Sword & Shield Enterprise Security, Inc. is an information security consulting company and “Your Partner for a Secure Future”. We excel in security solutions to meet the most demanding security requirements with enterprise-wide protection to reduce security risks across your organization. Providing world-class network security, compliance and forensic consulting is our only business.

We provide integrated solutions for organizations seeking to achieve and maintain compliance. We deliver comprehensive risk and compliance services including consulting for regulatory compliance, risk assessments, penetration testing to evaluate network vulnerabilities, remediation of vulnerabilities and security policy creation and review. Not only are we helping enterprises meet compliance requirements, we’re helping them increase their own credibility and customer confidence.

**HIPAA Compliance**

- **HIPAA Risk/Gap Analysis**
  
  We evaluate all aspects of HIPAA, including the Security, Privacy, Data Breach Notification, and Omnibus Rules. The Risk Analysis is an accurate and thorough assessment of the potential risk and vulnerabilities to the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of electronic protected health information (ePHI) held by your organization. If gaps are identified, a Sword & Shield Healthcare Compliance Consultant can assist you in developing a roadmap to achieve HIPAA compliance.

**PCI & EI3PA Compliance**

- **PCI-DSS/EI3PA Assessments**
  
  The PCI-DSS applies to all entities that store, process or transmit payment cardholder data, and it covers technical and operational system components included in or connected to cardholder data. The Experian Independent Third-Party Assessment is an annual assessment of an Experian reseller’s ability to protect the information they purchase from Experian. A Sword & Shield QSA Consultant will assist your organization in determining the appropriate level for both of these requirements and guide you through the assessment process until compliance is achieved.

**Examples of Continuous Compliance Tasks**

- **Annual Penetration Testing**: Our team of experts can perform a penetration test that meets the requirements of PCI and EI3PA and is aligned with industry best practice. Sword & Shield’s assessment team specializes in this type of work and is in high demand from organizations across the globe.

- **Managed Security Services**: Monitoring system logs for security events and responding appropriately can be an overwhelming task in most organizations. Sword & Shield has assembled a team of experts that specializes in this area and is prepared to perform this task for your organization.

- **Through our comprehensive Sensitive Data Discovery Scan** we will perform a scan of your network that will pinpointing sources of confidential electronic health data, as well as where additional subsets, copies and exports of that data reside.

- **Our unique Data Breach Threat Analysis** is designed to proactively identify threats and vulnerabilities that may have already been introduced during the time lag between the release of the vulnerability exploitation code and when security patches are actually applied to the vulnerable system(s).
Continuous Compliance

Rather than considering compliance an annual event, it is far more effective, and appropriate, to consider it an ongoing process. At Sword & Shield, we work with our clients to design continuous compliance processes to ensure they maintain their control environment throughout the compliance lifecycle.

The continuous compliance service identifies recurring activities that are required by the relevant compliance standards and other services which can be offloaded from your team and performed by our staff of experts. We provide you with a project plan and serve as your project manager throughout the compliance cycle to ensure that work is performed when required and that you receive the appropriate reports and updates.

Why us, why now?

Senior managers are focusing on compliance concerns because of their impact on all aspects of business operations. Efforts to comply with regulatory requirements must be supported by appropriate IT systems. As companies revisit their risk management approaches, many are discovering a lack of focus on the key risks to the organization due to a fragmented risk management and compliance program. Our Risk & Compliance services provide a strategic and holistic treatment of all operational information management components of those risks.