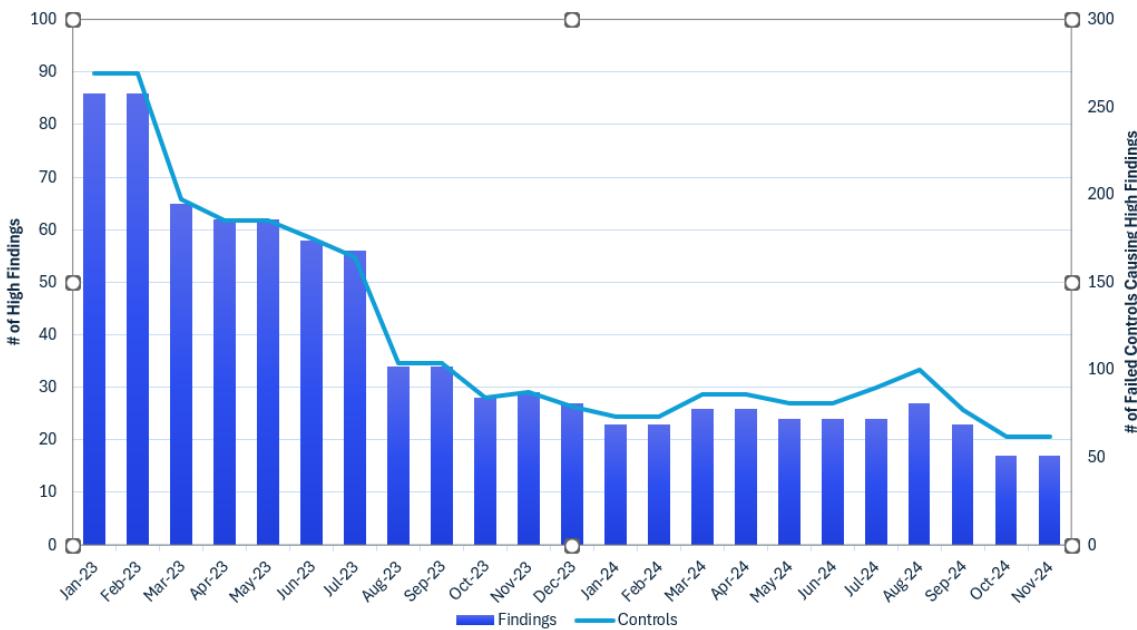
IRM | Analysis®



Various Levels of Risk Response & Remediation Support to Match Your Needs

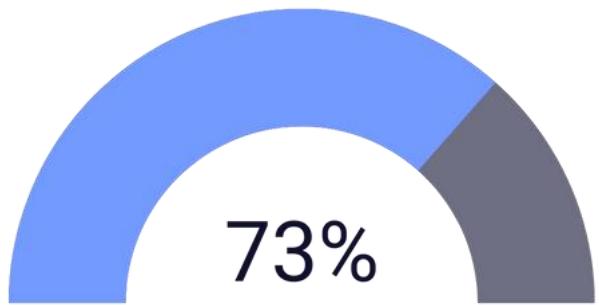
Level	Support Function	Clearwater Included Services
Level 1	Create action plans	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lead your team in risk treatment decisions and document rationale.• For all risks that are treated with remediation, we present options to risk owners with estimated time, cost, LOE, and feasibility• We create the action plan and document all information in IRM Analysis
Level 2	Create Action Plans & Manage Implementation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• In addition to Level 1, Clearwater will drive execution of the risk response plan• Clearwater will assist with questions and provide support• Clearwater will follow-up with risk owners about status• Clearwater will document progress and provide status reporting.
Level 3	Create Action Plans, Manage Implementation, Perform Remediation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• In addition to Level 1 and 2, Clearwater will support remediation efforts• Remediation may include revision of policies and procedures, project management of technical controls implementation, or advice with technical configurations• Clearwater does NOT provide “hands on keys” remediation

Sample Client Data



Proven Risk Reduction Outcomes

In a typical Clearwater services program lifecycle, organizations drive significant risk reduction, achieving measurable improvements in cybersecurity maturity within just a few years.



Progress Year over Year

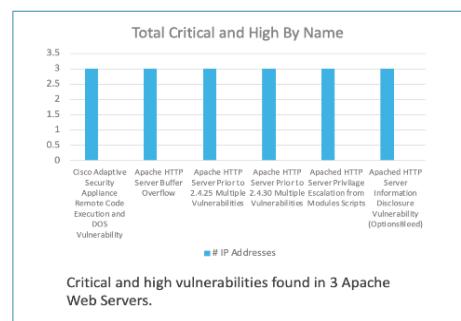
Across our client base, the average percentage of risks at or above clients' risk threshold dropped by over 73% over the course of a typical 3-year engagement.

Values generated from a sampling of actual Clearwater client outcomes.

Technical Testing – Offensive Security

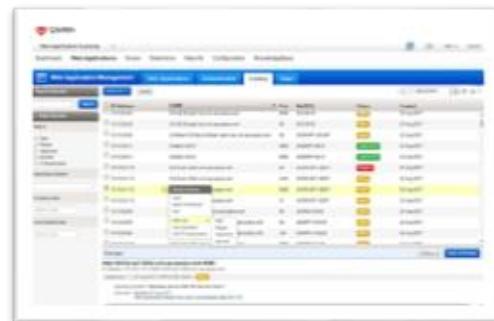
Internal / External Vulnerability Scanning

Identify weaknesses and understand how they can be exploited by malicious actors to gain access to internal information systems and identify vulnerabilities that are exposed to the internet.



Web Application Scanning

Identify vulnerabilities with web applications that, if left unattended, could lead to the compromise of confidentiality, integrity and/or availability ("CIA").



Internal / External / Wireless Pen Testing

Conduct a series of authorized simulated attacks on your information systems to evaluate the effectiveness of existing security safeguards.



