



5 WAYS TO STRENGTHEN DATA PRIVACY AT WORK

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Use a VPN for work-related tasks

A VPN (Virtual Private Network) allows you to create a secure connection to another network over the Internet that obscures your online identity, even on public Wi-Fi networks, so you can browse the internet safely and anonymously.

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Don't log onto unsecure networks

Using public Wi-Fi when working, such as in a coffee shop, can be risky, as hackers can position themselves between you and the connection point and launch a malware attack.

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Watch out for scams

It's easy to think that cyber criminals would never target you, but just remember that all staff have access to valuable data that attackers are just waiting to exploit through attacks like phishing.

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Be aware of eavesdropping

With many meetings taking place over conference calls these days, it's important to make sure sensitive info isn't shared in public places, as well as to keep devices physically secure.

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Limit backups of devices

While backups are necessary for data recovery, each backup results in additional data proliferation. Ensure that staff are instructed on data privacy and security best-practices through regular security awareness training and up-to-date policies.