## **Cybersecurity Check**



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Dear reader,

This year has been challenging for many organizations. They have been tasked with the integration of remote worker models, updating cyber-defense to accommodate new attacks, and trying to keep up with general infrastructure all at once. This leads to dropped tasks, over-burdened IT resources, and a higher-risk of something getting through.

At KIS, we are seeing a rise in attacks that leverage exploitable versions of firmware, operating system patches, and version levels and unpatched or older applications. Many standards and controls for security have a common task to maintain a healthy patch and version control policy that helps to keep these risks low. New attacks have been leveraging these unpatched or older systems. By stepping through these attacks, they can continue to navigate a system and gain unauthorized access to further their goals.

Keep IT Simple would like to offer you a quick review of your patching and version control policy so we can provide our recommendations to confirm your policy is effective. Even if we just confirm your approach, it is always good to have another perspective to confirm your path. We're here to help.

Please contact us by phone or chat online for a free 1-hour review.

Keep IT Simple, and Keep IT Safe.

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