

SERVICE BRIEF FOR **VIRTUAL CISO**



Is your company ready to step into the future with powerful cyber-security initiatives? Lodestone's virtual Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) service equips you with a direct line to a security expert that can remotely answer all of your security questions.

Our virtual CISO will show you the optimal steps towards creating a security foundation that protects the keys to your kingdom and helps you retain the trust of your customers.

BENEFITS

- Gain all of the advantages of expert security guidance on demand without concerns like turnover and the high salary demands of a full-time CISO.
- Supplement your company's existing cyber knowledge base and empower your personnel to prioritize security initiatives.

OVERVIEW

Lodestone's virtual CISO is a seasoned security expert that is available on demand to provide all of the guidance and leadership of a full-time CISO without the overhead of turnover and high salary demands. Receive direction on tough security decisions and oversight on the development and maintenance of key policies.

WHY LODESTONE

Lodestone is a global cybersecurity firm committed to helping clients prevent, investigate, and prepare for security incidents. It was built from the ground up to offer an innovative, behavior-based approach to proactive cybersecurity and digital forensics and incident response (DFIR). We are comprised of top investigative talent and offensive security experts from several of the world's largest cybersecurity firms, as well as military veterans and former members of national security organizations, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and the National Security Agency (NSA). We combine this expertise with our unique understanding of legal requirements through our relationship with our parent company, Beazley, which has been at the forefront of cyber insurance for over a decade. Through this relationship, Lodestone has developed a unique understanding of the intersection between insurance and cybersecurity while preventing, preparing for, and responding to some of the toughest security challenges that industries face today.

Compliance

Since its founding as a subsidiary of Beazley in 2017, Lodestone has offered its customers insight into both cybersecurity and the cyber insurance industry. We help companies align and stay compliant with cyber insurance coverage requirements. In addition, we offer discounts to channel partners to form long-term relationships.

Security Focus

Lodestone's experts live and breathe cybersecurity and are committed to helping customers face some of the biggest challenges of their careers. We do not sell vendor security products – our offerings are purely service-focused, and any third-party tools we recommend are the product of genuine, vendor-agnostic, and tested endorsement, not business deals.

Expertise

Lodestone's approach to Incident Response is to have the top cybersecurity experts in the world, as the lead, and as the touchpoint, when responding to cybersecurity incidents. This is done with the backing of comprehensive, real-time threat intelligence to provide clients with protection across the life cycle of a potential security event or incident.

Tailored Approach

We understand the individual challenges of every situation and consider the human side of the equation, never taking a "one size fits all" approach. We blend design, threat intelligence, and technology with human insights to provide clients with the greatest cybersecurity advantage.

Threat Intelligence

Our deep understanding of threat actor tactics, techniques, and procedures (TTPs) is based on decades of experience in DFIR and the diligent gathering of threat intelligence from all possible sources.

Agility

Time is of the essence before, during, and after an intrusion. We stand ready to move in quickly and effectively at the first sign of an intrusion.

Team Experience

1000+
ENGAGEMENTS

200+ YEARS
COMBINED EXPERIENCE

50+
CERTIFICATIONS

Experts Unlike Anyone Else

EX- MILITARY
LAW ENFORCEMENT
INTELLIGENCE
TOP CYBER TECH
TOP CONSULTING
FORTUNE 100 ENTERPRISE

Global Presence - NA/Europe



METHODOLOGY

Lodestone Virtual CISO service is comprised of these primary phases:

Preparation and Document Review



- **Preparation and Document Review** – We work with you to identify any particular security goals your organization has and determine the current maturity level. Lodestone experts review your existing security documentation.
- **Consultation** – A Lodestone professional is assigned to provide recommendations and guidance based on your company's security priorities and goals for the future. We help provide answers to burning cyber questions and empower your personnel to place security at the forefront.

DURATION AND DELIVERABLES

The duration of the Virtual CISO service varies based on the number of consulting hours purchased as part of the original engagement.

This service does not include any deliverables, but instead offers guidance via email, phone, or in-person discussion.

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