

The Center for Development of Security Excellence (CDSE) is a nationally accredited, award-winning directorate within the Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency. CDSE provides security education, training, and certification products and services to a broad audience supporting the protection of national security and professionalization of the Department of Defense (DOD) security enterprise.

## CDSE Content Areas:

- Counterintelligence
- Cybersecurity
- General Security
- Industrial Security
- Information Security
- Insider Threat
- Operations Security
- Personnel Security
- Physical Security
- Special Access Programs

CDSE provides courses and products that keep pace with changing policies and evolving security environments. During the fourth quarter of FY23, CDSE released the following:

## NEW TRAINING PRODUCTS!



### Courses

*Training to keep security professionals updated on security policy and procedures, delivered online or in-person*

#### **Risk Management Framework Curricula (CS100.CU)**

Introduces the Risk Management Framework (RMF) and explores how it is used to manage the overall risk to an organization from different sources. Students will fully examine the six framework components individually, enabling them to understand the entire process as it relates to their information system's entire lifecycle.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/Curricula/CS100/>

#### **RMF Categorize Step (CS102.16 eLearning course)**

Provides training on determining and applying the appropriate security requirements for an information system prior to registration.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS102>

#### **RMF Select Step (CS103.16 eLearning course)**

Provides training on determining and applying the appropriate security requirements for an information system prior to registration. The course also discusses the roles and responsibilities related to system categorization and security plan preparation.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS103>

#### **RMF Implement Step (CS104.16 eLearning course)**

Builds on the security controls selected in the previous step of the Risk Management Framework (RMF) process and discusses the implementation of the approved security plan.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS104>

#### **RMF Assess Step (CS105.16 eLearning course)**

Covers the procedures for assessing security controls to ensure they are implemented correctly, operate as intended, and successfully meet the security requirements for the information system.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS105>

#### **RMF Authorize Step (CS106.16 eLearning course)**

Covers the roles and responsibilities of key stakeholders as they relate to completing, submitting, and approving system authorization packages.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS106>

#### **RMF Monitor Step (CS107.16 eLearning course)**

Prepares the student for their role and responsibility in reassessing risk and reporting the current status throughout the system lifecycle. This step is critical in maintaining an effective security posture and accreditation status.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/eLearning/CS107>



## Webinars

*A series of recorded, live web events that address topics and issues of interest to defense security professionals.*

### **New CDSE Industrial Security Webcast**

Provides guidance on acceptable National Industrial Security System change condition package submissions for entities in the National Industrial Security Program.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/Webinars-and-Conferences/Webinar-Archive/Tips-for-Submitting-a-Change-Condition-Package-CCP/>



## Posters

*Security products designed to provide quick reminders on specific issues or events.*

### **Industrial Security Posters**

These five new industrial security posters promote security awareness in the workplace and are available for download.

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/Security-Posters/Industrial-Security/>

### **Insider Threat “NITAM” Security Posters**

These six new insider threat security posters promote awareness and reporting of insider threats across the workforce and are available for download.

<https://securityawareness.usalearning.gov/cdse/nitam/resources.html#posters-tab-pane>



## Job Aids

*Security products designed to provide guidance and information to perform specific tasks*

### **Federal Investigative Standards (FIS) Crosswalk Guide 2012**

“Remastered” to the new CDSE template to remove dated information. It provides a crosswalk between the 2012 Federal Investigative Standards and the Federal Investigative Standards that were used prior to 2012, to include Position Designation and Risk/Sensitivity Levels and the Standard Forms used for each.

[Personnel Security Job Aids \(cdse.edu\)](#)



## Toolkits

*Security products designed to quickly point you to the resources you need to help you perform your roles.*

### **Unauthorized Disclosure**

this updated toolkit includes links for reporting unauthorized disclosure, updated case studies, the revised DOD Unauthorized Disclosure Desk Reference, and the revised CDSE job aid, “How to Respond to an Unauthorized Disclosure (UD) of Classified and Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI).

<https://www.cdse.edu/Training/Toolkits/Unauthorized-Disclosure-Toolkit/>



## Security Videos

*Security training videos that explain important principles and tasks in about 5-10 minutes.*

### **2023 NITAM Public Service Announcement**

Promotes National Insider Threat Awareness Month (NITAM), a campaign that runs the entire month of September, dedicated to providing information about insider threat programs, information sharing, reporting concerning behaviors, and managing insider risk to safeguard classified information and CUI and prevent individuals with authorized access from causing harm to organizations and national security.

<https://youtu.be/FGHfo1BDrWU>

### **Bystander Engagement and Insider Risk**

Increases awareness and understanding of bystander engagement to strengthen the workforce and help safeguard national security by empowering individuals to act earlier when identifying concerning behaviors.

<https://youtu.be/mpJ-eru0etg>



## Security Awareness Games

*Quick and easy ways to test your knowledge and encourage security awareness at your organization.*

### **The Adventures of Earl Lee Indicator: Mission Two**

Join Earl Lee Indicator in an escape room game, as he investigates and collects evidence from the likely source of an unauthorized disclosure.

<https://securityawareness.usalearning.gov/cdse/multimedia/games/escape/index.html>

### **Insider Threat Crossword Puzzle 2**

Solve clues to find the correct answers

<https://securityawareness.usalearning.gov/cdse/multimedia/games/insider-threat-crossword/index2.html>

### **Insider Threat Crossword Puzzle 3**

Solve clues to find the correct answers.

<https://securityawareness.usalearning.gov/cdse/multimedia/games/insider-threat-crossword/index3.html>

### **Insider Threat Trivia Twirl**

Updated for 2023 to include topics on cyber insiders, whistleblowers, economic espionage, unauthorized retention, and insider threats in uniform.

<https://securityawareness.usalearning.gov/cdse/multimedia/games/triviatwirl/index.html>

