

Data Loss Prevention (DLP) Services

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What is DLP?

Data Loss Prevention (DLP) is a set of tools and processes designed to ensure that sensitive data is not misplaced, stolen, or accessed by unauthorized users. It does so by flagging key identifiers present in data, and continuously monitoring the data while in use, in transit, and in storage.

To better protect our sensitive information, the Information Security Office has launched a pilot DLP program specifically aimed at safeguarding Critical, Restricted, and Internal data, as defined by the Rutgers Information Classification Policy. Long-term, we seek to establish a robust DLP program that significantly enhances our security posture university-wide.

Our Track Record

The Information Security Office, a part of the Office of Information Technology (OIT), plays a leadership role in developing, delivering, and maintaining programs and services that support Rutgers IT's strategic priorities. This includes a range of services such as:

- ✓ Risk management
- ✓ Incident response
- ✓ Data loss prevention
- ✓ IT policy development
- ✓ Compliance program strategy
- ✓ Security awareness and training



Who should use DLP?

Departments handling research data, student records, financial information, protected health information (PHI), or other confidential institutional data are strongly encouraged to utilize DLP services.



What should I expect?

- An initial consultation to understand your data protection needs
- Guidance on identifying and classifying sensitive data
- Assistance with configuring and tailoring DLP policies to your requirements



What are the benefits?

- Protects sensitive data from accidental or malicious exposure
- Helps ensure compliance with data privacy regulations
- Reduces the risk of data breaches



How do I get started?

To begin using DLP services, please complete an intake form using the link below so the Information Security Office can assist you. Once your request is received and approved, a team member will contact you.

→ [DLP INTAKE FORM](#)

For more information about the Information Security Office, please visit our website:

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