Phishing / Social Engineering Testing

Assess awareness of social engineering tactics by simulating attacks that attempt to exploit the human factor in your risk management program.



Security Engineering, Cloud Security & Remediation

Network Assessment & Design

Apply best practices to secure your network and the resources it contains.

- Review of network diagrams
- Assessment of network security in relation to and best practices
- Development of recommendations
- Guidance on implementation of recommendations

Cloud Assessment & Design

Assist in assessing risk and designing, constructing and operating security in your cloud environments.

- Review of Cloud security architecture
- Identification and guidance on use of best practices in designing, constructing and managing cloud security
- Hardening of cloud infrastructure

Security Engineering, Remediation

Assist in implementation of technical security controls or provide staff augmentation.

- Security tool evaluation, selection
- Support remediation or implementation of security tools
- Staff augmentation for projects or ongoing security activities
- Other project-based work

Application Security

Security in the SDLC

Build security into your applications from the ground up.

- Evaluate security in the system development life cycle
- Design security controls for inclusion in SDLC
- Assist with implementation of security controls in SDLC
- Advise on application of controls during application development
- Conduct penetration testing of application security controls

Web Application & Mobile App Penetration Testing

Identify web application misconfigurations and security weaknesses.

- Conduct tests from the perspective of a regular user or an adversary
- Periodic iOS and Android Mobile Application Penetration Testing
- Identify misconfigurations and vulnerabilities that could be exploited by an attacker.
- Consider overall risk, exploitation likelihood, and potential impact
- Provide prioritized remediation recommendations and advice

Static Application Security Testing

Find and fix source code vulnerabilities.

- Automated scanning of source code.
- Multiple levels of analysis (function, file, application)
- Find OWASP top vulnerabilities
- Advise on application of controls during application development

Risk Monitoring (Security Controls Validation)

Secure Controls Validation assesses against an organization's implemented security technologies on how well they respond to the attack scenarios

Features

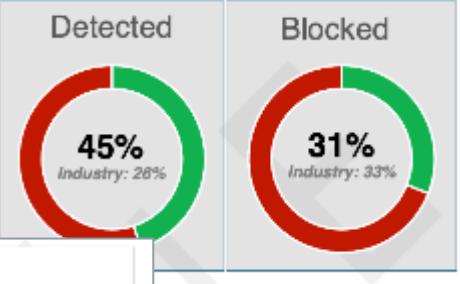
SCVA Assessment Scenarios:

- An attack from the Internet to an internal network.
- An attack from the internal network out to the Internet.
- An attack from one less trusted internal network to another more trusted internal network.
- An attack including an attempted data loss.
- A ransomware attack affecting an internal network.
- An attack against an endpoint.

1.5. Executive Dashboard

A total of **468** simulated malicious activities were executed during the testing phase of the assessment.

Of the simulated attacks, **45%** were detected compared to the industry standard of 26%, and **31% of attacks were blocked** compared to the industry average of 33% as detailed in FireEye's *Mandiant Security Effectiveness Report 2020 – Deep Dive into Cyber Reality*.



The controls validation results in strategic and tactical recommendations on the effectiveness of the controls. We help you interpret the results and make improvements to ensure controls are performing as expected.

Medical Device & IoT Security

Device Discovery & Vulnerability Assessment

- Discover medical devices on your network, identify vulnerabilities in those devices and get recommendations on reducing risk

Program Assessment:

- Identifies gaps in the policies, procedures, and practices that govern device security & risk management

Program Development:

- Policy and procedure development
- Lifecycle management

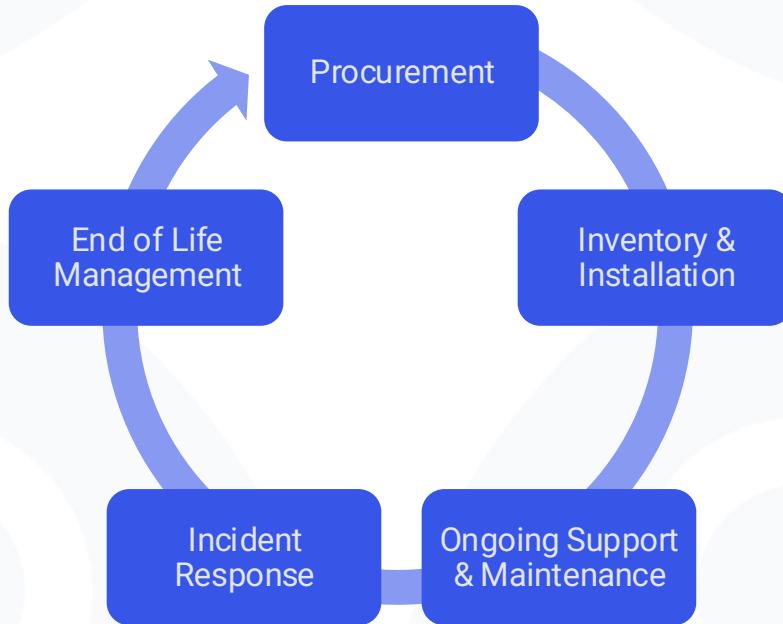
Remediation:

- Gaps identified in the risk analysis
- May include vulnerabilities identified

Program Management

- On-going management of your device security risk management program

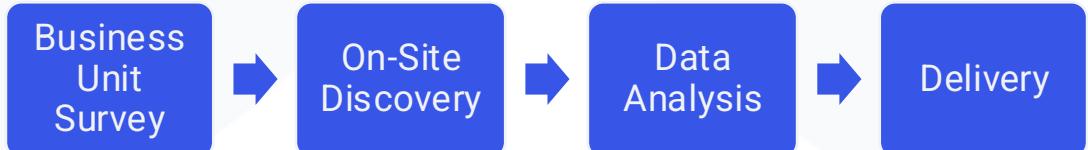
Medical Device Support and Management Lifecycle



Business Impact Analysis

Understand the impact of incidents and breaches on the organization and your dependency on systems and processes resulting in a strategy prioritizing requirements for recovery.

