

Medical Device Cybersecurity

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Discovering the Possibilities

What is an ISAC?

- ISAC is short for “Information Sharing and Analysis Center”
- ISACs empower **sharing and collaboration** in critical infrastructure communities to prevent, detect, and respond to cybersecurity and physical security events
- ISACs collect, analyze, and disseminate actionable **threat information** to their members and provide them with **tools** to mitigate risks and enhance resiliency



Membership Overview

Health-ISAC is a global, non-profit, member-driven organization offering healthcare stakeholders a trusted community and forum for coordinating, collaborating, and sharing vital physical and cyber threat intelligence and best practices.

About Health-ISAC

- Community of 8,000+ Global Security Analysts, built on **trust** and **anonymity**
- Members must be in the health sector and interested in providing value to the overall Health-ISAC eco-system by listening, sharing, and/or contributing
- Ideal organizations for membership:

Healthcare Providers

Insurance (Payers)

Academic Medical Schools

Medical Device Manufacturers (MDM)

Electronic Medical Records (EMR)

Group Purchasing Organizations (GPO)

Pharmaceutical

Pharmacies

Telehealth

Laboratories

Radiological Centers

Revenue Cycle Management

Healthcare Supply Chain

Mortuaries

R&D Centers

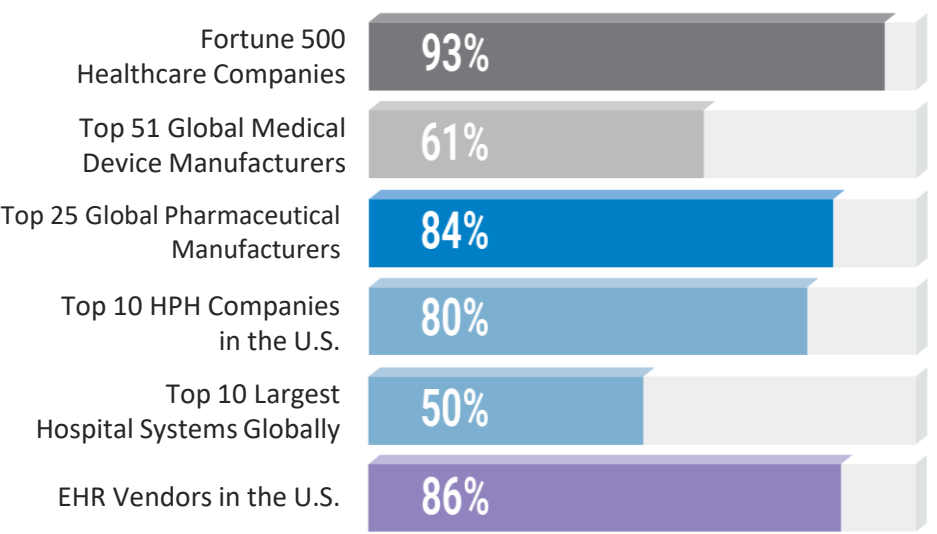
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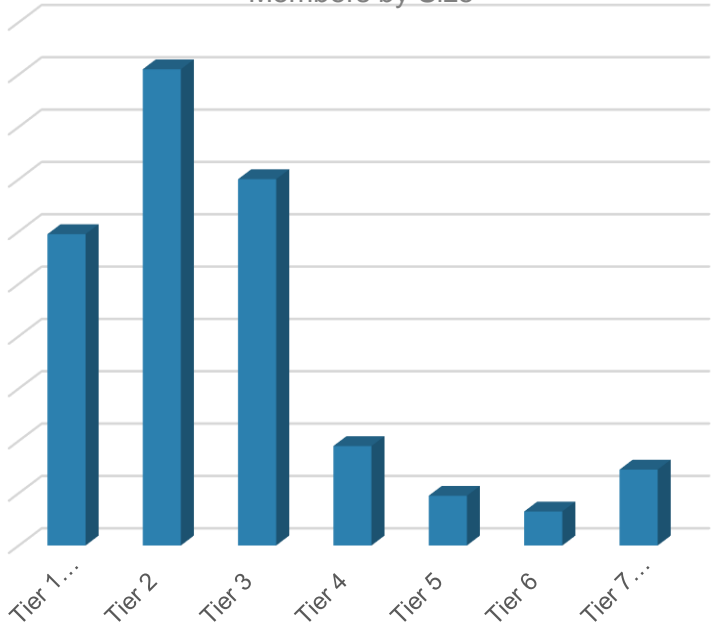
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Member Demographics

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Members include:



