

Guarding Your Practice & Clients Against Ransomware Attacks

When, not if

Ransomware—malware that encrypts and possibly steals data and files from a network—poses a serious threat. Both the frequency and severity of ransomware attacks have increased dramatically in the last two years, with incidents rising by 100% since 2019 and the average payout increasing by 171%. While the ransom demand itself can be costly, the recovery can be even more expensive. The City of Atlanta spent over \$17 million to recover from a malware attack that demanded \$52,000.

Victims are not limited to large companies or organizations. In 2020, 20% of ransomware victims were small to mid-sized businesses, and 85% of managed service providers report ransomware as a common threat to businesses in that range. For lawyers, the danger goes beyond ransom payments and recovery costs: an attack can lock you out of your files or result in the theft of clients' sensitive information.

Join our experts as we look at strategies to decrease the likelihood of a successful attack and improve an organization's ability to recovery after one.

Agenda

- Information Security Risk Assessment and Report
- Technological, Administrative, and Physical Controls
- Documentation: Written Information Security Plan, Information Security Policy, Etc.
- Employee Training
- Cyber Liability and Cyber Crime Insurance
- First 24-48 Hours After an Attack

Speakers



CRAIG RAUBENHEIMER is the Founder & CEO of Roan Solutions, an IT solutions and managed services firm in Cambridge specializing in cloud and on-premises technologies, IT security and compliance.

Combining his extensive experience in information technology with his engineering-approach to problem solving, Craig formed Roan Solutions in 1999 to help clients optimize their IT to maximize productivity and protect their businesses from the dangers of cybersecurity attacks and data loss.

Craig's vision to offer around-the-clock managed professional and IT consulting solutions with a multi-layer cybersecurity strategy has allowed his clients to focus on their own businesses without the stress of IT worries and security vulnerabilities.



JOHN F. WEAVER is a member of McLane Middleton's Corporate Department and Privacy and Data Security Practice Group in Woburn. He has a diverse practice that focuses on privacy, cyber security, commercial real estate, land use, and emerging technologies, including artificial intelligence, self-driving vehicles, and drones.

As a data privacy and security attorney, he assists clients to comply with domestic and global privacy laws (e.g., CCPA, FERPA, GDPR, etc.), respond to data breaches and incidents, conduct information risk assessments, remediate security gaps, negotiate data licensing and processing agreements, and evaluate acquisition targets for data liabilities.



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