

4 Steps to Build a Vulnerability Management Program

in the Healthcare Industry



1. Consolidate & Prioritize



One scanner can produce thousands of vulnerabilities in your healthcare organization's network.

Your first step should be to take all of the vulnerabilities in your network, consolidate them and then prioritize them. There are 93,000 known, high-risk vulnerabilities out there.

Do you know how many of these are in your network?

2. Model Threat Scenarios

Using Configurable Risk Criteria

Instead of solely relying on the Vulnerability Insight risk level, you can demonstrate how attackers can chain vulnerabilities across vectors to move through your healthcare organization's environment and consider all possible exploits.



3. Identify and Eliminate Attack Paths

It all boils down to two things: patch and pen-test.



Once you have your prioritized list, look for patches and start applying them by order of importance. By completing step two, you may implement patches for several links of the attack path you wouldn't have known about.

By identifying and eliminating the attack paths to your critical assets, you will add an extra layer of security to your weakest points.

4. Leverage Flexible Reporting Options



Make sure your solution can customize your reports with templates and configuration of large amounts of data that measure the effectiveness of remediation efforts, compare, and track results over time.

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