Health-ISAC
Members by Size



Board of Directors



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Humana



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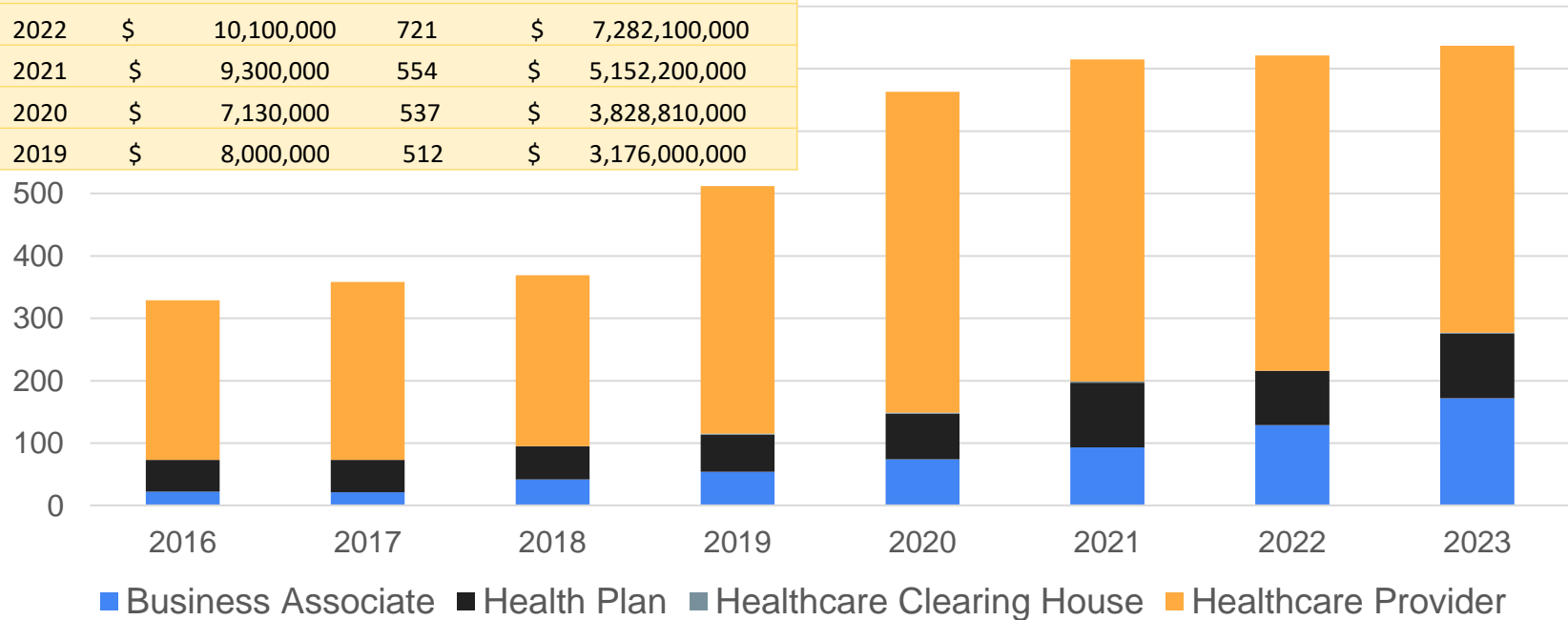
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Breach count by entity type

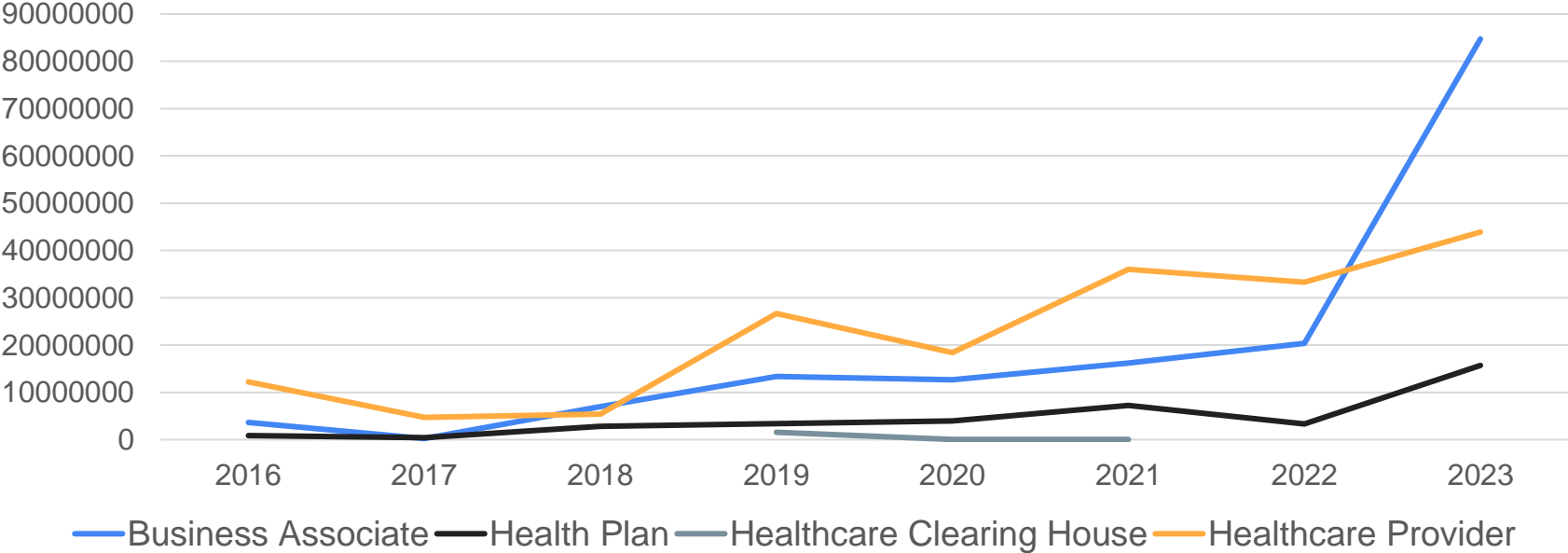
Year	Avg \$/breach	Breaches	Healthcare Impact
2023	\$ 10,930,000	737	\$ 8,055,410,000
2022	\$ 10,100,000	721	\$ 7,282,100,000
2021	\$ 9,300,000	554	\$ 5,152,200,000
2020	\$ 7,130,000	537	\$ 3,828,810,000
2019	\$ 8,000,000	512	\$ 3,176,000,000

Breached Entities



Individual records by entity type

Individuals Affected



Survey Says!

