

# 10 warning signs your staff need security awareness training

In the World Economic Forum's 2022 Global Risk Report<sup>1</sup>, they stated that 95% of cyber security issues can be traced to human error – making **cyber security awareness training** more important than ever. Not sure if your employees need training? Here are ten warning signs.

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## There's not a culture of security

If your employees are trained to have security at the forefront of their minds, the risk of falling victim to a cyber attack drastically reduces.

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## They can't spot a phishing email

Prevention is better than cure. If your employees are trained to stop a cyber attack from happening in the first place, your security will thank you for it. How many of your employees can pass a simulated phishing test?

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## New employees carry new Risk

New employees may not be aware of your cyber security policies until they are trained. Previously trained employees may also benefit from a refresh.

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## They don't understand the severity that an attack can cause

Employees must be trained on how cyber attacks can affect not only customer data – but also how serious the **financial and reputational repercussions** on the business can be.

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## They aren't aware of key cyber security terms

Phishing? Malware? BEC? If these terms sound alien to your team, it's time for them to learn what it all means.



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## Your business nearly fell victim to a cyber attack

Did one of your employees spot a cyber attack? Make sure the rest of your workforce can do the same.



## 7 Your business has had a cyber attack

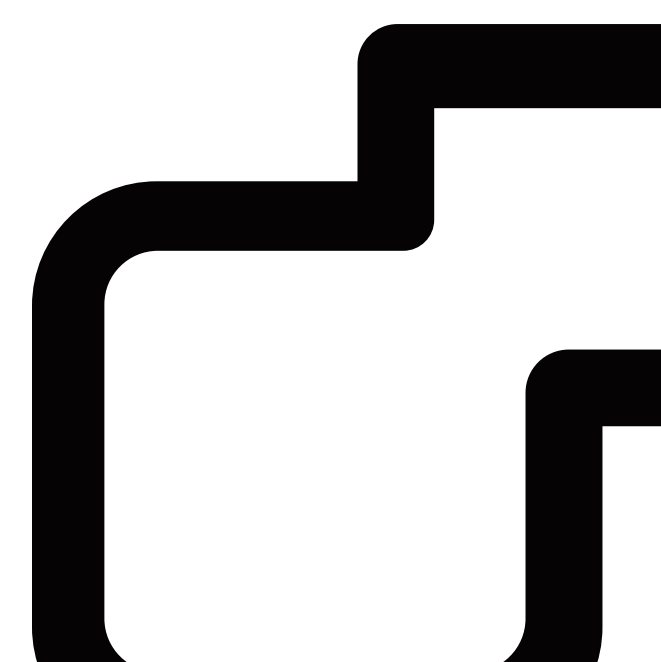
Train your employees to learn from the mistakes and ensure your business doesn't fall victim to an attack again.

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## They aren't adopting a Zero Trust approach

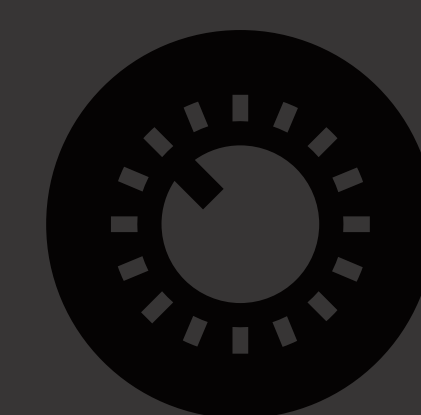
A great cyber security strategy includes a **Zero Trust framework**.

Not up to scratch? Training will help.



## They don't practice safe computing

**Safe computing** is a fundamental part of online safety – so your employees must know how to practice it.



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## They aren't empowered by the right cybersecurity controls

Providing your employees with the **tools** to prevent cyber attacks is useless if they don't know how to use them.



Paying attention to the warning signs is a good start, but your employees must get the right cyber security awareness training. With our Cybersecurity Awareness Training & Testing platform as a service, your staff will gain a crucial understanding of how to keep themselves and your business safe from cyber attacks.

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