#### **Information Technology Security**



#### 8045.S600 Logging Elements

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#### Introduction

Each campus must identify and implement appropriate logging and monitoring controls for information assets.

These controls must take into consideration the technical capabilities of each resource.

#### 1.0 Logging Elements

- 1.1 At a minimum and as appropriate, taking into account the capabilities of the device or application creating the log entries, such controls must track and log the following events:
  - a) Actions taken by any individual with root or administrative privileges
  - b) Changes to system configuration
  - c) Access to audit trails
  - d) Invalid access attempts (failed login)
  - e) Use of identification and authentication mechanisms (logins)
  - f) Notifications and alerts
  - g) Activation and de-activation of controls, such as anti-virus software or intrusion detection system
  - h) Changes to, or attempts to change system security settings or control.
- 1.2 For each of the above events, the following must be recorded, as appropriate:
  - a) User identification
  - b) Type of event
  - c) Date and time
  - d) Success or failure indication
  - e) Data accessed
  - f) Program or utility used
  - g) Origination of event (e.g., network address)
  - h) Protocol
  - i) Identity or name of affected data, information system or network resource.
- 1.3 Each campus must establish procedures for the retention of logs and monitoring information.
- 1.4 Critical servers, at a minimum, must store a copy of their log data on another device; this copy must be protected from unauthorized access.
- 1.5 Each campus must establish methods for time synchronization of logging and monitoring activities.

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