- Healthcare organizations with a higher percentage of connected medical devices suffer more cyberattacks.
- Nearly half (48%) of healthcare cyberattacks impact patient care, and two in three (67%) affect patient data.
- More than half (53%) of healthcare IT staff view the current cybersecurity threat landscape as high or extreme.
- Less than half (43%) of practices say they always change default passwords on connected medical devices, and less than a third (32%) always update them when a patch is available.

<https://www.capterra.com/resources/medical-internet-of-things-iot-security/>

Healthcare organizations are taking unnecessary risks with medical IoT devices



Source: Capterra's 2022 Medical IoT Survey
Q: Do any of the connected medical devices at your practice run on Windows OS versions older than Windows 10?
Q: How frequently are connected medical devices patched with new updates?
Q: Are default usernames and passwords changed on new connected medical devices put into use at your practice?
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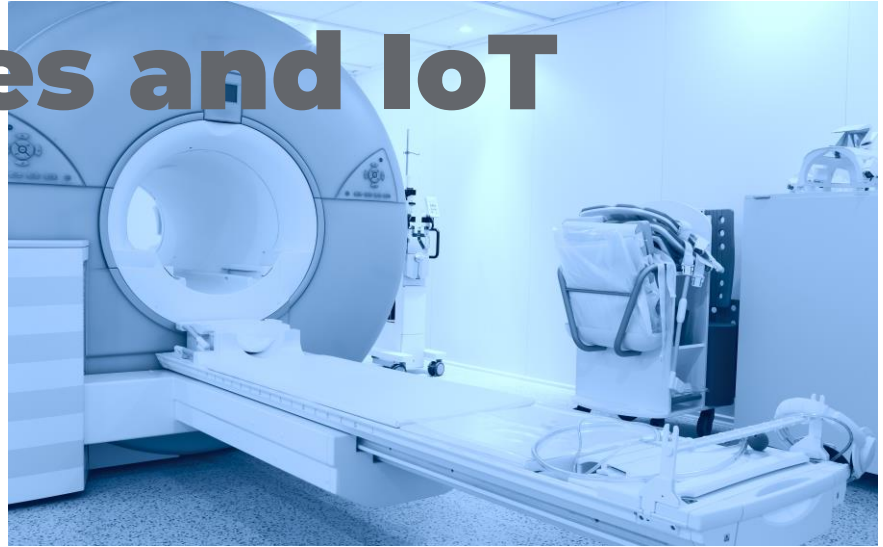
A woman dies during a cyberattack on a hospital

- September 10, 2020
- Düsseldorf University Hospital
- Russian-based hackers - "[Doppelpaymer](#)"
- 78-year-old woman suffering from an aortic aneurysm
- 30 Servers - hospital on divert - connection to ambulance severed
- Diverted 32Km (~20m) delaying treatment by more than 1 hour
- 1st ever reported death attributed to cyberattack
- negligent-homicide investigation



Medical Devices and IoT

1. Purpose built devices for hundreds of purposes
2. Designed for precision and reliability
3. Technology debt – life cycle disparity
4. Lack of manufacturer transparency
5. Software as a Medical Device



Medical Modalities

1. Imaging
2. Monitoring
3. Therapeutic
4. Diagnostic

IoT Modalities

1. Environmental Monitoring
2. Utilities
3. Life Safety
4. Access Control
5. Transport

FDA observed medical device vulnerabilities

- Network-connected medical devices infected or disabled by malware
- Malware on hospital computers, smartphones/tablets, and other wireless mobile devices used to access patient data, monitoring systems, and implanted patient devices
- Uncontrolled distribution of passwords
- Failure to provide timely security software updates and patches
- Security vulnerabilities in off-the-shelf software designed to prevent unauthorized device or network access

Security incidents will grow



2019: Implanted defibrillators telemetry protocol flaw

Some implanted defibrillators were found to contain vulnerabilities that would allow them to be exploited by attackers who had the right knowledge of the devices and close proximity to an individual possessing one.



2016: Insulin pumps remotely exploitable

Rapid7 and Johnson & Johnson disclosed three vulnerabilities in an insulin pump system that could be remotely exploited.



2018: Poor security on PACS systems

PACS (picture archiving and communication system) are used for picture archiving and communication system. Security researchers found several vulnerabilities both in commercial and open-source PACS.

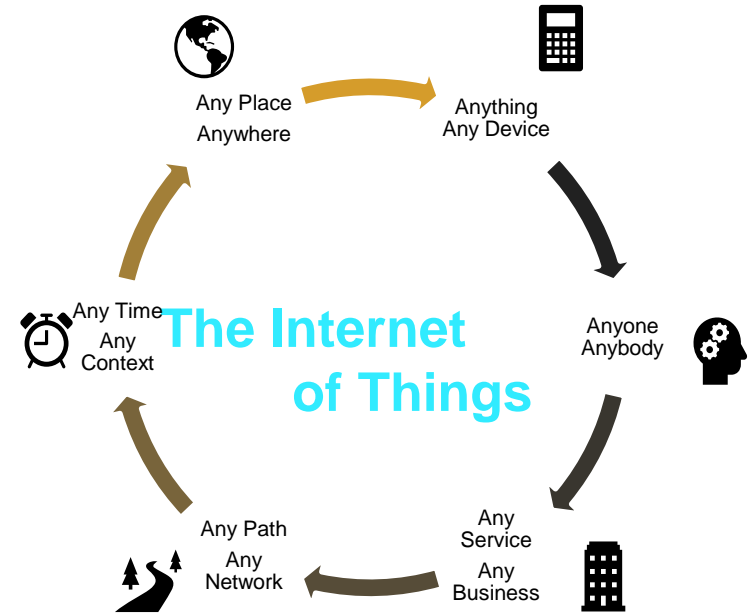


2014: Anaesthesia delivery system bugs.

