



# Navigating HIPAA Compliance and Security Risk Analysis with Confidence

*Medcurity brings clarity to HIPAA compliance with personalized, expert guidance and actionable recommendations for enhancing security.*



# Building a More Secure, HIPAA-Compliant Future

A full, accurate HIPAA Security Risk Analysis (SRA) is more than a checklist required by the Office of Civil Rights. It is the essential first step to understanding an organization's overall security posture and serves as a blueprint for your HIPAA program.

SRAs enable organizations to identify potential threats and vulnerabilities. An annual SRA is essential to proactively mitigating risk and reducing the likelihood of a breach or successful cyberattack.

In our increasingly interconnected world, cybersecurity incidents in healthcare are more significant than ever, underscoring the importance of ongoing security and HIPAA compliance.

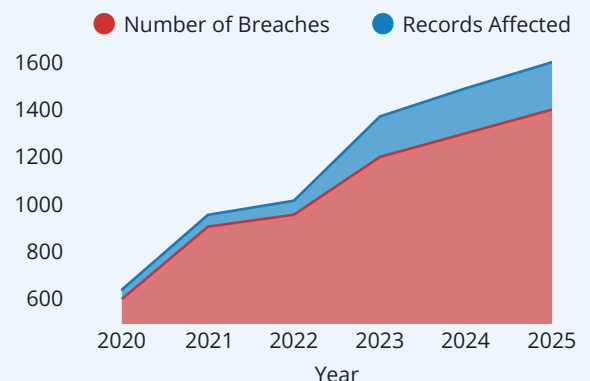
**From just under 600 OCR-reported breaches in 2020, to a projected 1,400 by the end of 2025, cyberattacks and breaches are escalating — fast. The threat landscape is shifting dramatically.**

## The Significance of a Full Security Risk Analysis

The Office for Civil Rights (OCR) actively enforces the HIPAA Security Rule and is increasing their frequency of random audits. Failure to conduct a full, accurate SRA is a primary reason for enforcement actions and substantial financial penalties. **To date, the OCR has settled or imposed a civil money penalty in 152 cases, resulting in a total dollar amount of \$144,878,972.00.**

Critical importance is placed on the SRA: The OCR investigates all significant data breaches and begins by requesting SRA documentation. Demonstrating a good faith effort to mitigate risk is essential, as it may influence the severity of penalties.

### Healthcare Breaches 2020-2025



*Sources: HHS OCR Breach Portal (2020–2023), The Verge (2024 Change Healthcare breach), internal trend projections (2024–2025).*

# Leveraging a Combined Approach to Security for Deeper Technical Insight

To truly understand your security posture, it's important to take a deeper look into technical infrastructure. **In 2025 alone, over 200 million patient records are expected to be compromised due to IT-related vulnerabilities like unpatched servers, exposed ports, and phishing exploits.**

While the SRA addresses procedural and physical aspects of security, Network Vulnerability Assessments focus on technical safeguards—your internal and external network, systems, and software. **Conducting a full NVA helps identify weaknesses and hidden security gaps that are often exploited by malicious actors.**

Together, the SRA and NVA provide a clearer picture of overall risk, encompassing human, process, and technical factors. This allows healthcare leadership to focus security efforts where they will have the greatest impact.

## Establishing Partnerships Nationwide

Medcurity's intuitive, AI-powered platform and team of HIPAA specialists make compliance a stress-free endeavor for organizations of every size. **Our pricing structure is designed to adapt to your size, budget, and funding. This scalable model, based exclusively on FTE count, ensures our services are cost-effective.**

To support the health of our communities nationwide, we continue to build and nurture strategic partnerships. Partnering with Medcurity means gaining access to expert support and essential tools all year round.

Through our customized partnership agreements, **members of regional and national associations such as AACHC and NWRPCA receive SRA licenses at a discounted cost.**

# Our Approach to the SRA

## 1 Initial Consultation

We begin by understanding our client's unique needs and challenges through a personalized consultation. This ensures we tailor the Security Risk Analysis (SRA) to each organization's unique environment and goals.

