Data Breach Prevention, Detection & Response

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Considerations Before a Security Breach

1. What is the Incident?

2. Identifying a Response Team

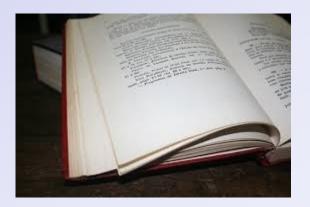
3. Dry Run/Tabletop Exercise



What's the Incident?

- All security breaches are incidents, but not all incidents are security breaches!
 - ✓ Look at the relevant state law







Identify a Response Team

Identify a core response team that will be designated to address security breaches

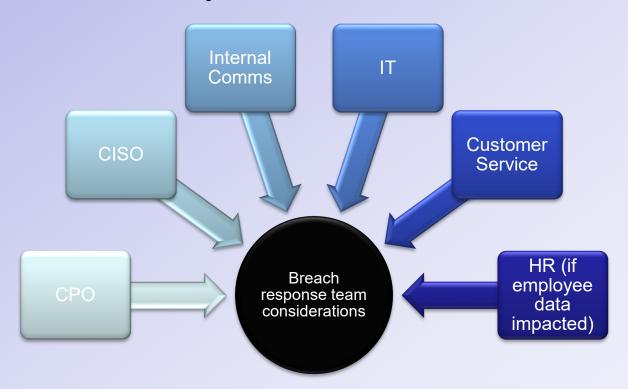
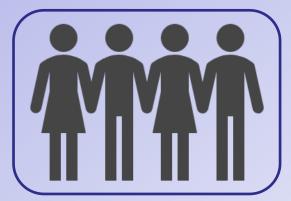


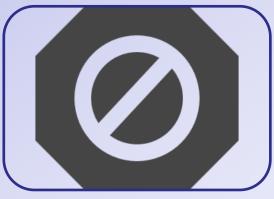


Table-top Exercises

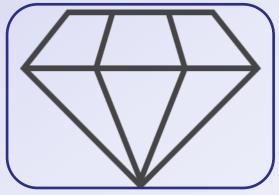
Conduct tabletop exercises based on your organization's size and type of information held



Practice security breach scenarios and ensure the response team (and employees) know how to respond based on the organization's policies and protocols.



Discuss how to preserve privilege



Identify "crown jewels" – areas of vulnerability within the organization's processing of data



Considerations During a Security Breach

1. Stop the Source of Vulnerability

2. Don't Panic!

3. Seek Counsel



Stop the Source of Vulnerability

Focus on stopping leakage/cause of the security breach in order to prevent further harm









Stop the Source of Vulnerability

➤ In the instance of a non-technical glitch or issue (e.g., theft of paper files), document all known factors.



Seek Counsel

Get counsel involved – contact PBPA to get assistance from a pro bono breach attorney if you do not have counsel on your staff.







Don't Panic!

Don't panic! Assess –

"Where" "Who" "What" "When" "Why" "How" What groups What type of What systems When did What How to fix are impacted data hás or corporate vulnerability the breach the breach? by the been environments take place? or error • How to breach? breached? are triggered the breached? Customers or remedy breach? employees? affected groups?

Not all of these answers may be immediately available and may instead, develop over time.



Considerations After a Security Breach

1. Are operations back to normal?

2. Breach notification or courtesy notifications



Are Operations Back to Normal?

How do you know if the security breach incident is over?

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When do you resume operations as per normal?





Breach Notification or Courtesy Notification

Once immediate threats have been assuaged and a plan of action has been written up, work with counsel on any required or courtesy notifications.

> Breach Notification

- Required by law
- Varies state by state

Courtesy Notification Good faith notification to affected parties and relevant regulators



Security Breach Checklist

- Identify by state law whether a security breach exist
- Identify a response team
- Practice table-top exercises to simulate real breach scenarios
- Stop the source of the vulnerability
- · Don't panic! Assess the facts
- · Seek counsel
- Decipher if operations are back to normal and affected partied have been remedied
- Render necessary breach notifications (whether required or courtesy)



Questions?



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