The anaesthesia delivery system is used in hospitals to deliver oxygen, anaesthetic vapor, and nitrous oxide to during surgical procedures. Software bugs were found to be so serious that they could cause severe injury or death, even just by plugging a phone into the USB port.

Internet of things

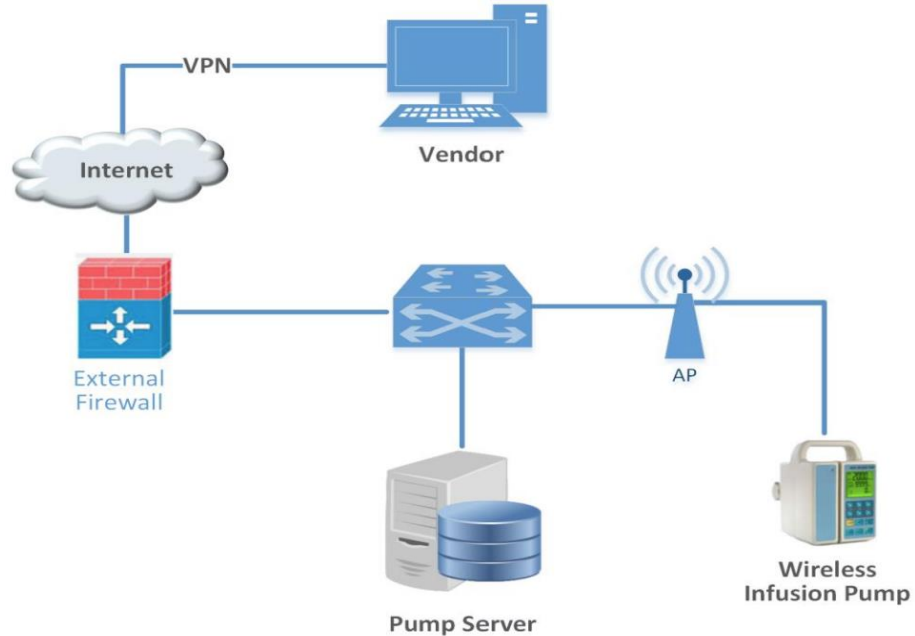
- Global IoT spending is expected to reach \$1t in 2023
- 7b IoT devices
 - 3x to 24b by 2030
- US medical device manufacturing revenue \$50b in 2023
- 3.4% growth rate
- US healthcare expenditure
 - \$4.3t in 2021 (\$12,914/person)
- 16.8% of gross domestic product (GDP) in 2019



<https://www.insiderintelligence.com/insights/healthcare-industry/>
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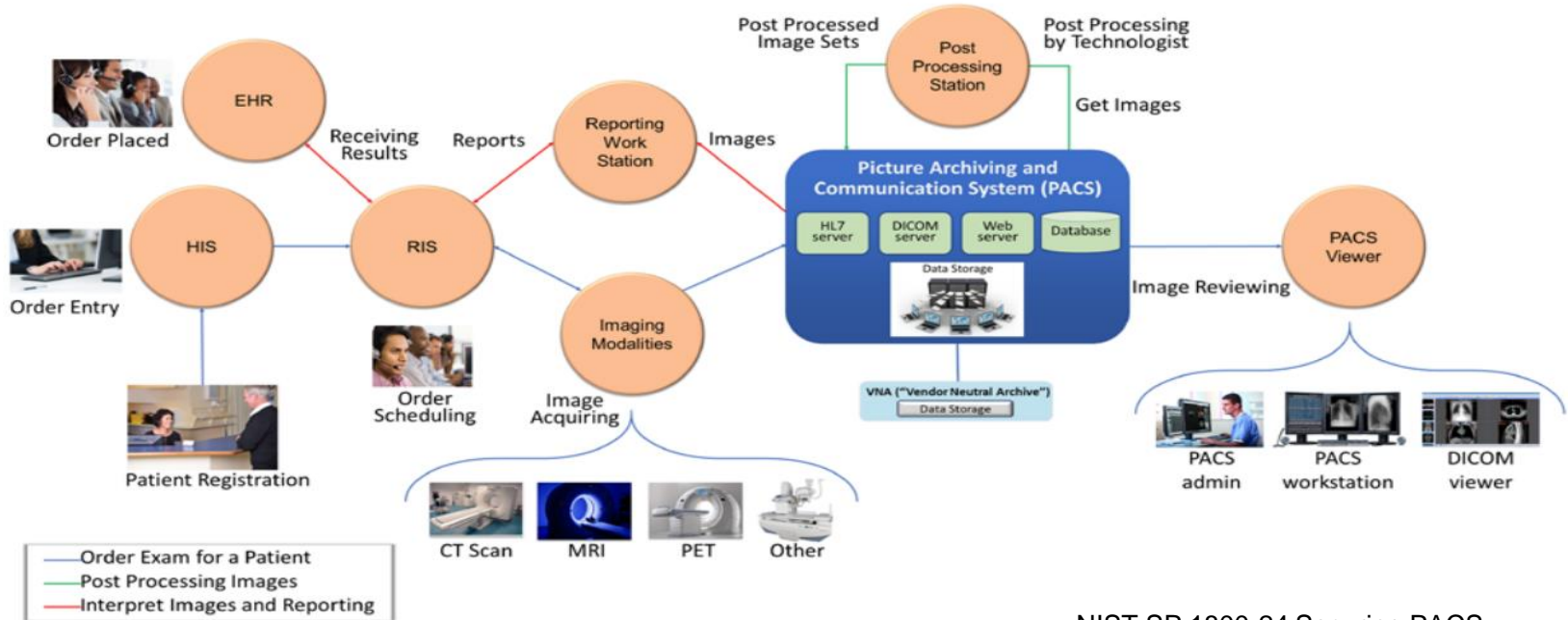
Basic infusion pump management system

