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NH-ISAC Merger with SAFE-BioPharma

On January 1st, 2018, NH-ISAC merged with SAFE-BioPharma[®] Association creating an important opportunity to positively impact healthcare's cybersecurity and business efficiency challenges. SAFE-BioPharma is now an LLC subsidiary to NH-ISAC.

SAFE-BioPharma maintains identity management and digital signature standards used throughout the life sciences industry to assure trust in cyber identities. The SAFE-BioPharma standards provide a Governance and policy framework under which Identity and Access Management services are available. These services will soon be available as a CYBERFIT service offering. In addition, the individuals supporting SAFE-BioPharma will participate in the NH-ISAC Identity and Authentication Working Group, shaping the future solutions offerings of both the working group and SAFE-BioPharma.

The current members of SAFE-BioPharma will continue to receive services in 2018, as they did in 2017. During the first two quarters of 2018, integration efforts will take place to clearly establish what the integrated services look like and how it will operate. The second half of 2018 will bring the implementation of the integration plan to position SAFE-BioPharma to fully operate in the new model, starting in 2019.

SAFE-BioPharma was founded in 2005 as a 501(c)(6) non-profit. Mollie Shields-Uehling, its President and CEO and long-time thought leader in the digital identity space, is retiring. As the SAFE-BioPharma Board of Directors transitions into an Advisory Board, Mollie will continue to serve in an advisory capacity. With this change, Matt King, formerly Vice President, Global Policy at SAFE-BioPharma will be overseeing the operation and integration of SAFE-BioPharma, LLC into the new model.

NH-ISAC would like to thank Mollie for her years of innovation and leadership, and to welcome the SAFE-BioPharma Team into the NH-ISAC Team.

NH-ISAC members can anticipate further information later this quarter about the service and its value, what the merger means to you, and progress in developing the integration plan.

For additional information on SAFE-BioPharma please go to the following link: <https://www.safe-biopharma.org/>

Top 5 Health Related Cyber Events for January:

Database of 1.4 Billion Credentials Found on Dark Web Link - <http://www.securityweek.com/database-14-billion-credentials-found-dark-web>

DMARC in Healthcare: Lots of Work to Be Done Link – <https://www.databreachtoday.com/dmarc-in-healthcare-lots-work-to-be-done-a-10494>

Sinai Health System Announces Data Breach but Says Risk to Patients Low Link – <http://www.chicagotribune.com/business/ct-biz-sinai-phishing-incident-20171207-story.html>

What were the worst health data breaches in 2017? Link – <https://www.databreaches.net/what-were-the-worst-health-data-breaches-in-2017/>

24,000 University Of North Carolina (UNC) Health Care Patients Affected By Potential Security Breach Link - <http://www.newsobserver.com/news/business/article188757969.html>

NH-ISAC is pleased to publish a monthly member newsletter. It is designed to bring events and other important ISAC information to your attention. If there is something you would like to see included please email: contact@nhisac.org



Meltdown/Spectre

In early January reports of two vulnerabilities affecting computer processors surfaced. These vulnerabilities are called Meltdown and Spectre. The NH-ISAC Threat Intelligence Committee immediately convened to assess impacts and communicate potential concerns and mitigation strategies. NH-ISAC members shared information and actions taken as well as asked questions robustly amongst themselves. The NH-ISAC hosted a webinar, with almost 270

members in attendance, which covered an overview of the vulnerabilities, discussion from TIC members on their perspective of the threat, followed by a question and answer portion with hearty discussion. A TIC member then hosted another webinar demonstrating a more technical version of the vulnerabilities. In addition the TIC published a TLP WHITE update to members and posted it to the NH-ISAC for the benefit of all stakeholders. Be sure to continue to monitor nhisac.org and NH-ISAC member channels for the latest updates.



Meltdown



Spectre

New Working Group — GDPR

The NH-ISAC is starting a General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) Work Group. The GDPR is a legal framework that sets guidelines for the collection and processing of personal information of individuals within the European Union (EU). The GDPR covers all companies that deal with the data of EU citizens. The GDPR will come into effect across the EU on May 25, 2018.

The purpose of this work group is to share best practices, processes, and standards in the spirit of coming together as an industry in preparation for the GDPR coming into effect. The first meeting is tentatively scheduled for January 23rd.

To join the working group please email contact@nhisac.org.

NH-ISAC BOARD NOMINATIONS

SPECIAL BOARD ELECTIONS

NH-ISAC has two open board positions due to vacancies.

Important Dates:

Nomination Deadline: (January 12th, 5pm Eastern) – Submit nomination(s) to: nhisac@nhisac.org. All nominees must represent a current NH-ISAC member organization in good standing.

Biography Submission: (January 12th, 5pm Eastern) – Submit brief biography and photo to be provided in the ballot election package.

Nominee slate prepared for review – 1-15-2017

Voting Period: (January 21st—31st, 5pm Eastern) – Votes will be tallied after the 31st, elected members will be notified and the new term will begin at the February Board meeting (February 27, 2018).

Mark Your Calendars For the Upcoming Workshops:

Medical Device Security Workshop

March 20-21, 2018
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Hosted by NH-ISAC & Philips Healthcare
Convened at **Philips Healthcare** (Andover, MA)

Join us for a chance to collaborate with other healthcare providers and medical device manufacturers in a free interactive forum.

Agenda topics to include:

- Medical Device Cybersecurity Strategic Plan
- Bill of Materials (BoM) Panel
- Coordinated Vulnerability Disclosure and Lessons Learned
- Clinical Engineer/Patient Experience
- Lessons Learned: How do HDO & HDM communicate in a response
- Cybersecurity Tabletop Exercise

CPE's may be available to attendees. You must self-certify with an organization such as ICS2 or ISACA. Seating capacity is limited; Registrants will be vetted and must be approved to attend.

February:

Health IT Summit - San Diego, CA, February 1, 2018

Capture the Flag – McLean, VA, February 22, 2018

March:

InfoSec World - Disney's Contemporary Resort, March 19, 2018

Health IT Summit - Cleveland, OH, March 27, 2018

Reminder to Heed the Call!

The call for papers for NH-ISAC's 2018 Spring Summit is still open through January 20th.

Have you ever sat in a workshop and thought "I should lead a session; I have a lot of "hands-on" knowledge to share," then your opportunity is knocking. To submit your paper simply log into the member portal and click on the Summit & Registration Dashboard.