Plenary VI: Cyber-Security Engagement

Saturday, February 8, 2020
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Cybersecurity is on everyone’s mind these days and for good reason. Consider this: in 2018, hackers stole half a billion personal records, a 126% increase over 2017 - it is estimated there is now a hacker attack every 39 seconds. With increasing government use of cloud-based solutions and bring-your-own-device policies, the threats are only going accelerate.

Over the last 20 years, many child support programs have attempted to keep up with IT advances and significant changes in digital resources. While these innovations may improve outcomes, they also expose the child support program to new and more complex risks as cyber criminals continually come up with more sophisticated methods of attack. Maintaining the highest levels of data security and rigorous IT security should be a top priority for the child support program, which has access to more personal data than many other federal human service programs.

Come engage in a lively plenary with Etay Maor, a Chief Security Officer and recognized security researcher, as he reveals current and potential cyber security risks. OCSE security engineer Derek Cullum will further describe actions we can and should be taking to keep our data secure while taking advantage of the benefits new technology affords our program and our clients.

Speakers: Derek Collum, Etay Moar
Moderator: Craig Burshem