Figure 5-1 Basic System



Sample diagnostic imaging system

Figure 3-2 Scenario One: Sample Radiology Practice Workflows



NIST.SP.1800-24 Securing PACS

Telehealth remote patient monitoring system

Figure 4-1 RPM Architecture

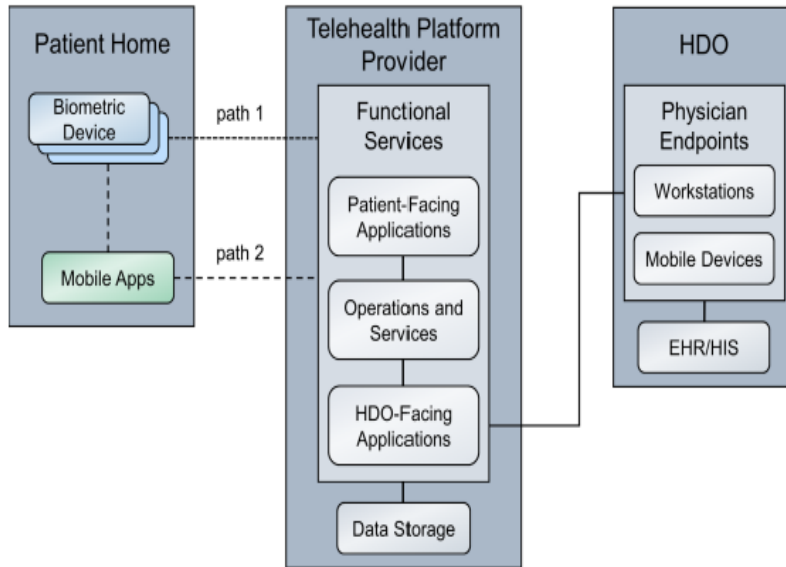
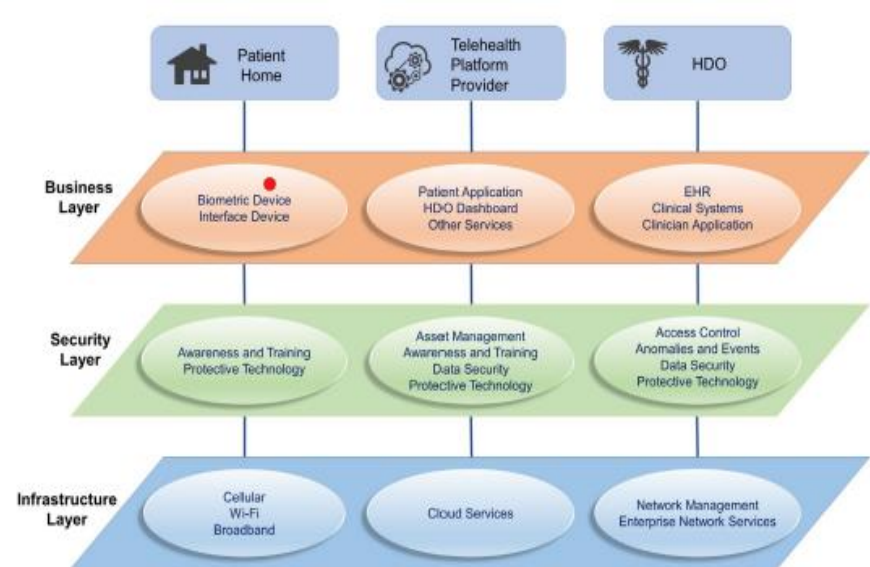


Figure 4-2 Architecture Layers



Healthcare matrix



- 6,400 acute care hospitals
- Urban teaching or trauma
- Suburban & Community
- Rural and critical access
- Diagnostic and surgery centers
- Clinics, wellness, and pharmacy
- Physician practices
- 100+ hospital system
- 380,000+ medical devices
- Approximately 100k connectable
- 1,200 makes and models
- 500+ manufacturers
- ~20 manufacturers account for 80% of device count
- FDA >560 product codes for software-enabled medical devices

FDA Update

1. Granted Statutory Authority over Cybersecurity
 1. Section 3305 Omnibus Appropriations Bill 2022
 2. Ensuring cybersecurity of medical devices
 3. Modifies SEC. 524B. of FDA&C
2. Effective March 29, 2023, for new submissions

