



### TOPIC: Security Awareness Program

The main objective of a Security Awareness program is to educate users about their responsibilities which contribute to safeguarding the confidentiality, availability, and integrity of their organization's information and information resources. Security awareness should be part of the overall security program and be a continuous effort within the organization to promote a security-conscious culture.



Awareness should be a foundational component of an organization's security program. Many cyber incidents can be prevented when users take reasonable precautions when using their computers. Technology can only go so far in preventing incidents, and a robust security awareness program that educates users is paramount to an effective security program.

### UPCOMING SECURITY EVENTS:



- **Monthly Defensible Security Conference Call: Dec 19, 2018**

*At the next conference call 3 control areas of Defensible Security will be discussed; Security Policy, Security Program, and Security Awareness Program.*

- **20<sup>th</sup> Annual Privacy and Security Conference: Feb 6-8, 2019**

*This three-day conference is recognized as one of the top tier events in North America, drawing an international audience of some 1,000 delegates with an interest in cutting edge policy, programs, law, research, and technologies aimed at the protection of privacy and security. Visit the [Privacy and Security Conference website](#) for more information.*

