

# Fortify

Includes a comprehensive and tailored solution that is purpose-built for lower middle market PE firms to manage risk, preserve value, and protect against business-impacting incidents and ongoing management of your cybersecurity program.

## FUTURE PROOFING YOUR PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT

Portfolio companies that take a “do it yourself” approach to defend against the cybersecurity threat landscape, are taking on unnecessary risk. The industry statistics and the ever more aggressive focus on ransomware attacks only reinforce what’s at stake. According to the Cyber Readiness Institute, 67% of SMBs fail to survive a cyber breach, 56% of organizations suffered a security breach caused by a 3rd party with the average cost of a data breach exceeding \$4M.

At IT Ally, we help future proof your portfolio company investments and preserve their value. Based on extensive experience partnering with lower middle market private equity firms and our risk advisory expertise, we have created the Fortify solution to to eliminate business impacting risk. We partner with leadership teams and investors to manage risk with confidence and free up internal resources to focus on serving customers and driving growth and innovation.



## SOLUTION COMPONENTS

**Our Fortify solution includes a bundled set of capabilities delivered as a managed service that spans advisory and management to network and security operations. The combination of the strategic advisory from IT Ally and the operational expertise from our proven partners , provides an unmatched end to end solution to proactively manage risk and preserve value.**

### CYBER ALLY SERVICES

- ^ Professional Cybersecurity Oversight & Management
- ^ Cybersecurity Program Monitoring, Maintenance, Improvement
- ^ Validate Controls with Evidence
- ^ Security Operations Performance Monitoring and Maintenance
- ^ Compliance Automation & Assurance
- ^ Tech Debt 2.0® Assessment
- ^ Risk Management
- ^ Fractional Chief Information Security Officer

### SECURITY OPERATIONS CENTER

- ^ Next-Generation Firewall
- ^ Email Security
- ^ Security and Phishing Training
- ^ Vulnerability Scanning
- ^ Patch Management
- ^ Malware Prevention
- ^ Endpoint Encryption
- ^ Endpoint Next-Generation Firewall (NGFW)
- ^ Endpoint Detection & Response (EDR)
- ^ Log Analysis (SIEM)
- ^ Dark Web Monitoring

### NETWORK OPERATIONS CENTER

- ^ Azure & 356 Cloud Management
- ^ Server Management Development
- ^ Network Management
- ^ Storage Management
- ^ Backup Management
- ^ Infrastructure Application Management
- ^ Active Directory Management

## IMPORTANT SMB CYBERSECURITY STATISTICS

- ^ 30% of small businesses view phishing as their biggest cyber threat
- ^ 83% of small and medium-sized businesses are not prepared to recover from the financial of a cyber attack

- ^ 1% of small businesses haven't purchased cyber liability insurance, despite awareness of risk and the likelihood that they would be unable to recover from an attack

- ^ Only 14% of small businesses consider their cybersecurity posture as highly effective

