## Software Update Checklist

* **Download & Turn on Automatic Updates**

Ensure all your systems, apps and devices are patched and configured for automatic updates

* **Apple Products** - iPhone, iPad, Apple Watch or macOS products and software
* **Android Products** - Any devices, apps or systems powered by Android (can include: smartphones, laptops, tablets, smart watches, home appliances, cars, smart home systems and security monitoring, cameras, smart TVs, game consoles)
* **Microsoft Products** - Windows operating systems - laptops, desktops, tablets, smartphones, game consoles and more
* **Other Apps/Platforms/Devices** - Apply patches and configure automatic updates across all other devices and applications (i.e. Office365 suite on a Mac)
* **Make Prompt Software Updates a Standard Practice**

We’ve added a Software policy from the Cyber Readiness Program to the employee handbook, which outlines expectations surrounding software updates and other important security issues.

* Turn on auto-updates notifications and don’t ignore them
* Install software updates as soon as you can, ideally within 24 hours
* Always keep business and personal devices that you use for work updated