



# 5 Essential Cyber Awareness Tips

Quick Actions to Improve Your Business Security



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**Follow these 5 key steps to enhance your cybersecurity posture:**

## 1. Use Strong, Unique Passwords + Enable MFA

- Problem: Weak passwords are the #1 cause of cyber breaches.
- Quick Fix: Use password managers and enable Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA) on all important accounts.

## 2. Train Employees to Spot Phishing Emails

- Problem: 91% of cyberattacks start with a phishing email.
- Quick Fix: Train staff to check email senders, links, and attachments before clicking.

## 3. Keep Software & Devices Updated

- Problem: Outdated software is a top target for hackers.
- Quick Fix: Turn on automatic updates for all computers, phones, and business applications.

## 4. Back Up Your Business Data Regularly

- Problem: Ransomware can lock you out of critical files.
- Quick Fix: Set up automatic cloud backups and store a secure offline copy.

## 5. Limit Access to Sensitive Business Data

- Problem: Too many employees having unrestricted access increases risk.
- Quick Fix: Use role-based access controls—only allow employees access to the files they actually need.

## Your Next Steps to Cyber Readiness

### Step 1: Complete the 10-Minute Security Health Check

*Start with the quick self-assessment to identify potential security gaps in your business. Take the [online](#) health check or use the included Security Health Check in this toolkit*

### Step 2: Implement These Essential Cybersecurity Tips

*Apply these 5 key actions today and share them with your team to strengthen security awareness*

### Step 3: Continue Strengthening Your Cyber Awareness

*Cyber threats are constantly evolving—make cybersecurity a habit, not a one-time fix. Stay informed and review your security regularly!*