Working with the organization's business units to identify critical business processes, reliance on information systems, impact on business from loss of availability of systems, and strategy for recovery.



- Conduct Business Impact Analysis across functional business units of the organization
- Capture critical processes
- Capture current recovery capabilities
- Document RTO/RPO requirements
- Create asset tiering
- Documented BIA
- Input into disaster recovery and business continuity planning
- Summarize reports

Incident Response Planning and Testing Services

Assess your organization's Incident Response Program and strengthen areas of weakness.

- **Incident Response Program Assessment**
 - Assess plans, playbooks, policies, and procedures related to responding and recovering to a cyber incident
- **Ransomware Readiness Review:**
 - Assess plans and playbooks in response to a ransomware attack
- **Incident Response Program Development**
 - Develop or update incident response plan or playbooks

Test your organization's effectiveness at responding to an incident.
Support your organization in Incident Response should a compromise occur.

- **Incident Response Tabletop Exercise Standard and Immersive:**
 - Sequencing events as an attack is actually carried out
 - Injecting realistic conditions and tactics of adversaries
 - Mimicking the stress and chaos of an actual incident
 - Sessions with technical staff and with senior leaders
- **Incident Response Advisory & Remediation:**
 - Partnerships with Arista for Compromise Assessment and Groupsense for ransomware negotiation.
 - Clearwater provides remediation on T&M basis



Clearwater's Core Managed Security Services & Managed Cloud Services



Empowering Healthcare with Specialized Managed Security Services

*Our comprehensive suite of services is **purpose-built for healthcare**, delivering 24x7x365 protection, deep compliance expertise, and actionable insights to strengthen your security posture.*

Managed Detection & Response (MDR):

Benefit: Proactive Threat Neutralization & Rapid Response.

How: 24x7x365 SOC monitoring, real-time threat hunting, incident containment, and expert remediation guidance. Utilizes advanced EDR and healthcare-specific threat intelligence.

Value: Minimize breach impact, reduce attacker dwell time, ensure continuous vigilance, and reduce alert fatigue for your internal team.

Log Management (SIEM):

Benefit: Comprehensive Visibility, Compliance, & Faster Investigations.

How: Centralized collection, correlation, and analysis of security logs from across your entire IT environment.

Value: Meet HIPAA audit requirements, detect anomalous activity, accelerate incident investigation, and gain a unified view of your security landscape.

Vulnerability Management:

Benefit: Proactive Risk Reduction & Hardened Defenses.

How: Continuous scanning, identification, prioritization, and actionable reporting on vulnerabilities across systems, applications, and medical devices.

Value: Systematically reduce your attack surface, address critical weaknesses before exploitation, and meet compliance/cyber insurance requirements.

Firewall Management:

Benefit: Robust Perimeter Defense & Optimized Security Policy.

How: Expert configuration, 24x7 monitoring, policy enforcement, and ongoing management of your firewall infrastructure.

Value: Ensure strong perimeter security, prevent unauthorized access, offload complex firewall administration, and maintain up-to-date defenses.

Managed Security Services

Provides comprehensive managed security services that combine proprietary event orchestration with leading security vendors to protect businesses from cyberattacks and ransomware

Cybersecurity Software Partners



Comprehensive MDR

Provides comprehensive managed detection and response services that combine proprietary event orchestration with leading security vendors to protect businesses from cyberattacks and ransomware

Endpoint Detection & Response

Real time endpoint protection for workstation and servers

Firewall Security

Proactive response to protect the perimeter

Vulnerability Management

Threat indicator-based vulnerability identification for proper prioritization and remediation

Log Management

Leverage and retain all logs from systems, servers, applications and the cloud

SOC and Proprietary WARP

24/7/365 Security Operations Center

- Remote SOC both on-shore and off-shore
- Highly scalable
- Experienced in verticals Clearwater serves

Orchestration

- SOAR
- IR & Threat Intelligence
- SIEM automation

People

- Incident Triage
- Threat Hunting Analysis
- 5 min Response Time

Response

- Response Plan
- Escalation & Analysis
- Portal Event Reporting

Proprietary WARP Engine

Proprietary data enrichment and support for machine learning enabled orchestration

