2026

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# Human Risk Management Calendar

Your Playbook for Proactive Cybersecurity

Now with **metrics-based** action items!

# Glossary

## LIVING SECURITY GOAL

Set monthly, measurable goals that focus your Human Risk Management (HRM) efforts on the behaviors, risks, and agent actions that matter most. These goals guide which metrics to monitor, which cohorts to prioritize, and where your program can drive the greatest measurable improvement.

## RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

Apply HRM plays tailored to your program's maturity level—Beginner, Intermediate, or Advanced. Each play targets high-impact opportunities to influence behavior and reduce risk through scorecards, nudges, simulations, role-based interventions, and agent governance steps aligned to your HRM journey.

**40+**

recommended security actions

## RECOMMENDED TRAINING CONTENT

Leverage our content library—including Cyber Guides, Quick Tips, Cyber Stories, and simulation assets—aligned with each monthly theme and emerging threat trend. This content reinforces secure behaviors across humans and agents through role-based, scenario-driven learning.

**50+**

unique pieces of HRM content*

## CAMPAIGN IN A BOX

Deploy a monthly communication kit—featuring blog posts, emails, chat messages, and awareness assets—designed to activate your theme across the organization.

## MINI BOX

Deliver quick, targeted education that supports situational awareness, reinforces key behaviors, and equips teams to respond to the risks most relevant to their work.

*Available through the Living Security Training Platform

# 2026 Calendar Overview

## JANUARY

Data Privacy & Access Control

## FEBRUARY

Artificial Intelligence

## MARCH

Family Security

## APRIL

Physical Security & Hybrid Work

## MAY

Authentication & Identity Security

## JUNE

Social Engineering & Phishing

## JULY

API Security & Modern Development Risks

## AUGUST

Insider Risks & Data Leakage

## SEPTEMBER

Emerging Threats

## OCTOBER

Cybersecurity Culture

## NOVEMBER

Industries & Roles

## DECEMBER

Readiness & Year-in-Review

# JANUARY | DATA PRIVACY & ACCESS CONTROL

Identify users and emerging AI agents with excess access to sensitive data and tighten least-privilege enforcement. Boost workforce understanding of your organization's data privacy policies.

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| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26<br>Data Privacy Week | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

## MONTHLY CONTENT

### Living Security Goals

- Data Leakage Controls (ex. Reduce outbound policy violations to <5%)
- Agent Visibility (ex. 70% of active agents with an assigned owner & documented scope)

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Build awareness and basic behavior change using scorecards, nudges, and quick coaching on risky actions.
**Intermediate:** Strengthen prevention by tracking context-rich behavior patterns, surfacing trends for leaders, and reinforcing safe AI use.
**Advanced:** Reduce data leakage and insider risk with connectors, segmentation, lifecycle signals, and agent governance controls.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Data Classification & Handling
- Quick Tip: Protecting Sensitive Data in AI
- Compliance Essentials: Data Privacy
- Security Basics: Data Classification

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# FEBRUARY | ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Use agentic AI insights to pinpoint and prioritize your highest human-driven risks, strengthening your threat management. Equip your workforce to use AI safely and prevent sensitive data leakage.

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| 1 Change Your Password Day | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 National Clean Out Your Computer Day | 10 Safer Internet Day | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
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## MONTHLY CONTENT

### Living Security Goals

- Implement Access AI Website insight
- Track Agent risk visibility
- Training content & policy acceptance

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote safe AI use with nudges, scorecards, and basic AI-phishing simulations to build early awareness and judgment.
**Intermediate:** Expand protection with AI-driven social-engineering coverage, targeted micro-learning for high-risk roles, and foundational agent governance.
**Advanced:** Strengthen defenses using advanced AI-phishing simulations, agentic threat detection, just-in-time access, and metrics that monitor agent behavior.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Deepfake & Synthetic Media Threats
- Quick Tip: AI Data Leaks
- Legacy Code Quick Tips: AI Regulation & Policy Change
- Born Secure Quick Tips: AI Chatbots

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# MARCH | FAMILY SECURITY

Equipping employees to safeguard both work and home life from rising consumer scams.

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| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 World Backup Day | | | | |

## MONTHLY CONTENT

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Reinforce basic consumer-scam safety with scorecard tips and simple family-focused nudges on MFA and safe shopping.

