Cybersecurity Decisions We Make Every Day



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Scammers use psychology

Principles of Influence

The Hacker's Psychological Playbook

- Reciprocity
- Commitment & Consistency
- Social Proof
- Liking
- Authority
- Scarcity

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So how do we combat this psychological playbook?

Use our day to day decisions as tools

• Be aware of our choices each day to reduce our chances of being scammed.





Global Employee Risk Insights Report

Human risk has remained the top breach source for the past 5 years and currently accounts for five of the seven breach sources including: phishing, password security, malware, data handling, and privilege abuse.



Example of some of the decisions employees make every day that put your organization at risk

https://elevatesecurity.com/resource/global-employee-risk-insights-report/



Don't add to the gap



Data source: Ovum "Closing the Password Security Gap"

Choose a safer path. Your data is valuable!

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Additional Resources

- Cyber-in-a-Box Password Use Between Websites Not A Good Idea: <u>https://youtu.be/zIriU1NL4v0</u>
- Cyber-in-a-Box Password Reset Questions: <u>https://youtu.be/jcLiVrderE4</u>
- PC Mag.com <u>https://www.pcmag.com/picks/the-best-free-antivirus-protection</u> <u>https://www.pcmag.com/picks/the-best-antivirus-protection</u>
- Cyber-in-a-Box Tips to Protect Your Home Computer: <u>https://youtu.be/DaDF5VDVDul</u>
- Cyber-in-a-Box How to Protect Your Home Wireless Network: <u>https://youtu.be/t_BWIBBH1tU</u>
- Cyber-in-a-Box Low, Medium & High Tech Backup Options for Home Users: <u>https://youtu.be/c-oCa2es4UM</u>
- Two Factor Authentication: <u>https://www.pcmag.com/opinions/does-two-factor-authentication-really-make-you-safer</u>



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