Managed Azure Cloud Services

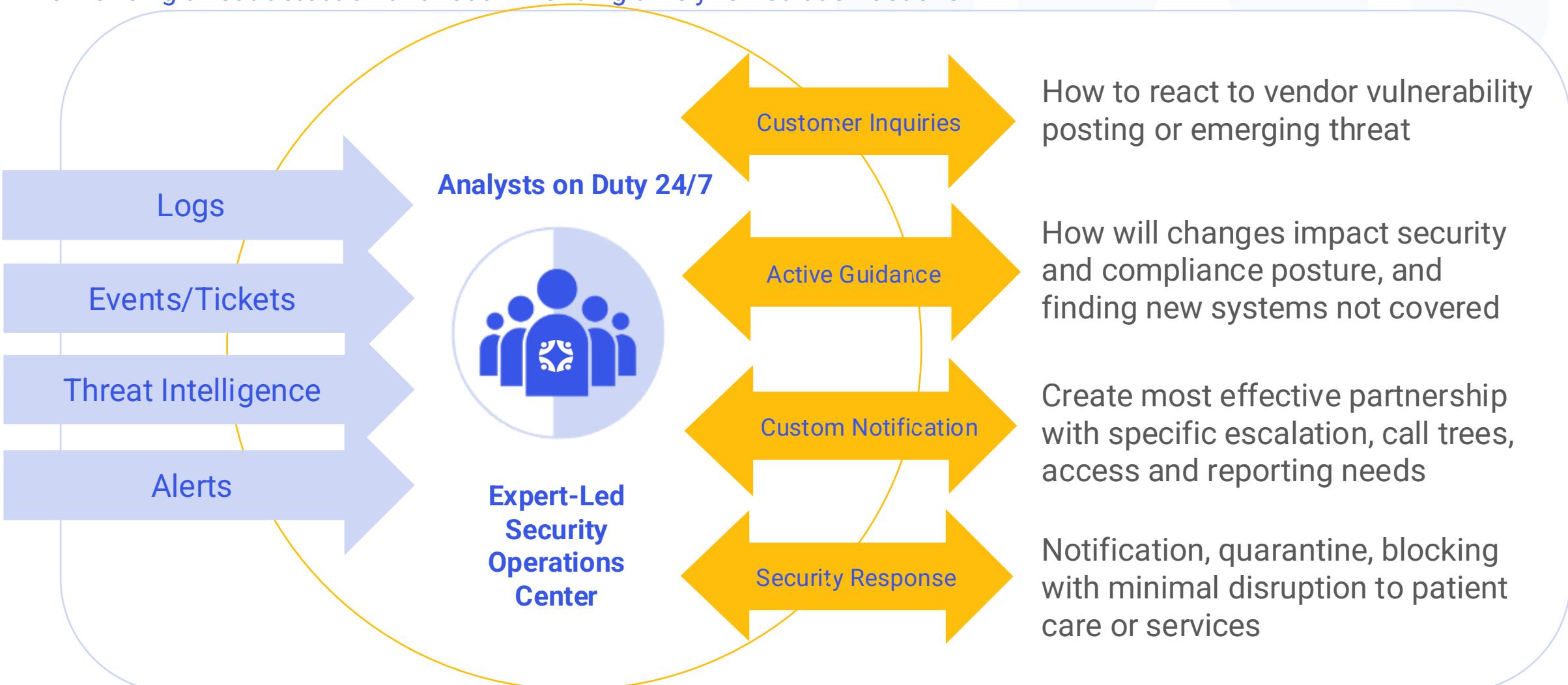
Clearwater's Managed Cloud Services for Azure provides design and implementation guidance as well as 24/7 operations and oversight by experts. These services enhance the ability to achieve cloud security, maximize performance, and maintain compliance through growth.

- Cloud platforms do not cover all cybersecurity and compliance needs out of the box.
- Clearwater manages all of these responsibilities including cloud planning, implementation, and optimization combined with managed security services
- Clearwater ensures healthcare organizations meet necessary compliance requirements while reducing risk and improving performance

Core Features			
	Azure Cloud Scalable Services & Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Network, Servers, Azure Services• Managed Security (Cloud & Hybrid) with Clearwater 24/7 Security and Operations Support	
	Microsoft 365 Full Operational Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mail, Storage, Collaboration• Policy Management and Security Logging	
	Identity Management Organizational Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entra ID/Directory Services• Secure Configuration and Monitoring	
	Virtual Desktop Reduce Risk Exposure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Active Virtual Desktop (AVD)• Protect business and ensure system availability while securing patient data and privacy	

Security Operations Center

Clearwater MSS gives visibility to prevented attacks, detected threats and emerging threats with our SOC continuously enhancing threat detection and recommending timely remediation actions



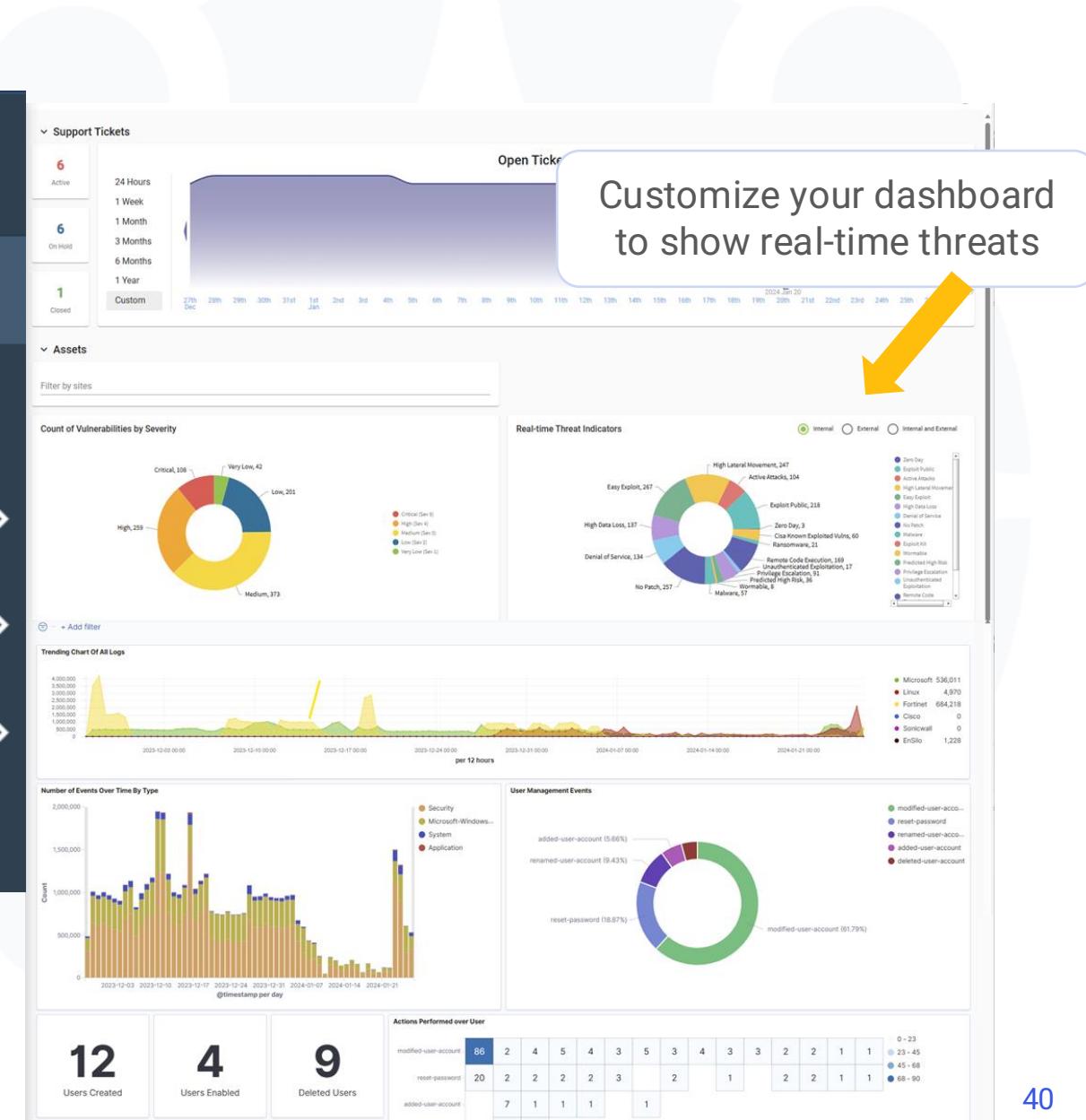
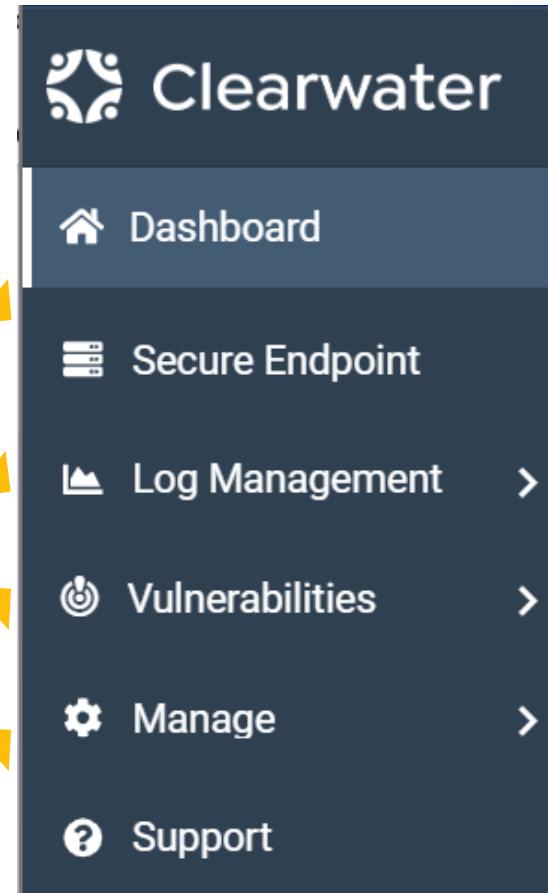
Client Portal – Access to Real-time SOC Views and Tools

