Security vulnerabilities are increasing in number and complexity every day. Many organizations have committed to using Cisco technology but are challenged with limited technical resources and time to deploy, configure, and support Cisco’s Identity Services Engine (ISE). Divurgent’s ISE Management Team brings the knowledge, project management expertise, and technical consultants needed to effectively deploy and support Cisco’s sophisticated, complex security technology to better position organizations to improve and maintain above-industry-standard IT security.

Our Services
- Assessment
- Deployment
- Configuration Optimization
- ISE Checkup
- Upgrades

Our Methodology

1. Phase I - Monitoring
   - Deploy ISE in monitor mode
   - Establish profile creation and management process
   - Identify same-segment endpoints
   - Identify endpoint devices and traffic flow
   - Monitor traffic & adjust configuration

2. Phase II - Low Impact
   - Move the ISE environment to low impact mode
   - Increase port security
   - Develop and implement profiles
   - Fine tune security policies
   - Establish device whitelist

3. Phase III - Enforcement
   - Segment the network
   - Fine tune security policies
   - Establish procedures for removing and placing devices
   - Adjust profiles to reflect approved data access
INTRODUCING DAVID STONE
Principal, Consulting Services
Information Technology & Security

With more than 40 years of IT experience – 20+ focused in healthcare – David leverages his multi-industry experience to provide new perspectives on the use of IT within a healthcare setting. His healthcare experience spans multiple ambulatory and acute care settings in addition to focused roles addressing the unique challenges present in pediatric organizations. David’s skillsets include addressing the unique security/privacy concerns within healthcare, and navigating the complex legislation regulations concerning the maximization of financial incentives while securely utilizing complex IT environments.

David has held numerous positions including CIO, Information Security Officer, Program Manager, Project Manager, and Director of Applications. His background includes leading a large team of IS professionals in the development, deployment, and support of information systems.

David’s past areas of responsibility included hospital and physician office clinical systems, clinical decision support, integration of information systems with hospital bio-technology equipment, health insurance for 100k+ member plan, business systems (i.e. accounting, payroll, HR), patient accounting, medical records, web, quality, and risk management.

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RECENT PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

» Served as Program Manager for a complex, integrated delivery health system overseeing a multi-year information security program consisting of 35+ integrated projects designed to reduce the likelihood and impact of a security event through the deployment of new technologies and processes, and improved governance over the organization’s IS program.

» Assisted a large health system in the Southwest to evaluate alternatives to replace their mix of ambulatory solutions with a single vendor solution; interviewed stakeholders, conducted product research, and documented the advantages, disadvantages, and long-term implications of available options; facilitated stakeholder meetings to review analysis and confirm decision.

» Led an engagement to benchmark, optimize, and define the changing IT organization and staffing structure for a healthcare system with multiple hospital sites and numerous ambulatory sites that had just completed an Epic implementation, and needed to reorganize and refocus the IT organization from an implementation orientation to a support organization.

» Evaluated an IT outsourcing agreement for a children's hospital in the Southwest; reviewed existing agreements, benchmarking IT costs, and examined the effectiveness of the governance processes, identifying areas where the service provider was adding value and performance improvements were needed; provided recommendations to improve the IT outsourcing agreement to meet the hospital's changing needs and improve communication between the hospital and the service provider.

» As part of a Meaningful Use assessment, performed an evaluation of the technical infrastructure in place at a large physician practice with multiple clinic locations in Phoenix, Arizona; provided numerous recommendations on how to improve performance of their GE solution and provide the technical foundation for the planned growth of the organization.

KEY PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCIES

» Conducts HIPAA reviews and security incident investigations; establishes Security Processes, Procedures and Policies

» Establishes effective IT Departments in complex clinical and business environments

» Optimizes the use of Cerner, Meditech, Epic and other Healthcare Technology solutions for better business outcomes

» Manages large-scale projects spanning multiple geographic areas and organizational disciplines

» Identifies key metrics that assist an organization to be data-driven in IT and clinical settings

» Provides performance evaluations of hospital IS organizations

» Leverages clinical data to improve clinical processes and quality of care