

Disaster Recovery

Every organization struggles at some level with operational interruptions. What if you lose your systems, not just downtime or service incident, but really were incapacitated in a way that required resumption of services somewhere else?

Your first line of defense when dealing with interruptions should be your Disaster Recovery process. It is essential to ensure that you have a clear understanding of this critical business process before you need it.



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1 in 3

organizations have reported being affected by malware and or virus injections.

- Zetta study

63%

of data breaches can be tracked directly or indirectly to the access by third-party vendors.

- Soha Systems survey

36%

of organizations indicated the cost of downtime related to a data breach was greater than **\$100,000 per day**.

- CloudEndure survey

Have Confidence That Your Organization Is Prepared

Technology and Security Trends Demand a Disaster Recovery Response

Advances in technology have given organizations many options to effectively deploy their digital presence through third-party integrations. However, increased threat from hackers and the business cost of a data breach necessitates a need to be prepared for the worst. Disaster Recovery (DR) is the solution.

When a DR solution is implemented well, the result is a measured, cost appropriate and tested method to ensure that your organization can thrive when operational interruptions happen.

Manage Your Disaster Recovery with a Proven Partner

Companion Data Services (CDS) has a mature, stable, flexible and proven information services structure that supports innovative, end-to-end, Disaster Recovery services.

Our solutions and services include traditional, virtual and cloud provisions for all aspects of technology required for the performance of effective DR integration - from mainframe to distributed systems. Our various cloud offerings and secure infrastructure managed services are unprecedented in the industry and includes all DR capabilities necessary for data protection requirements.

With CDS, you have the assurance of knowing that you understand the complete disaster recovery posture in a measured, manageable way.

*"The top three requirements for an appropriate disaster recovery solution will be the **reliability** of the solution, the **cost** of the solution and the **speed** to recovery."*

-Fred Rowell, CDS Chief Technology Officer

Learn how our DR solution focuses on integration, security, and technology.

CDS Disaster Recovery Capabilities

- Virtual/Cloud Approaches
- Co-location
- Vendor Agnostic Technical Solutions
- Tested, Audited, and Measured DR Results
- Tiered Service Delivery Model
- Mature Healthcare Specific System Security
- Integrated DR Service Delivery Practice

CDS' Disaster Recovery solution focuses on integration, security and technology, ensuring a comprehensive, measured and effective solution for your organization.

Integration

The key risk of system integration and partnering on your critical digital platform is not focusing just on the technical capabilities of a prospective integration partner but also on their ability to **execute within your DR process context**.

Organizational focus on the essentials of DR across the integration management continuum, from Service Management through the Security implementation, is vital to DR effectiveness.

CDS knows how to integrate DR through Business Continuity holistically. We ensure not just an integrated digital platform delivery, but an integrated services and DR approach that serves an organization well a disaster occurs.

Security

DR partners should know the requirements that drive your business in order to effectively and seamlessly integrate into your security practice.

CDS maintains a robust security and compliance practice that understands and executes compliance frameworks such as the ones noted below as a part of our integrated DR Service Delivery approach:

- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
- Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH)
- Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA)
- International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 9001:2008
- Uptime Institute Tier III
- Payment Card Industry (PCI) Compliance

Technology

When it comes to choosing the right technology strategy for your recovery, it is important to first tier, or rank, your digital platform groups to identify:

- Specific technology dependencies
- Recovery service levels needed
- Associated downtime cost

Thoroughly testing the DR integration plan is the only way to identify issues such as hard-coded IP addresses, host file entries, license file/key, configuration details, dependency on other applications/services or other issues that result in the need to update the DR plan to make it robust.

CDS performs audited DR testing on a regular basis and the results are continuously fed back into DR planning to ensure a mature solution.

In an ever-changing technology landscape, ensuring an **economical, dependable, and secure disaster recovery posture** for our customers is our priority. Contact us at **800.237.9922** or by email at **CDS.Marketing@companiondataservices.com** to speak with a disaster recovery expert.



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Experience Is The Difference

Companion Data Services (CDS) has more than 70 years of combined proven experience in healthcare information technology. CDS provides you with a faster path and peace of mind in transforming your IT and business processes, allowing you to focus on what matters most - **Improving Business Outcomes**.

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