Advisory-driven incident readiness assessment

Proactive compromise assurance. Crisis-hardened advisory. Red team insight.





Overview

The Advisory-Driven Incident Readiness Assessment is a fast-paced, multidisciplinary engagement designed for organisations that suspect compromise, lack breach clarity or want immediate assurance post or during a live incident. It blends the skills of Red Team operators, Incident Responders and Cybersecurity Advisors to deliver a rapid, intelligence-led view of cyber risk across your most critical assets.

This is not a tick-box audit. It's a threat-informed, attacker-mindset assessment, shaped by realworld incident response (IR) and Red Team experience and executed in three weeks or less.

Who's it for

Organisations that recently experienced a security incident (investigated in-house or via third-party IR)

Companies facing board pressure to confirm compromise status or demonstrate readiness

Firms needing a crisis-ready, businessfocused assessment, not just technical testing

What's included

Delivered by a blended team of offensive, defensive and advisory experts:

Compromise assessment

Threat-informed hunt using your existing endpoint detection and response (EDR) and security information and event management (SIEM) tooling

Detection mapping against valid, recent tactics, techniques and procedures (TTPs)

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Advisory-led cybersecurity review

Assessment of incident readiness (IR), including crisis response posture

Evaluation of backup survivability and data restoration confidence

Adversary review of Active Directory hardening and critical risks

Board-level threat framing and risk translation

Identity and access management (IAM) risk focus review

Targeted review of high-risk identity and privileged access pathways

Focused analysis on key business systems and high-impact abuse potential

Digital Attack Surface Assessment (DASA)

Review of external exposures and dark web presence

Optional Red Team or vulnerability assessment of exposed services and exploitability of leaked credentials/services

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Why partner with LRQA?

Industry-focused cyber readiness

We provide tailored incident readiness and compromise assessments that go beyond basic audits. Our approach gives you clear, threat-informed insights designed to rapidly identify compromise, validate breach status and strengthen your organisation's defensive posture in real time.

Flexible and fast

We offer a highly flexible, fast-paced assessment designed to scale according to your business needs. Delivered in three weeks or less, our service adapts to different scenarios whether you need rapid breach clarity, post-incident assurance or readiness validation under board or regulatory scrutiny.

Proven expertise

Our team combines the skills of red team operators, incident responders and cybersecurity advisors. This proven expertise means we not only understand today's advanced threats but have a strong track record of detecting compromise, managing live incidents and reducing cyber risk for clients across multiple industries.

Proactive threat protection

Our method provides early threat detection by combining intelligence-led hunting, endpoint detection and response (EDR) and security information and event management (SIEM) analysis. We act swiftly to identify compromise and recommend targeted improvements, ensuring your organisation is always prepared to face today's threats.

Your path to incident readiness and resilience

Compromise or uncertainty can create major operational and reputational risks. Our advisory-driven incident readiness assessment transforms uncertainty into clarity and action. By partnering with us, you gain access to a world-class team that delivers real-world incident response (IR), red teaming and strategic cyber advisory services.

We help you assess, validate and strengthen your ability to prevent, detect and respond to threats. Whether you need breach confirmation, post-incident assurance or a proactive readiness review, our assessment equips you to address today's challenges and those of tomorrow.

Get in touch to discuss how our incident readiness assessment can give you rapid breach clarity, actionable insights and the confidence to face today's cyber threats.

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About LRQA:

LRQA is the leading global assurance partner, bringing together decades of unrivalled expertise in assessment, advisory, inspection and cybersecurity services.

Our solutions-based partnerships are supported by data-driven insights that help our clients solve their biggest business challenges.

Operating in more than 150 countries with a team of more than 5,000 people, LRQA's award-winning compliance, supply chain cybersecurity and ESG specialists help more than 61,000 clients across almost every sector to anticipate, mitigate and manage risk wherever they operate.

In everything we do, we are committed to shaping a better future for our people, our clients, our communities and our planet.

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