

PERPETUITY HEALTH CHECK

Your comprehensive security assessment



1. Introduction

The Perpetuity Health Check has been developed over several years in conjunction with leading security directors around the world. We have identified 139 essential features of a security function that are crucial to its success. It will help you to:

- Identify strengths and weaknesses by generating a score for different areas of security
- Diagnose problematic areas, identifying areas for improvement
- Prioritise your security focus
- Save time and money by deciding how best to spend your resources most productively.

2. How we score

The Health Check comprises of 139 criteria split across five sections, each giving you a score relating to your choice between 1-5.

1 meaning 'This is definitely not the case in our organisation'
5 meaning 'This is definitely the case in our organisation'

3. Perpetuity Health Check sections

Section 1: The Role of Security

The role that security plays in your company, including strategies in place, deliverables, objectives set and responsibilities.

Section 2: Review of Threats

This section makes you think about the processes you have in place to review your threats both internally and externally. The Health Check will help you to assess your threat levels; how you communicate awareness; how you manage threats; how you report risks and if you have key people who are aware and proactive regarding these issues.

Section 3: Management of Responses

This area makes you think about the security measures you have in place, do they meet regulatory requirements and do they offer value for money?

Section 4: Recognition of Security

Taking into account opinions across the company, do your senior management team and employees understand how security impacts on your organisation and are they suitably aware of security objectives and how each individual plays a crucial role in security? This section will help you get to grips with the perception of security within your organisation.

Section 5: Results of Security

How do you measure and evaluate your security processes? What do you have in place and how effective is it? This section helps you identify key areas for improvement.

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4. Results

The Health Check provides you with a step by step breakdown analysis of each section in the Health Check, identifying areas of improvement, areas of best practice and areas of excellence.

The final report will then contain overall results and recommendations provided by your assigned security consultant.

5. Company and personal data

We then ask you for essential company and personal data. This allows you to be benchmarked against other organisations, generic or within the same industry. Of course, although your score will be made available through benchmarking, under no circumstance would we reveal these personal and confidential details.

Guidelines

The Health Check can be completed by a nominated individual in the company or a cross section of staff. We recommend the latter to ensure you receive a true representation from your company of your security function.

We recommend that the Health Check is completed with one of our expert security consultants who can guide you through the process and provide a thorough analysis of your security giving you quality output. You will benefit from their expert knowledge, how you can improve and where you can make cost savings.

The Health Check is available for overseas clients where necessary arrangements can be made to ensure you receive the same quality service.

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