

5 Keys to Building a Red Team



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SECURITY

1. The Right Conditions



Red Teamers need an open, learning culture with the ability to continuously train and improve their skill set.

2. Set Clear Objectives

A Red Team should be planned from the outset:



Planning will not work as an afterthought but should be an integral part of your security posture, and should have measurable goals in mind.

3. Get the Right Tools



Red Teaming is about more than a penetration test. Make sure you provide your team with the right testing, vulnerability management and further assessment tools.

4. Support the Team



The team's contribution to the organization is valuable and should be treated as such. Celebrate the efforts, findings and fixes of your Red Team - as you'd always prefer it to be one of

5. Focus on Key Issues

Red teaming should produce quality thinking and advice, not qualitative results.

Make sure you are utilizing your Red Team for what they were hired to do. It all circles back to setting out goals before building the team.

