

Enforcing cybersecurity

- Update or patch your software and operating systems
- Implement a vulnerability management program to prevent cyber attacks
- Review the list of users and remove anyone who does not need day-to-day system access
- Implement redundancy and fault tolerance methods to protect your business from the failure of a critical component
- Follow industry best practices and regulations, such as PIPEDA or similar provincial legislation
- Back up company data and infrastructure at least once a day and store the copy outside the facility
- Outline a data recovery procedure so you can act quickly in the case of an incident
- Keep staff up to date about the best ways to avoid cyber risk, provide regular training to help them identify emerging threats, test their knowledge through a quiz or simulation, and verify that they are not using company devices for personal email or social media

