

HITRUST®



Use the Healthcare Accreditation Experts at DirectTrust for Your HITRUST Assessment



Trust is everything in healthcare, and earning the HITRUST Risk-Based 2-Year (r2) certification as part of HITRUST's Comprehensive Security Framework (CSF) showcases your organization's unwavering commitment to the highest levels of trust. Rooted in a comprehensive framework of adaptable and scalable security controls, achieving this certification illustrates your organization's ability to manage risk, safeguard information, and comply with regulation, ultimately positioning your organization among an elite echelon.

Choosing the right assessor is a crucial first step in this effort – a decision that impacts not only the speed and efficacy of the process, but also the degree to which your organization will be equipped to tackle data protection challenges in the months and years following certification.

The DirectTrust Difference

DirectTrust is a non-profit organization with a core competency of healthcare-specific accreditation and certification. As an accreditation body ourselves, we offer over 20 different accreditations and certifications.

We are the only organization able to provide healthcare organizations with both HITRUST r2 certification AND DirectTrust accreditation governed by the Electronic Healthcare Network Accreditation Commission (EHNAC).

This exceptional dual capability positions us to augment the HITRUST assessment process with criteria specifically tailored to stakeholders' requirements, customizing benchmarks to align precisely with the distinct needs of each healthcare organization.

Forging the Path Forward

Over the years, we've earned a seat at the table for healthcare's most prominent boards, workgroups, and regulatory bodies. This pivotal role in shaping current standards, integration protocols, cybersecurity best practices, and regulatory decisions allows us to constantly evaluate not only our own accreditations and certifications, but also our guidance, effectively positioning committed healthcare organizations ahead of the curve.

In the coming months, we're set to unveil a range of stakeholder-specific accreditation programs, zeroing in on identity, the FHIR ecosystem, and more. These programs will seamlessly complement our existing array of certification and accreditation offerings, as well as HITRUST certification, by empowering healthcare organizations across the spectrum to confront these evolving challenges head on.

Why Choose DirectTrust as Your HITRUST r2 Validated Assessor?

Our Assessors are also HITRUST Practitioners and average 28 years of healthcare experience. They've successfully overseen dozens of HITRUST certifications and numerous DirectTrust accreditations through EHNAC. In addition to their ability to manage a consistent, consultative assessment process, they can conduct a thorough analysis of your organization's unique stakeholder-specific challenges, while sharing actionable guidance in your pursuit of future risk management and compliance goals.

For organizations that have already secured accreditation under one of DirectTrust's many programs, we are able to streamline the HITRUST assessment process. This involves the elimination of redundant elements, given the substantial overlap in privacy and security requirements across both frameworks, rendering them transferable.

Our certification and accreditation programs:



**Establish Trust
within Network**



**Promote
Interoperability**



**Demonstrates Policy
Adherence**



**Ensure Uniform
Security Compliance**



**Mitigate Risk of PHI
Exchange**



**Verify HIPAA and
Privacy Compliance**



**Deliver Business
Process Oversight**



**Illustrate Best
Practices**



DirectTrust is a 501c(6) non-profit, vendor-neutral alliance, and a pioneer in offering technical trust and confidence in the secure exchange of health information. In addition to serving as an accreditor for numerous healthcare policies, frameworks, and programs, we operate as a membership organization and community convener, an ANSI-accredited standards body, and as a provider of trust services like Trust Frameworks, Directories, Identity Assurance, and more.



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