## 2 Data Collection & Risk Analysis

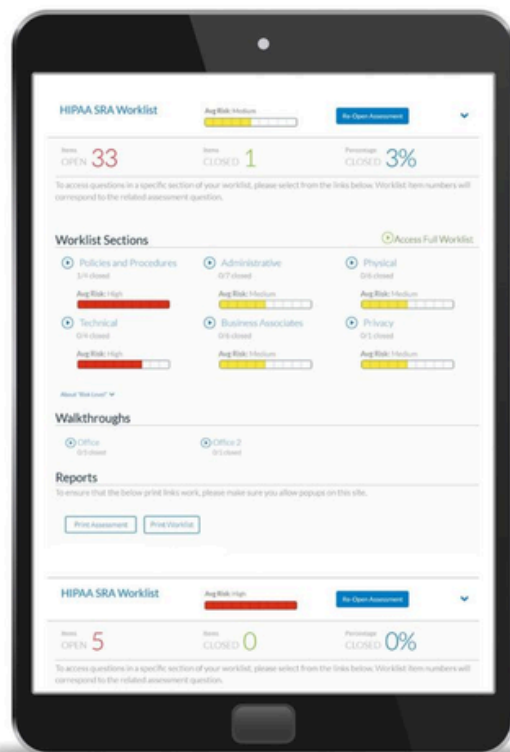
We work closely with our clients to gather essential documents, system details, and policies, focusing on your operational processes to assess your overall posture. Our experts then analyze the information gathered to identify potential risks and gaps in compliance, prioritizing the most critical issues.

## 3 Detailed Report & Presentation

We generate a detailed report detailing risks categorized by severity, with actionable recommendations to enhance security and meet HIPAA requirements. We go over the report with our clients, explain findings, propose solutions, and answer questions.

## 4 Action Plan & Ongoing Support

Together, we develop a tailored action plan, prioritizing critical areas with timelines for implementation. Implementing these plans is key to demonstrating your path to compliance, particularly to the OCR. Our team offers support throughout the year and schedules quarterly check-ins with clients to help track progress.



## Expanded Services

What truly sets us apart is our approach to Security Risk Analysis— Medcurity offers onsite walkthroughs as part of our expanded SRA services.

All of our clients can reach out to us via email, phone, or chat for person-to-person support throughout the year.

# AI-Powered Tools, Expert Guidance

Meeting HIPAA requirements and keeping patient data protected is an ongoing commitment that requires a proactive approach and informed strategy. We offer a clear path to a more resilient future with our comprehensive SRA and NVA services.

At Medcurity, we provide services and tools to help you get the most out of your compliance efforts. **Our AI-powered platform, Security Risk Analysis services, Network Vulnerability Assessments, and Vendor Management Solutions are here to guide you every step of the way.**

## In-Platform Features

### AI-Powered PolicyScan

Our proprietary AI-driven PolicyScan tool automates the alignment of internal policies with HIPAA safeguard requirements, streamlining processes and reducing administrative burden.

### Dynamic Threat Matrix

The threat matrix populates based on responses to assessment questions and dynamically shows your risk levels change on the dashboard when the recommended steps are implemented.

### Real-Time Dashboard

Get a real-time snapshot of your HIPAA posture, with clear visibility into risks, a remediation worklist to inform next steps after conducting your SRA. The dashboard simplifies oversight, makes it easy to assign action items, track progress, and maintain audit-readiness.

### Customizable Templates

Our library of templates makes it easy to align policies and procedures with your needs. From risk mitigation plans to HIPAA policies, our customizable templates enable you to make updates without having to start from scratch.

## Testimonials

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*I'm so happy that we made the move to Medcurity. Their process is so much more robust than the company previously doing our HIPAA SRAs, and **the assessment identified gaps we didn't know were there.***

*In addition, **they provided solutions and resources to correct and strengthen our policies and processes**, including the dashboard, which is so helpful in allowing us to keep track of where we are and what to tackle next. The best part is that everyone at Medcurity has been so nice and helpful; whenever I have a question, I get a quick response.*

**Rebekah Blair, Risk & Compliance Manager**  
**Universal Primary Care**

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*I highly recommend Medcurity to any organization that's in need of their services. **They've guided us every step of the way** with a professional team that is knowledgeable in system securities and HIPAA compliance standards.*

***We feel like we have a great partnership to lean on for expertise in the industry.** I would say the most significant benefit was being able to reach out and get an answer back within 24 hours from professionals that are willing to go above and beyond.*

**Naseem Dastgerdi, MSHI Healthcare Compliance**  
**Director Allied Customer Solutions**





## Contact Us

*Ready for a more secure, resilient future? Reach out to our team to build a clear picture of your security posture, simplify risk management, and meet HIPAA requirements with confidence.*



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