Alignment

Omnibus 2023	FDA Premarket Guidance
Secure by Design: design, develop, and maintain processes and procedures	Secure Product Development Framework (SPDF) Cybersecurity is patient safety
a plan to monitor, identify, and address in a reasonable time, postmarket cybersecurity vulnerabilities and exploits	TPLC: identify, assess, and mitigate cybersecurity vulnerabilities... throughout the supported device lifecycle
make available postmarket updates and patches to the device	Security Objective: Secure and timely updatability and patchability
Software bill of materials, including commercial, open-source, and off-the-shelf software components	SBOM on a continuous basis in a machine-readable format
Demonstrate reasonable assurance of the safety and effectiveness of devices, a reasonable assurance of the cybersecurity	demonstrate the effectiveness of the controls in a proper security context to provide a reasonable assurance of safety and effectiveness
Third party data transparency	Cybersecurity transparency

FDA Premarket Guidance highlights

1. Quality System Regulations
2. Cybersecurity is Patient Safety
3. Secure Product Development Framework
4. Security Objectives drive Security Requirements and Security Controls
5. Cybersecurity Transparency & Labelling
6. Security Risk Management
7. Threat Modelling, Security Architecture, & Cybersecurity Testing

Quality System Regulations (QSR)

21 CFR Part 820

- **Secure Product Development Framework (SPDF)** a set of processes that help reduce the number and severity of vulnerabilities

1. Security Objectives:

- a. Authenticity, which includes integrity;
- b. Authorization;
- c. Availability;
- d. Confidentiality;
- e. Secure and timely updatability and patchability.

2. Security requirements depend on:

- a. the device's intended use and indications for use;
- b. the presence and functionality of its electronic data interfaces;
- c. its intended and actual environment of use;
- d. the type of cybersecurity vulnerabilities present;
- e. the exploitability of the vulnerabilities; and
- f. the risk of patient harm due to vulnerability exploitation.

Hospital ransomware attack allegedly led to infants death

- Springhill Medical Center
- July, 2019 - > 3 weeks
- Mother not informed during admission (8 days into the attack) for a scheduled labor induction
- Fetal distress not detected, C-section with wrapped umbilical cord
- 1st confirmed death pending court outcome



- [CVE-2018-8453](#) - high-severity (7.8/10) privilege escalation in Windows 7 - 10 and Windows Server 2008 - 2016
- [CVE-2019-1069](#) - high-severity (7.8/10) privilege escalation in Windows 10, Windows Server 2016, & 2019
- Patch systems against CVE-2018-8453 and CVE-2019-1069

Complex Lifecycle management

- Breadth of technologies
- Legacy devices
- Variety of care delivery environments
- Multiple responsible parties
- Dilution of priorities
- Regulatory uncertainty

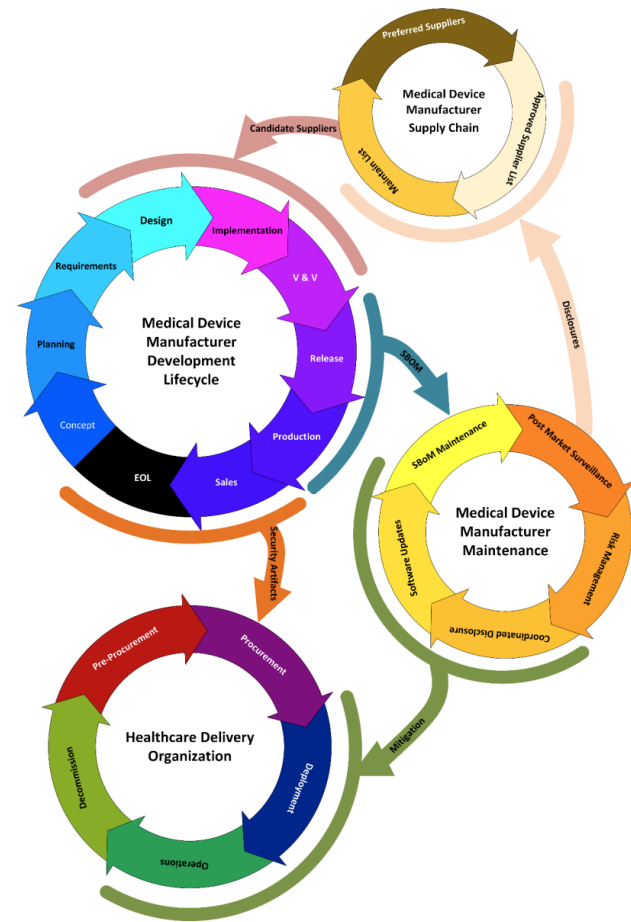
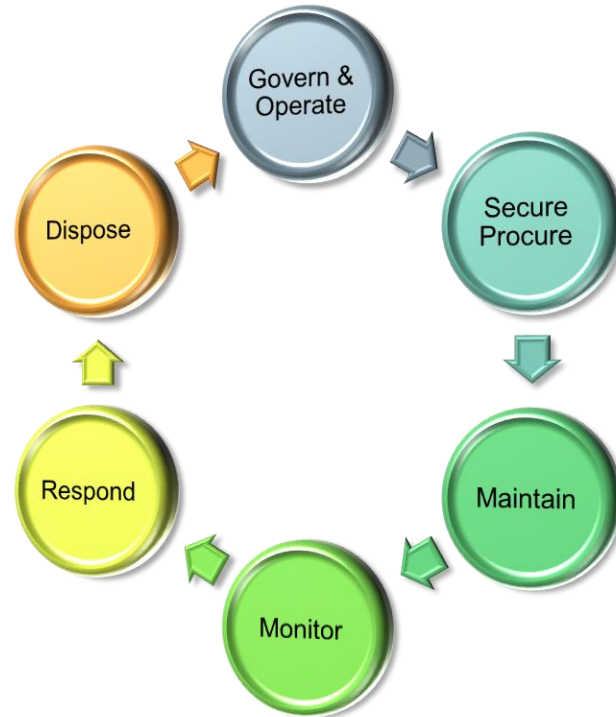


