Security Awareness Training

Making security assets out of people.

One of the biggest security risks to any organisation is its people. Even with the latest security controls and countermeasures in place, if the staff who have access to your information systems and corporate assets aren't aware of the need to protect them, they could be walking right out your front door.

The need for security awareness.

Aside from being a requirement for ISO 17799 compliance, having an effective staff security awareness program in place is an integral part of any organisation's security strategy. Unfortunately, many organisations today still do not provide employees with any form of security awareness training. One of the main reasons for this is the costs and logistical difficulties associated with delivering group training to each and every employee. Then there are new employees who often have to wait up to twelve months until there are enough of them to justify another group training session. There must be a better way.

NeoComm's solution.

Seeing an obvious need to address the deficiencies of traditional approaches to security awareness training, NeoComm has developed a security awareness training program utilising the latest in computer based training (CBT) technologies. Our training program can be deployed over an Intranet or via CDROM and allows individual staff to undertake the training from their own computer at a time that is convenient for them. The CBT program includes knowledge checks throughout to ensure that staff understand the material and a message is sent to a designated recipient upon successful completion of the training to make record keeping easy.

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Features at a glance.

NeoComm's computer-based security awareness training program:

- comes customised with your organisation's look and feel.

- is fully interactive which helps maintain the attention of trainees and makes the training fun.

- can be deployed via Intranet or multimedia CDROM providing flexibility when deploying to remote users with slow network connections or sites with large numbers of users.

- does not require installation of any software*

- is fully compliant with the ISO17799 international security standard.

- is in plain, easy to understand English making it accessible to all staff.

- can be integrated with existing learning management systems.

- provides knowledge checks throughout to ensure that staff understand the material.

- sends an email to a designated recipient when each user successfully completes the training making record keeping easy.

Benefits

- The privacy of the staff member's own desktop allows them to review the training material as many times as they may need to, without the pressures of keeping up with the rest of the class.

- One of the problems with traditional class-room security awareness training is that staff typically forget most of what they learn within a few weeks. NeoComm's computer-based training program makes the training material accessible at any time, allowing staff to review the material whenever they need to.

- The training program can be economically delivered to individuals on a one-off basis, making it possible to provide security awareness training to new employees on the day they start work.

- Staff can choose to take the training at a time that is convenient for them, reducing the impact of the training on productivity.

Options

NeoComm's computer-based security awareness training program can be fully customised to suit your environment, meet regulatory requirements and industry standards, integrate with your existing learning management system or can simply be deployed 'out of the box' as a low cost security awareness training solution.

Summary

NeoComm's security awareness training solution is an affordable, effective and essential part of your corporate security strategy. For more information or a demonstration, contact NeoComm on +61(3) 9894 7720 or via email to info@neocomm.com.au

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* Macromedia Flash browser plug-in may be required when deploying via an Intranet.

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