Login to the Secure Endpoint
View with full asset management

Access Log Management and saved custom searches

View full Vulnerability Management scan findings and initiate re-scans to validate remediations

Granular User Access Management



Why Partner with Clearwater for Managed Security and Managed Cloud Services ?

Clearwater's Managed Security and Managed Cloud Services help healthcare organizations achieve better security, compliance and resilience in a rapidly evolving threat landscape.

-  **Unmatched Healthcare Focus:** Deep understanding of healthcare workflows, regulations (100% OCR success rate in risk analysis), and unique security needs.
-  **Reduced Burden, Optimized Resources:** Cost-effectively augment your security capabilities without significant in-house investment.
-  **Enhanced Compliance Posture:** Expert guidance and services to achieve and maintain HIPAA, HITRUST, and other certifications.
-  **Focus on Patient Care:** Allows your organization to concentrate on its primary mission: delivering exceptional patient care.
-  **Increased Resilience:** Strengthen your ability to prevent, detect, respond to, and recover from cyberattacks, ensuring operational stability.





Clearwater's Core Privacy & Compliance Services



Privacy & Compliance Services



Assess

- HIPAA Security Rule Assessment
- HIPAA Privacy Program Assessment
- HIPAA Privacy in Research Assessment
- Compliance Program Effectiveness Assessment
- NIST 800-53 Privacy Controls Assessment
- NIST Privacy Framework Assessment
- Information Blocking Assessment
- CCPA Assessment
- GDPR Assessment
- CMMC Assessments
- GLBA Assessments
- HITRUST Assessments
- SOC 2 Readiness
- 42 CFR, Part 2 Compliance



Build

- Policy & Procedure Development
- Information Blocking Development
- CCPA Program Development
- GDPR Program Development
- Compliance Program Element Development
- Compliance Consulting and Advisory Services



Manage

- Interim/Virtual Privacy Officer
- Virtual Privacy Office Staffing
- Patient Privacy Monitoring
- Interim/Virtual Compliance Officer
- Virtual Compliance Staffing



Validate

- Mock Investigation
- Expert Witness Service
- CMMC Certification
- PCI Certification
- HITRUST Certification

Highlighted Areas of Expertise



NIST



HHS 405(d)
Aligning Health Care
Industry Security Approaches

HITRUST™



**CMMC
ACCREDITATION BODY**
Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification



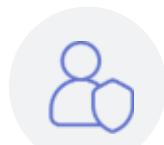
PCI Security Standards Council®



 **Clearwater**

10-Point HIPAA Compliance & Cybersecurity Program

Set privacy and security risk management & governance program in place
(45 CFR § 164.308(a)(1))



Develop & implement HIPAA privacy, security, and breach notification policies & procedures

(45 CFR §164.530 and 45 CFR §164.316)

Train all members of your workforce
(45 CFR §164.530(b) and 45 CFR §164.308(a)(5))



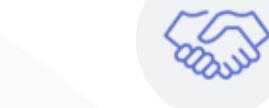
Complete a HIPAA security risk analysis
(45 CFR §164.308(a)(1)(ii)(A))

Complete HIPAA security risk management
(45 CFR §164.308(a)(1)(ii)(B))



Complete a HIPAA security evaluation (e.g., "compliance assessment")
(45 CFR § 164.308(a)(8))

Complete technical testing of your environment
(45 CFR § 164.308(a)(8))



Implement a strong, proactive Business Associate management program
(45 CFR §164.502(e) and 45 CFR §164.308(b))

Complete Privacy Rule and Breach Rule compliance assessments
(45 CFR §164.530 and 45 CFR §164.400)



Document and act upon a remediation plan
(45 CFR §164.530(c) and 45 CFR §164.306 (a))

A holistic approach for a comprehensive HIPAA Compliance and Cyber Risk Management Program derived from the Office for Civil Rights ("OCR") Enforcement Actions.

