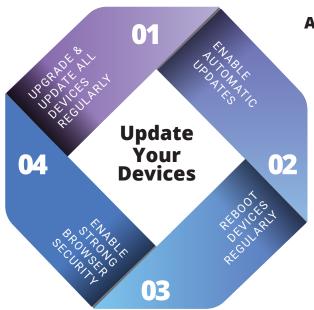


# **Home & Remote Work** SECURITY TIPS

# A, B, C'S OF CYBER SECURITY





## A. Update Your Devices / Operating System / Software: Keep Things Up to Date

- Upgrade and update all devices regularly: Ensure all equipment (routers, computers, phones, IoT devices) is running the latest software and firmware.
- Enable automatic updates: Activate automatic updates for your devices, especially for operating systems and routers.
- Reboot devices regularly: Schedule weekly reboots to reduce the chance of non-persistent malware remaining on your devices.
- Enable strong browser security: Use a modern browser that supports transport layer security (TLS) and keep it updated.

## B. Use Strong / Unique Passwords + MFA



### **Use Secure Passwords**

· Enable MFA on all critical accounts and services to add an extra layer of security.



## Use multi-factor authentication (MFA)

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### Remote Work Use **VPN / Avoid public** Wi-Fi Without VPN

· If necessary, use a VPN when accessing the internet from public hotspots.



### Utilize encryption

- · Enable full disk encryption on laptops, tablets, and smartphones
- Password-protect your devices (phone, iPad, laptop).



## C. Be Wary of **Phishing Émails**

Think before you click on a malicious link, never enter your username / password as a result of an email request).



# **D. Turn Firewall On Your Devices** and Utilize Security Software

Ensure your devices / router has firewall capabilities and use a security suite that includes antivirus, anti-phishing, and malware protection. Apple devices ship with protections in place, but it doesn't hurt to run a malware scan / complement with Malwarebytes.

