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Identify and deal with threat and areas of vulnerability



Overview

This unit is about your involvement in the identification of threat and vulnerabilities and the contribution you make towards the recommendations for contingency planning.

There are three elements

- 1 Contribute to the identification of threat
- 2 Identify vulnerabilities
- 3 Contribute to contingency planning

Target Group

This unit is aimed at members of staff who are involved in preventing e-crime.

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Performance criteria

Contribute to the identification of threat

You must be able to:

- P1 you contribute to the analysis and identification of threat
- P2 the **type of threat** is defined
- P3 the probability of threat is graded
- P4 **level of risk** to organisation is graded and prioritised
- P5 potential **target(s)** are identified
- P6 identified threats are documented and reported to **appropriate person (s)**

Identify vulnerabilities

You must be able to:

- P7 mission critical information is identified
- P8 mission critical material is identified
- P9 organisational security measures already in place are reviewed for confidentiality, integrity and availability
- P10 physical inspection of **security measures** is undertaken
- P11 findings are documented and reported to **appropriate person (s)**

Contribute to contingency planning

You must be able to:

- P12 you contribute to the analysis of relevant **data**
- P13 you contribute to the identification of mission critical information and materiel
- P14 you contribute to the identification of options
- P15 recommendations are made to strengthen and enhance existing physical **resources**
- P16 recommendations are made for innovations to existing procedures and **physical resources**
- P17 recommendations are recorded and submitted to **appropriate persons** for consideration

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Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 types of threat
- K2 principles of risk assessment
- K3 risk terminology
- K4 principles of security
- K5 an understanding of the principles for organising and analysing information
- K6 organisational reporting procedures
- K7 organisational security objectives
- K8 organisational resource constraints
- K9 principles of physical security
- K10 how to organise and analyse information
- K11 reporting procedures

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Additional Information

Scope/range related to performance criteria

Contribute to the identification of threat

1. **types of threat**
 - 1.1. espionage
 - 1.2. terrorist
 - 1.3. sabotage
 - 1.4. subversive
 - 1.5. personal security
2. **targets**
 - 2.1. personnel
 - 2.2. IT systems
 - 2.3. physical
 - 2.4. documents
3. **level of risk**
 - 3.1. low
 - 3.2. medium
 - 3.3. high
4. **appropriate persons**
 - 4.1. line manager or other higher authority
 - 4.2. IT manager
 - 4.3. security manager

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5. **appropriate persons**
 - 5.1. line manager or other higher authority
 - 5.2. IT manager
 - 5.3. security manager
6. **security measures**
 - 6.1. internal
 - 6.2. external
 - 6.3. physical
 - 6.4. personnel
 - 6.5. IT

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7. **data**

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- 7.1. intelligence
 - 7.2. organisational
- 8. **procedures**
 - 8.1. operational
 - 8.2. communications
- 9. **physical resources**
 - 9.1. personnel
 - 9.2. equipment
 - 9.3. premises
- 10. **appropriate persons**
 - 10.1. line manager or other higher authority
 - 10.2. IT manager
 - 10.3. security manager

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