Figure 1: Main Areas and Phases of Lifecycle Management

Medical Device Cybersecurity Program

1. Governance & Operating Model
2. Secure Procurement
3. Maintenance
4. Monitoring
5. Response
6. Disposal





CCTVnerds

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When the security budget is low...



You know what to do



HTM job #1 is maintenance operations



Cyber is a failure mode



Anticipate and respond

Governance & Operating Model

- Governance

- Who makes what decisions

- Environment of Care
 - Regulatory requirements
 - Risk Management
 - Patient Safety
 - Performance Improvement Plans
 - Spending authority
 - Data Protection
 - Staff Management
 - Education & Training

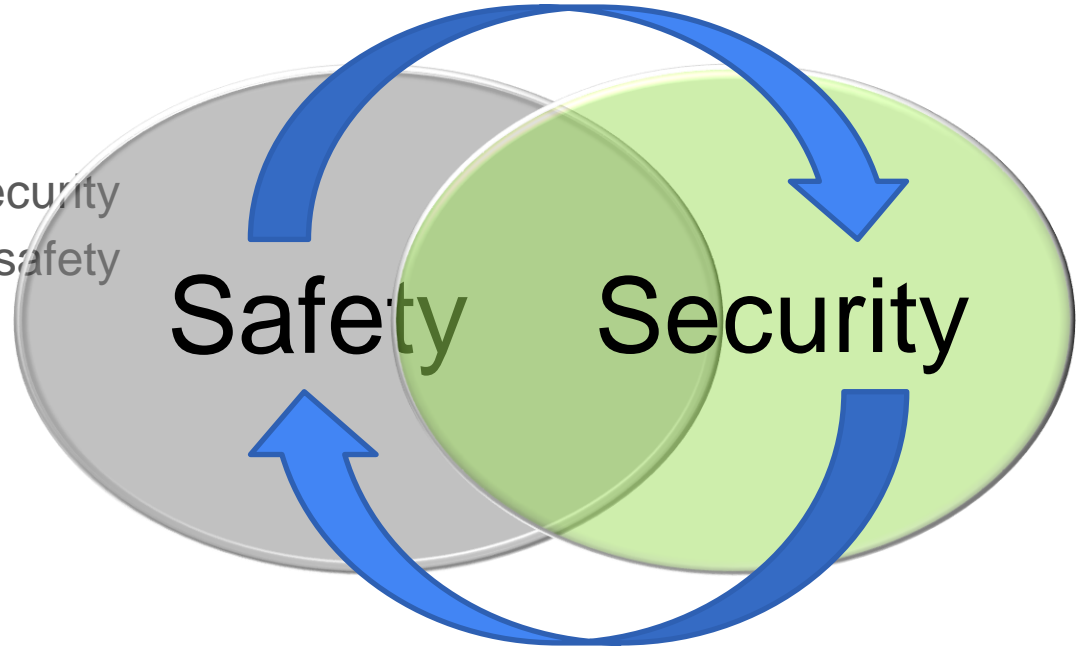
- Operating Model

- Medical Equipment Management Plan

- Equipment inventory
 - Program performance monitoring and reporting
 - Equipment maintenance program
 - Incident monitoring and reporting
 - Equipment failure response
 - Response to product notices and recalls

Risk Management

- HTM keeps it running
- IT keeps it talking
- Safety changes may impact security
- Security changes may impact safety
- Cyber not just failure – intent
- **Business owner's decision**



Asset management

HTM

- Install base alignment
- Incoming Inspection
- Asset ID, RFID
- Make, model, version
- Passive scanning

- Uptime requirements

IT

- Standards compliance
- Risk assessment
- IP address, MAC address
- OS & patch level, components
- Vulnerability scanning

- SLA response times



Secure procurement

- Evaluation of fit through multiple stakeholder lenses
 - Clinical benefits
 - More procedures or procedure types
 - Staff efficiencies and satisfaction
 - Finance
 - Increased revenues
 - Decreased costs
 - Serviceability
 - Reliability
 - Service strategy
 - Risk Management
 - Safe to use
 - Secure to operate
 - Future safe



Legacy equipment

- AHA Useful life is often 7-12 years
- OS is out of support
- Manufacturer no longer supports
- Bailing wire and bubblegum
- Clinically useful i.e., still works fine
- A backup
- End of Life/Support
 - Risk assessment
 - Support costs
 - Capital planning
 - **No Longer Use Threshold**



Maintenance

- Asset management
 - Access and authorization
 - Physical access
- Scheduled maintenance
- On demand maintenance
- Parts sourcing and inventory
- Operating and service manuals, instructions for use, technical bulletins
- User training
- Specialized management tools
 - CMMS = Work Orders = Uptime requirements
 - CMDB = Tickets = SLA response times
- Correlation is essential
 - X CMMS ID = Y CMDB ID

