



At Plymovent, we understand the importance of safe-guarding our organisation's and clients' information. With this **Digital Incident Response Procedure**, we lay the groundwork to ensure that your data and information remains secure.

# Maintaining a safe, secure, and resilient work environment

Shaping Plymovent's digital destiny

This **Digital Incident Response Procedure** provides employees with a step-by-step approach to handling and reporting data breaches or security incidents. It ensures swift resolution, minimal damage, and upholds the trust our clients place in us.

This procedure encompasses **everyone** who has a hand in shaping Plymovent's digital security, from our tech-savvy employees to our trusted contractors and third-party partners. It covers any situation that might jeopardize the **confidentiality**, **integrity**, **or availability** of our data. Every individual associated with Plymovent, **regardless of position**, has the right and responsibility to report any incidents, verbally or in writing.





# Handle and report data breaches or security incidents

First step: Report what you observed.

Begin with a verbal report to your immediate supervisor and Plymovent's IT-manager.

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- Next, we investigate.
- Our investigation gears start turning and includes the following:
- **1. Initial report:** Submit your verbal or written report to your superior or the Group IT-manager.
- **2. Initial assessment:** We assess the severity of your incident. If possible, we'll try to resolve the matter without a formal investigation. If the superior or Group IT-manager does not proceed with a formal investigation, the reporting individual will be notified with the reasoning, in writing, within two weeks. We will also personally discuss potential threats or clarify any misunderstandings, if needed.

#### 3. In case of formal investigation:

- The superior or Group IT-manager outlines the investigation procedure and possible actions. Information regarding any external support or resources.
- The superior and/or Group IT-manager conducts a thorough investigation, interviewing relevant individuals and reviewing associated materials or data.
- We'll update you on the progress once we are absolutely certain about the outcome. We'll certainly keep you informed of any progress or delays, as necessary.

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Let's find a solution.

The **outcome** of the investigation will be communicated to all involved parties, either verbally or in writing.

- We'll sit down to **share** what we found and the next steps to take.
- We'll establish an **action plan** that outlines how we're going to fix things, the timeline, and any remedial measures we need to put in place.

# About this procedure

Let's stick to our procedure!

If someone chooses to disregard
the policy, we may need to take
appropriate action, e.g.:

- Formal warning
- Mandatory (corrective) training
- Termination of employment or contract
- Legal actions



Any questions? Please contact Group Management.



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