**Intermediate:** Reduce consumer-scam risk by targeting smishing, vishing, and weak password/MFA habits across personal and work accounts.

**Advanced:** Drive meaningful behavior change by directing repeat-risk users into focused micro-paths on consumer scam prevention.

### Recommended Training Content

- Quick Tip: Online Privacy for Families
- Cyber Guide: Mobile Device Security
- Quick Tip: Spotting a Fake Website
- Security Basics: Smishing
- Case in Point: Password Management

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# APRIL | PHYSICAL & HYBRID WORK ENVIRONMENTS

As hybrid work blurs the boundaries between home and office, reinforce physical security by helping employees protect devices, workspaces, and sensitive data wherever they work.

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## MONTHLY CONTENT

### Living Security Goals

- Monitor and lower clean-desk infractions and travel-risk alerts

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote basic device hygiene with scorecards and quick nudges to lock devices and maintain updates.
**Intermediate:** Reduce malware and data leakage risk by targeting USB, drive-by, macro threats, and unsafe BYOD or travel-sharing behaviors.
**Advanced:** Give leaders device-hygiene visibility through manager scorecards and year-over-year behavior trends.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Device Security & Mobile Safety
- Cyber Guide: Staying Safe Wherever You Work
- Cyber Social: Secure Device
- Cybersecurity Tonight: Physical Security

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# MAY | AUTHENTICATION & IDENTITY SECURITY

IProtect your organization's identities by ensuring employees use secure authentication practices like strong passwords, password managers, and MFA everywhere.

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### Living Security Goals

- Increase org-wide adoption of MFA and/or passwordless to 90%
- If passwordless is not currently adopted by company, socialization of this internally

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote strong authentication by surfacing MFA and credential hygiene in scorecards and reinforcing good habits with nudges.
**Intermediate:** Reduce account-compromise risk by targeting MFA gaps, breached credentials, and anomalies, supported by leadership dashboards.
**Advanced:** Protect high-value accounts by segmenting elevated-access users and proactively remediating risky authentication behaviors.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Strong Password Practices & Password Managers
- Cyber Guide: MFA Fatigue
- Security Made Simple: Password Best Practices
- Cyber Kitchen: Passwords & Authentication

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# JUNE | SOCIAL ENGINEERING & PHISHING

Combat social engineering and phishing by training employees to spot deceptive cues, unexpected prompts, and attempts to steal credentials or data.

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| 28 | 29 | 30 Social Media Day | | | | |

## MONTHLY CONTENT

### Living Security Goals

- Improve behavior score of risky users (ex. click reduction by risky cohorts)

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Strengthen reporting culture with real-time nudges and scorecards that track suspicious-message reporting and click behavior.

**Intermediate:** Reduce social-engineering risk through targeted remediation, cohort focus, and microlearning for high-risk or heavily targeted users.

**Advanced:** Limit attack impact by connecting social-engineering signals to MFA coverage, privileged access, and account-compromise indicators.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Business Email Compromise (BEC)
- Cyber Guide: Phishing Awareness and Evolving Threats
- Quick Tip: Social Engineering
- Security Made Simple: Social Engineering

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# JULY | API SECURITY & MODERN DEVELOPMENT RISKS

As modern applications rely heavily on APIs and rapid development workflows, equip teams to spot risks like weak authentication, over-permissioned endpoints, and insecure dependencies.

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### Living Security Goals

- Improve HRI for a targeted cohort (ex. Development Team)

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote secrets hygiene by surfacing token exposure and reminding teams not to paste sensitive data into chat tools.

**Intermediate:** Reduce developer-driven risk by targeting keys/tokens in chats and repos, unsafe sharing, and OAuth or token-hijack weaknesses.

**Advanced:** Strengthen API and secrets hygiene with dev-focused cohorts and targeted microlearning.

### Recommended Training Content

- Born Secure: AI Chatbots
- Case in Point: Cloud Security
- Cybersecurity Tonight: Passwords & Authentication

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# AUGUST | INSIDER RISKS & DATA LEAKAGE

Strengthen defenses against insider threats by identifying risky behaviors, abnormal activity, and unauthorized access. Extend visibility to early signals from AI agents to minimize internal breaches and stop sensitive data leakage.

