CYBER RESILIENCE

Incident Response Tabletop Exercises

Make Critical Decisions Before the Crisis Begins

The first time an executive team makes a decision under breach pressure should not be during an actual breach.

01 — THE CHALLENGE

Most organizations have an incident response plan. Few have pressure-tested it under realistic conditions.

During an actual incident, executives may discover that decision rights are unclear. Technical teams find that playbooks rely on outdated assumptions. Legal, communications, security, and operations struggle to coordinate. The gaps between teams are often where incidents become crises.

02 — WHY ARCTIQ

Arctiq tabletop exercises are designed to test how organizations make decisions and coordinate under pressure.

Exercises range from executive crisis simulations and technical response exercises to full cross-functional and parallel simulations. Parallel exercises run executive and technical response streams simultaneously, exposing coordination failures between leadership and operational teams.

> Scenarios are tailored to the client's technology environment, regulatory exposure, industry, and prior incident history. Current threat intelligence shapes injects so participants respond to tactics actively used against organizations like theirs.

03 — ADVISORY CAPABILITIES

- Executive crisis simulations
- Technical SOC and IR exercises
- Full cross-functional simulations
- Parallel executive and technical simulations
- Live-fire exercises
- OT and ICS scenarios
- MITRE ATT&CK-aligned scenario design
- Ransomware and identity compromise scenarios
- Data exfiltration and regulatory notification decisions
- Cyber insurer, breach counsel, and communications coordination
- Recovery sequencing and operational validation

SCENARIO COVERAGE

MITRE ATT&CK | Ransomware | Identity Compromise | OT / ICS | Data Exfiltration | Live-Fire

04 — BUSINESS OUTCOMES

Organizations gain:

- ✓ A measurable view of incident readiness
- ✓ Clearer executive and technical decision rights
- ✓ Validated escalation and communications paths
- ✓ Identification of coordination gaps
- ✓ Prioritized improvements to plans and playbooks
- ✓ A defensible record of exercise performance and remediation priorities

05 — WHY IT MATTERS

Incident response plans only create value when teams can execute them under pressure. Arctiq helps organizations test decisions, coordination, and response before a real adversary does.

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