Non-Technical Compliance Assessments & Remediation

Ensure compliance with all standards, implementation specifications, and audit protocols of the HIPAA Security, Privacy and Breach Notification Rules, and 405(d) Health Industry Cybersecurity Practices.

Features

- **HIPAA Security, Privacy & Breach Notification Rule, and 405(d) Assessments** are facilitated by a Clearwater Consultant expert to assess compliance with these Rules and standards
- Evaluation and documentation compliance status with the **standards and implementation specifications** exactly as they are set out in the HIPAA Security Rule and the 108 audit inquiries of the HHS/OCR Phase 2 Audit Protocol
- **IRM|Security® and IRM|Privacy®** modules guide assessment, document progress and remediation
- **IRM|405(d) HICP** assesses and documents implementation of Health Industry Cybersecurity Practices (HICP) established under the 405(d) program
- Educate staff on maintaining compliance

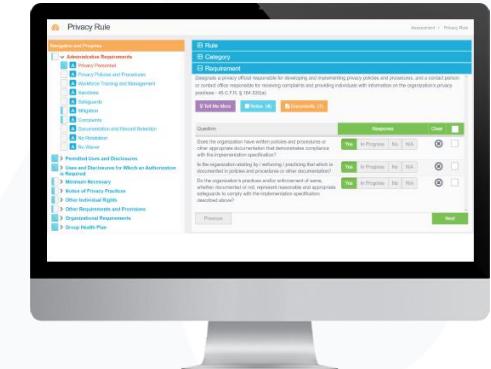
Prepare ➔ Assess ➔ Report

HIPAA Security, Privacy & Breach Notification Rule, and 405(d) Assessments, leveraging our unique IRM|Security® and IRM|Privacy® modules of IRM|Pro® software to guide assessment and document progress of remediation.

IRM | 405(d) HICP™

IRM | Security®

IRM | Privacy®



Certification & Audit

Clearwater can expedite the path to healthcare security certification



- Meet growing requirements for healthcare business associate agreements and partnerships
- Consolidating into a single program saves time, resource and money
- Clearwater provides industry expertise and guidance
- Achieve success no matter where you are starting from

Clearwater offers cybersecurity audit to meet various specific requirements

- IT Audits & IT SOX Audits
- DEA EPCS Audits
- NIST, FISMA, FIPS, FEDRAMP, FFIEC
- SOC2 and ISO 27000 Readiness
- PCI
- HITRUST
- ERP (Oracle, SAP, Peoplesoft)
- Database (Oracle, DB2, SQL Server, Sybase, etc.)
- OS (Windows, UNIX/LINUX, iSeries, z/OS)
- Firewall, IDS/IPS, IAM Audits



Managed Cybersecurity & Compliance Programs



Marquee Managed Services

ClearAdvantage®

A Comprehensive Program to Design, Implement, and Operate a Reasonable and Appropriate Cybersecurity & Compliance Program

ClearConfidence™

An On-Going, Risk Analysis, Risk Management & Compliance Program Powered By IRM|Pro®

Cybersecurity Assist Partner Program (CAPP)

Multi-Year, Compliance, Testing & Advisory Services

Managed Security Services®

24/7 Monitoring, Threat Detection, & Response Services (Network, Cloud, End-Point), Vulnerability & Firewall Management

Vendor Risk Management as a Service™ (VRM)

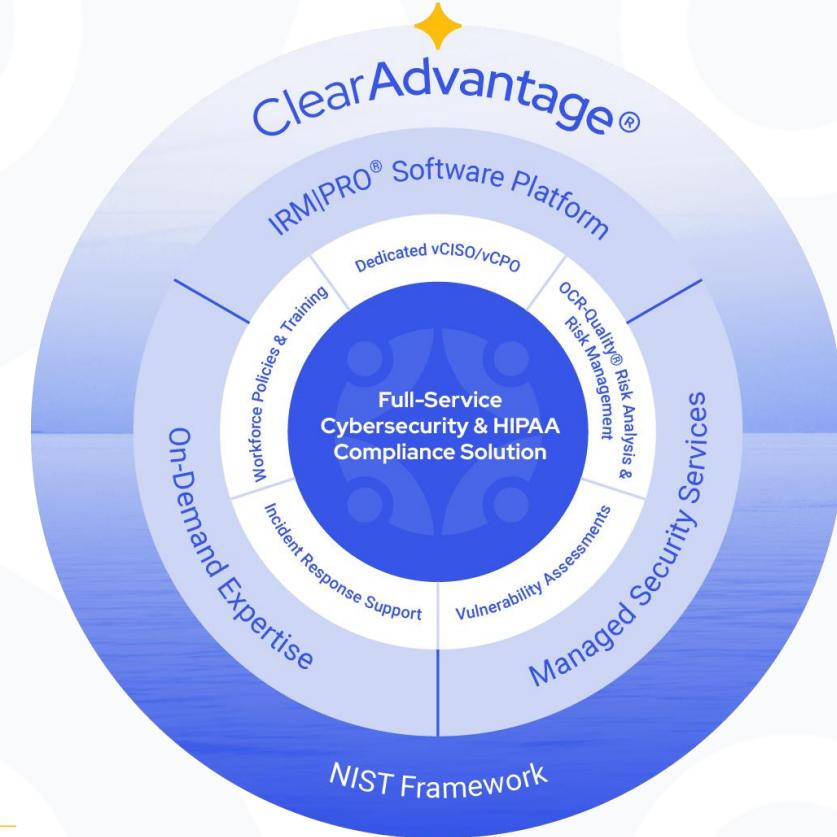
Our Team Assesses Vendor's Security Controls, Analyzes Risk and Creates Risk Management Plans to Managed Third Party Risk