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### Living Security Goals

- Reduce suspicious data movement to <2%
- Reduction in repeat offenders
- Improve authentication vigilance

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote early reporting of suspicious activity to surface insider-risk signals sooner.
**Intermediate:** Reduce insider and data leakage risk by detecting abnormal access, risky movements, and early agent behaviors using lifecycle flags.
**Advanced:** Give leaders visibility into insider-risk and data-loss trends with manager scorecards that include early AI-agent signals.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Insider Threats
- Legacy Code Quick Tip: Privileged Access
- Investigate: Insider Threat
- Security Made Simple: Insider Threat Behavior

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# SEPTEMBER | EMERGING THREATS

Stay ahead of emerging threats by helping employees recognize new attack techniques, evolving scam patterns, and shifts in adversary behavior.

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| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 National Compliance Officer Day |
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### Living Security Goals

- Identify and reduce exposure to emerging threats (e.g., deepfakes, AI-enabled scams)

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Promote safe AI use and deepfake awareness with simple, actionable scorecard tips.
**Intermediate:** Reduce malware and social-engineering risk by targeting unsafe downloads, malicious attachments, deepfakes, and evolving pretexts.
**Advanced:** Respond quickly to emerging threats with fast-spin campaigns for heavily targeted cohorts.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Staying Ahead of AI-Powered Threats
- Cyber Guide: Phishing Awareness
- Quick Tip: Preventing AI Misuse
- Quick Tip: Deepfakes

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# OCTOBER | CYBERSECURITY CULTURE

Build a security-first culture by reinforcing positive behaviors, celebrating wins, and giving teams clear visibility into their progress.

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| 18 | 19 Clean Your Virtual Desktop Day | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
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### Living Security Goals

- Increase positive security behavior and engagement

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Celebrate wins and track culture-building behaviors through nudges and scorecards.

**Intermediate:** Give leaders visibility into cultural trends and maturity with manager scorecards.

**Advanced:** Show year-over-year improvements using HRI and goal-level reporting.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Physical Security at Work
- Security Made Simple: Why Security Matters
- Security Made Simple: Security Culture for People Managers
- Cybersecurity Tonight: Cybersecurity is Part of Your Job

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# NOVEMBER | INDUSTRIES & ROLES

Help teams understand how supply chain and third-party relationships introduce unique security risks, from vendor access to data handling.

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| 29 | 30 National Computer Security Day | | | | | |

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### Living Security Goals

- Establish role-based risk metrics for vendors and third parties

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Improve vendor oversight with scorecards that surface data-sharing behaviors and reinforce "Vet before you trust vendors."
**Intermediate:** Reduce vendor-driven risk by targeting unsafe sharing, unsanctioned tools, and weak authentication among high-access roles.
**Advanced:** Drive measurable third-party risk reduction using role-based learning and behavior metrics.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Cloud Security Basics
- Cyber Guide: Working with Third Party Vendors
- Case in Point: Vendor Email Compromise

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# DECEMBER | READINESS & YEAR-IN-REVIEW

Strengthen organizational readiness by reviewing the year's risk patterns, closing outstanding gaps, and reinforcing crisis expectations so teams enter the new year prepared and confident.

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### Living Security Goals

- Track Users in a Risky State YOY

### Recommended Actions

**Beginner:** Highlight risky-state gaps with scorecards and use nudges to guide quick remediation and reinforce "Know your role in a crisis."

**Intermediate:** Reduce malware and account risks through tabletop exercises and fixing MFA, password, and elevated-access weaknesses.

**Advanced:** Give leadership visibility into risky-state trends and overall risk movement with manager scorecards.

### Recommended Training Content

- Cyber Guide: Your Role in an Attack
- Security Made Simple: Phishing
- Quick Tip: Being a Cybersecurity Leader
- Cyber Kitchen: Take Ownership - Cybersecurity is Everyone's Responsibility

