

FRACTIONAL CISO

(CHIEF INFORMATION SECURITY OFFICER)

A part-time or shared executive who is responsible for overseeing the organization's cybersecurity strategy and ensuring that its information assets are protected against cyber threats

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Develop and implement cybersecurity strategy:** Develop and implement a comprehensive cybersecurity strategy that aligns with the organization's overall business objectives and risk tolerance
- 2. Cyber risk management:** Conduct risk assessments and develop risk management plans to identify, mitigate, and monitor cyber risks to the organization
- 3. Compliance and regulatory requirements:** Ensure that the organization complies with applicable laws, regulations, and industry standards related to information security and privacy
- 4. Incident response:** Develop and maintain an incident response plan to ensure that the organization is prepared to respond to cyber incidents in a timely and effective manner
- 5. Information security policies and procedures:** Develop and implement policies and procedures to protect the organization's information assets, including data classification, access control, and encryption
- 6. Security awareness training:** Develop and deliver security awareness training to employees and contractors to promote a security-conscious culture
- 7. Vendor management:** Ensure that third-party vendors and service providers are appropriately vetted and managed to protect the organization's information assets
- 8. Security technology selection and implementation:** Identify, evaluate, and implement security technologies that can mitigate risks to the organization's information assets
- 9. Security incident management:** Oversee the investigation and resolution of security incidents and ensure that appropriate measures are taken to prevent similar incidents from occurring in the future
- 10. Communication:** Communicate effectively with senior management, other departments, and external stakeholders to ensure that cybersecurity initiatives are aligned with the organization's needs and goals

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