Patient Privacy Monitoring Services (PPMS)

We Monitor User Activity on EHR and other Applications and Manage Exceptions as Required by HIPAA (Leveraging 3rd party tools)

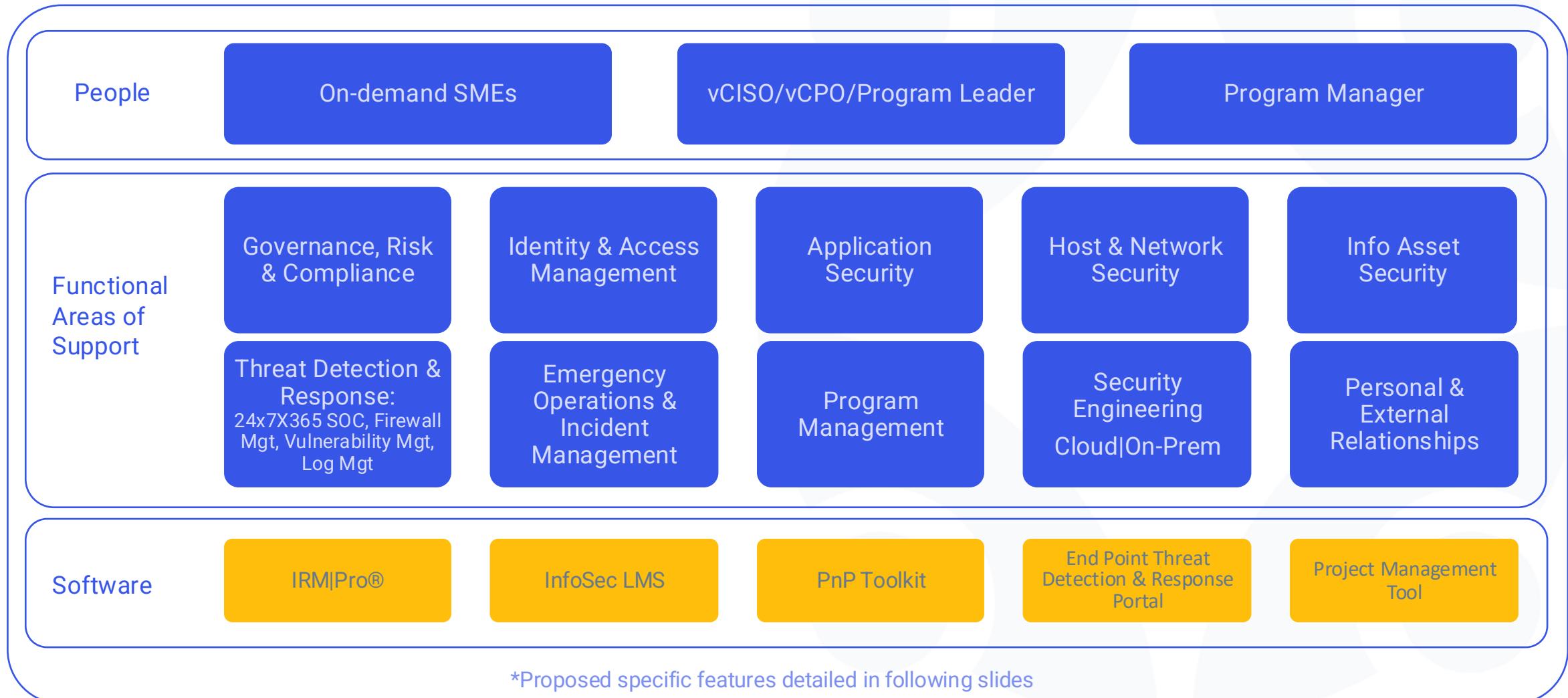
The ClearAdvantage® Program

- An effective outsourced solution to the cybersecurity & HIPAA compliance program challenge
- Together with our customers, Clearwater developed a program to design, implement and operate a cybersecurity and HIPAA compliance program that is:
 - Reasonable and appropriate for your unique organization
 - Aligned with and facilitates your business's strategic goals and objectives
 - Far less expensive than if you build it your