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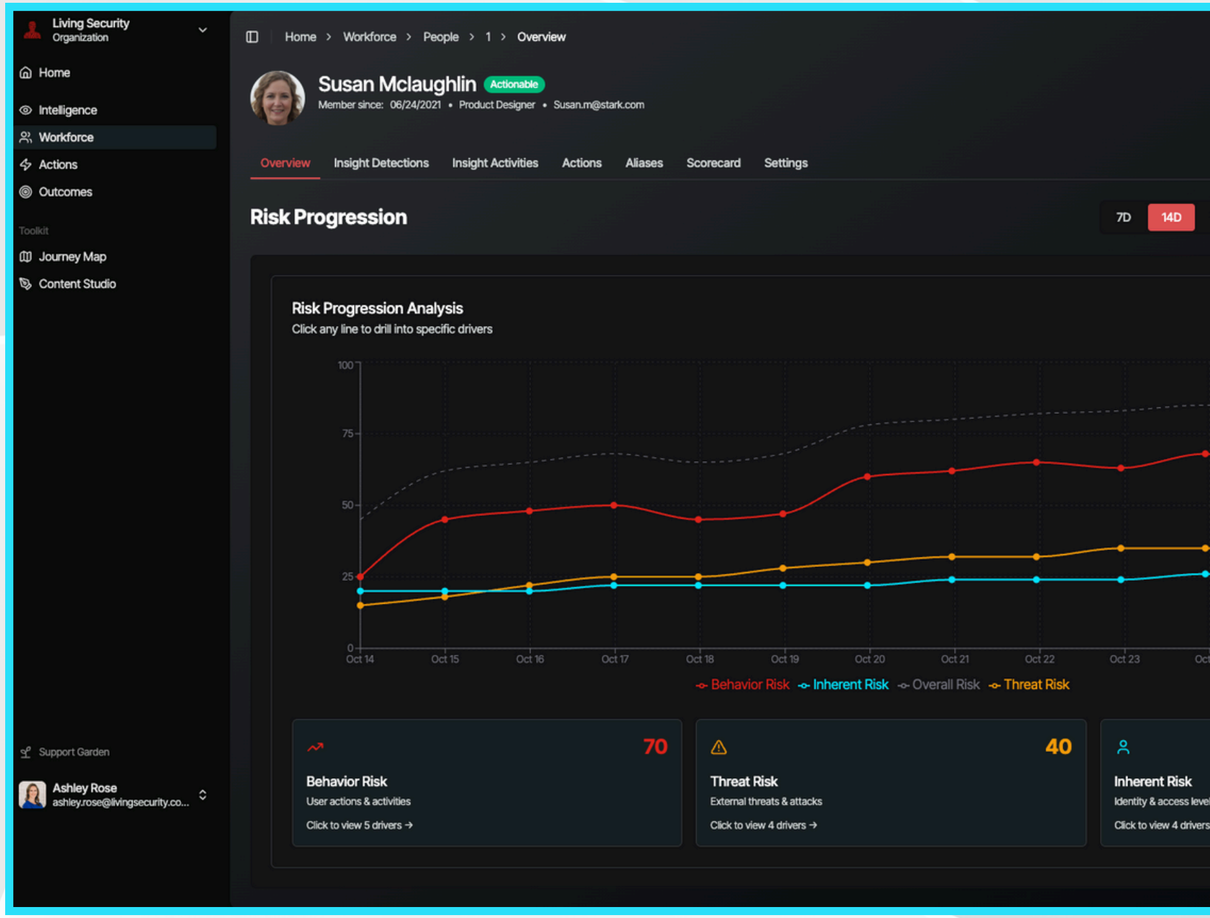
# Ready for Proactive Cybersecurity?

Maximize Your 2026 HRM Strategy with Living Security's AI-Native HRM Platform

## Be the First to Experience the Future of HRM

### Living Security Delivers These HRM Outcomes:

- **Complete Risk Visibility:** See human and agent behaviors in one place with a unified view of who—and what—is driving risk.
- **AI-Driven Risk Scoring:** Spot high-risk users, agents, and behaviors instantly with AI-enhanced scoring.
- **Leadership-Ready Insights:** Give executives clear visibility into risk movement, behavior trends, and program impact.
- **Context for Better Decisions:** Connect signals from IAM, DLP, SIEM, and agents to understand risky actions and intervene earlier.
- **Early Threat Detection:** Use AI to surface new risks—deepfakes, agent misuse, unsafe data movement—before they escalate.
- **Safer Agent Adoption:** Govern AI agents with clear ownership, scope, and controls to reduce misuse and exposure




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