

ISO 17799 2005	COBIT 4.1	Sarbanes Oxley COSO	HIPAA Requirements	GLBA
Section: 4 Risk Assessment and Treatment				
4.1 Assessing Security Risks Identify, quantify, and prioritize risks against criteria for risk acceptance relevant to the organization	Plan and Organize: - PO9 Assess and Manage IT Risks Monitor and Evaluate: - ME3 Ensure Regulatory Compliance - ME4 Provide IT Governance	- Risk Assessment - Objective Setting - Event Identification	Security Standard: a) 1. Risk Analysis (R)	II.B. Assess Risk
4.2 Treating Security Risks Determine risk treatment options: Apply appropriate controls, accept risks, avoid risks or transfer risk to other parties	Plan and Organize: - PO9 Assess and Manage IT Risks Monitor and Evaluate: - ME1 Monitor and Evaluate IT Performance - ME2 Monitor and Evaluate Internal Control	- Risk Response - Event Identification	Security Standard: a) 1. Risk Management (R)	II.C. Manage and Control Risk
Section: 5 Security Policy				
5.1 Information Security Policy An information security policy document should be approved by management, and published and communicated to all employees and relevant external parties. The information security policy should be reviewed at planned intervals	Plan and Organize: - PO1 Define a Strategic IT Plan - PO4 Define the IT Processes, Organization and Relationships - PO6 Communicate Management Arms and Direction - PO7 Manage IT Human Resources	- Internal Environment - Objective Setting - Risk Assessment	Security Standard: a) 1. Sanction Policy (R) a) 2. Assigned Security Responsibility (R)	I.A. Information Security Program II.B. Objectives III.A. Involves Board of Directors
Section: 6 Organization of Information Security				
6.1 Internal Organization A management framework should be established to initiate and control the implementation of information security within the organization	Deliver and Support: - DSS Ensure Systems Security	- Internal Environment - Control Activities - Information and Communication	Security Standard: a) 1. Information System Activity Review (R) a) 2. Assigned Security Responsibility (R)	I.A. Information Security Program II.B. Objectives III.A. Involve Board of Directors III.C. Manage and Control Risk III.F. Report to the Board
6.2 External Parties To maintain the security of information and information processing facilities that are accessed, processed, communicated to, or managed by external parties	Plan and Organize: - PO8 Manage Quality Deliver and Support: - DS1 Define and Manage Service Levels - DS2 Manage Third-Party Services - DSS Ensure Systems Security	- Internal Environment - Risk Assessment - Control Activities - Information and Communication - Monitoring	Security Standard: b) 1. Written Contract or Other Arrangement (R)	III.C. Manage and Control Risk III.D. Oversee Service Provider Arrangements
Section: 7 Asset Management				
7.1 Responsibility for Assets All assets should be accounted for and have a nominated owner	Plan and Organize: - PO4 Define the IT Processes, Organization and Relationships	- Control Activities	Physical Standard: d) 2. Device and Media Controls - Accountability (A)	N/A
7.2 Information Classification Information should be classified to indicate the need, priorities and expected degree of protection	Plan and Organize: - PO2 Define the Information Architecture - PO9 Assess and Manage IT Risks Deliver and Support: - DSS Ensure Systems Security	- Risk Assessment - Event Identification	Security Standard: a) 1. Risk Analysis (R) a) 1. Risk Management (R)	N/A
Section: 8 Human Resources Security				
8.1 Prior to Employment To ensure that employees, contractors, and third party users understand responsibilities, and are suitable for their roles	Plan and Organize: - PO7 Manage IT Human Resources Deliver and Support: - DS12 Manage the Physical Environment	- Internal Environment - Control Activities - Information and Communication	Security Standard: a) 1. Sanction Policy (R) a) 3. Authorization and/or Supervision (A) a) 3. Workforce Clearance Procedure (A) a) 5. Security Reminders (A)	III.C. Manage and Control Risk
8.2 During Employment To ensure that employees, contractors and third party users are aware of information security threats and concerns, and are equipped to support security policy in the course of their normal work	Plan and Organize: - PO7 Manage IT Human Resources Deliver and Support: - DS7 Educate and Train Users	- Internal Environment - Control Activities - Information and Communication	Security Standard: a) 5. Security Reminders (A)	III.C. Manage and Control Risk
8.3 Termination or Change of Employment To ensure that employees, contractors and third party users exit an organization or change employment in an orderly manner	Plan and Organize: - PO4 Define the IT Processes, Organization and Relationships - PO7 Manage IT Human Resources	N/A	Security Standard: a) 3. Termination Procedures (A)	N/A
Section: 9 Physical and Environmental Security				