



## Security Awareness Training Course

Helping organizations prevent attacks before they happen

Ransomware, Phishing, and Social Engineering scams are happening with greater frequency resulting in costly disruptions to organizations, lost productivity, data theft and denial of service to critical systems and resources. According to a recent study published by Cisco, researchers discovered that more than 70% of spear phishing email attacks are opened by end users, and more than 50% of those include links that are opened. The FBI has also recorded that more than 4,000 ransomware attacks have occurred every day since the beginning of 2016, a 300% increase over 2015.

End users play a critical role in preventing cyberattacks, and a strong Security Awareness program is the most critical first line of defense to teach them how to best identify and respond to suspicious activity. AppSec Consulting offers a suite of training solutions designed to help end users prevent cybersecurity attacks and understand how to maintain good privacy practices. Our awareness training is a small investment designed to help your employees and organization avoid the much costlier reputational, compliance, and recovery costs associated with a cyber or social engineering attack.

### Course Description:

This 30-minute online course builds security awareness around common cyberattack scenarios. The course focuses on preventive behaviors by using a stimulating and creative approach that engages and challenges the learner. Realistic examples are presented that add relevance and increase learner comprehension. The goal is to create informed employees who can make better data protection decisions to lower the attack risk to your organization.

The course can act as a foundational component of your security awareness program and help your employees understand how good data protection practices relate to their individual actions and behaviors. An integrated assessment tracks learner comprehension and understanding of key data protection concepts.

### Topics:

- Understanding Threats
- Preventing Phishing
- Preventing Ransomware
- Safe Computing
- Protecting information and Data Privacy

### Online Course

This course is available online as a self-paced learning course.

### About AppSec Consulting

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