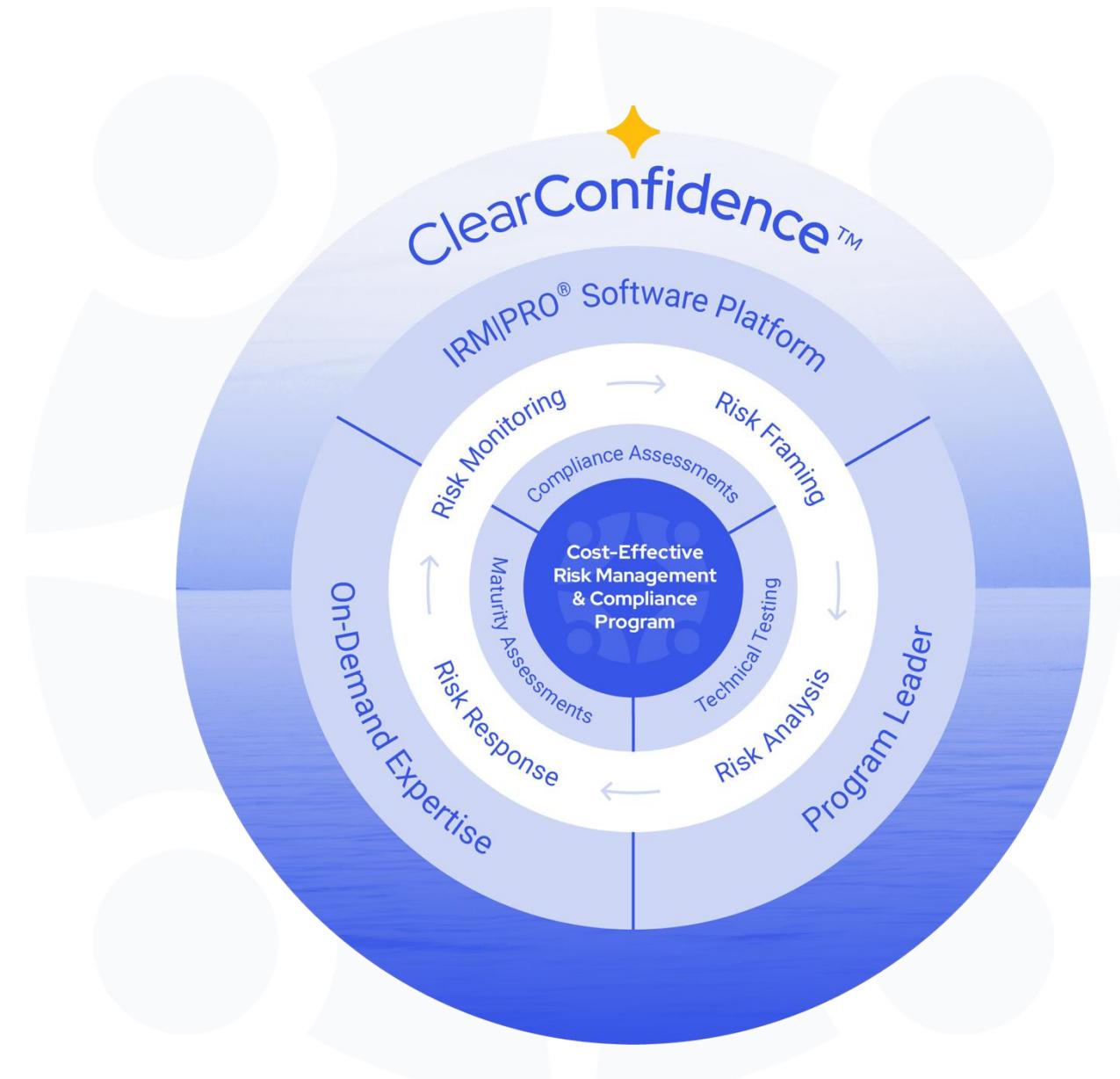
The ClearAdvantage program is executed over a multi-year period and aligned to each customer's strategic objectives, priorities, and resources.

ClearAdvantage Security Framework



ClearConfidence™

- A more effective and sustainable Enterprise Cyber Risk Management Solution for large organizations with complex IT environments.
 - Dedicated Program Leader with on-going Program Management
 - Ongoing risk analysis and response – continuous program
 - Additional areas of support including compliance assessments, technical testing, controls validation, and Resiliency services
 - Subscription to IRM|Pro included



Vendor Risk Management as a Service

Assess, manage and mitigate third party risk more effectively, while alleviating demand on internal resources and gaining efficiency.

- Clearwater assesses vendor security risk for designated third parties
 - After initial assessment, you receive the risk level identified for each vendor
 - We monitor security risks on an ongoing basis
 - Risks, questions, issues, and documents pertaining to the remediation plan are documented and updated

Patient Privacy Monitoring Services

ASSESS

- Comprehensive ePHI user access monitoring
- Proactive monitoring of 100% of all identified users and patients



VALIDATE

- Regular communication
- Review of regular programmatic reports
- Clearwater validation prior to escalating cases and deliverables

BUILD

- Review and revise deliverables as needed in accordance with established processes

MANAGE

- Complete proactive analysis per approved fiscal year plan
- Ongoing consulting services
- Advisory Services



IRM|Pro® Software Platform



Purpose-Built Software for Cyber Risk Management & HIPAA Compliance

IRM|Analysis®



Insight

Understand significant threats and vulnerabilities

Controls

Determine if you have the right controls in place

Risk Rating

View critical risks on intuitive dashboards and reports

Plan and Evaluate

Plan a course of action to reduce critical risks

Manage Complexity

Automate the management of risk information across complex enterprises

IRM|Security®



Gap Assessment

Against all HIPAA Security standards

Audit Simulation

Against HHS Audit protocols

Recommendations

Automated expert remediation plan

Assign Work

Managed accountability and due dates

Dashboards & Reports

Display period-to-period compliance progress

IRM|Privacy®



Gap Assessment

Against all HIPAA Privacy standards

Breach Preparation

Compliance w/Breach Notification under HITECH

Audit Simulation

Against HHS Audit protocols

Recommendations

Automated expert remediation plan

Dashboards & Reports

Display period-to-period compliance progress

IRM|405(d) HICP™



Gap Assessment

Against all ten 405(d) HICP guidelines, relative to organizational size

Built-in Guide

Walks assessor through the process

Recommendations

Automated expert remediation plan

Dashboards & Reports

Manage accountability and remediation progress, generate audit-ready reports

IRM|Performance™



Maturity Assessment

Against NIST CSF

Performance Score

Demonstrate improvement over time

Dashboards & Reports

Manage accountability and progress, generate reports for the board and ELT

Designed for Healthcare with a 100% OCR Success Rate



Efficiently and rigorously assess, manage, monitor, and report on all cyber risks and all remediation actions.



Insight

Understand significant threats and vulnerabilities



Plan and Evaluate

Plan a course of action to reduce high risks



Controls

Determine if you have the right controls in place



Risk Rating Reporting

View critical risks on intuitive dashboards and reports, and produce OCR-Ready Reports



Intelligence

Determine risk levels based on machine learning and AI



Track Remediation

Initiate risk response and create, assign, and track remediation actions in one place.



Manage Complex Risks

Automate management of information risk across complex enterprises

Benchmarking

Compare your risk metrics to relevant peers





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