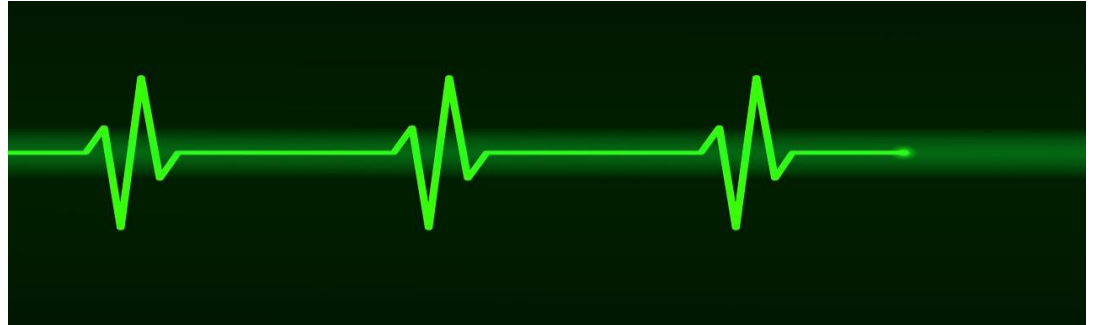
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- Responsibility Assignment Matrix
 - Responsible – the doer
 - Accountable - the decider
 - Consulted – the advisor
 - Informed – kept abreast
- Integral with
 - Service strategy
 - Response plan

Tasks	HDO Technology	HDO Clinical	MDM Product	MDM Support
Secure Configuration	RA	I	C	
OS Patching	C	I	A	R
Clinical Application Update	I	A	C	R
Interface Updates	R	A	C	
Remote Access Control	RA	C		C

Monitoring

- Scheduled maintenance compliance
- Changes in failure rates
- Changes in failure types
- Service logs
- Changes in cost of service
- Quality issue investigation
- Lost/missing assets
- Location
- Vulnerability monitoring
- Comms traffic patterns
- Comms traffic anomalies
- Event logs
- Last activity



Response

- On demand repairs
- Clinician assistance
- Equipment check
- Planned maintenance
- Help desk
- RTO
 - Recovery Time Objective
- RPO
 - Recovery Point Objective
- **Return to Operations**

Risk Assessment is the key

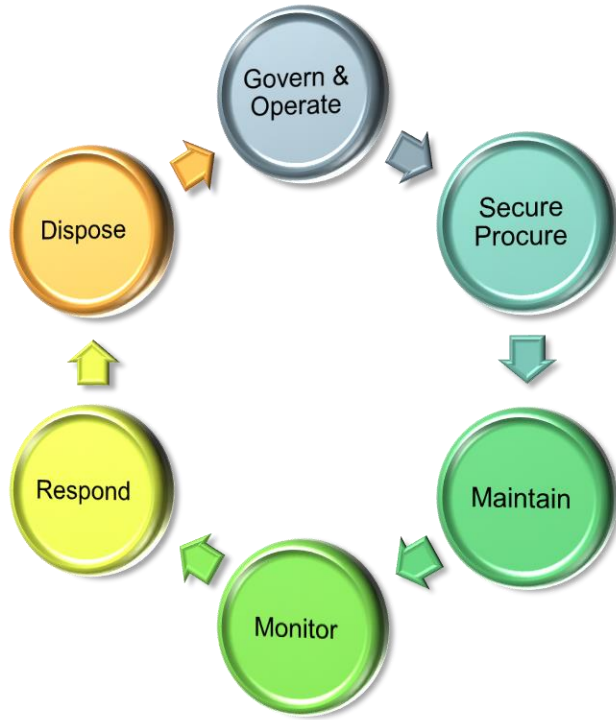
- Organizational Impact
 - Elements
 - Patient, staff safety
 - PHI, Big PHI
 - Operational Interruption
 - Revenue
 - Reputation
- Prioritizes everything

Disposal



- Drivers
 - Final Failure
 - Planned replacement
 - End of Support
 - Repurpose
- Requirements
 - Remove organizational risks
 - PHI, credentials, configuration, etc.
- Plan disposal during onboarding
 - Push PHI to the data center
 - Clone a hard drive

You got this !



- Key Take Aways
 1. Understand the risk
 2. Consistent prioritization
 3. Business owns risk
 4. Team sport
- **Do One Thing** – Go to a department leader and ask what equipment, if lost for 4-5 days, would cause them to shut down services and help devise a plan to prevent that



- International Information System Security Certification Consortium
- Certified in Cybersecurity – CC
- <https://www.isc2.org/certified-in-cybersecurity?filter=featured&searchRoot=A82B5ABE5FF04271998AE8A4B5D7DEFD>

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- **Industry roots:**
- *Field Service Engineer, Clinical Diagnostics*
- *Biomedical Manager, 14 hospitals*
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Sector Leadership:

Cybersecurity Infrastructure and Security Agency (CISA) Vulnerability Communications TG
Health-ISAC SBOM Proof of Concept WG
Health Sector Coordinating Council TG-1D - Supply Chain / Third Party Cyber Risk Management / Model Contract Language for MedTech Cybersecurity / CWG
OT Manufacturing / CWG Measurement TG
National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) SBOM, Healthcare; Framing, and Proof of Concept workgroups
Underwriters Laboratories, Standards Technical Panel; STP 2900-1, STP 2900-2-1
MITA MDS2, Manufacturers Disclosure Statement for Medical Device Security, 2019 revision
US Board of Examiners for Certification in Clinical Engineering



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