



Caduceus Security Group

Cyber Readiness · Investigative Reconstruction · Advisory

Partner Brief: Managed Service Providers

Opening Frame

Caduceus Security Group operates where MSP scope ends. We do not replace monitoring, management, or response. We ensure environments can be reconstructed and defended under scrutiny.

The Operational Reality

Managed Service Providers are the operational backbone of most client environments—ensuring stability, visibility, and continuous response.

- uptime
- monitoring
- alerting
- response

They answer: What is happening now?

They do not answer: Can we prove what happened?

Clear Boundary of Responsibility

MSP: Visibility · Management · Response

CSG: Reconstruction · Validation · Defensibility

You manage environments. We ensure they can be proven under scrutiny.

Three MSP Profiles — One Consistent Gap

CSG's model applies across all MSP types:

- **Operations-First:** CSG validates telemetry supports defensible timelines.
- **Security-Enhanced:** CSG reconstructs across identity, SaaS, and cloud.
- **Compliance-Driven:** CSG validates evidence holds under scrutiny.

Regardless of profile, environments built to run well can still be non-defensible under investigation.

The Shared Risk

If a breach occurs, the question becomes whether events can be clearly demonstrated. If not, timelines break, attribution weakens, and liability increases.

When the Trusted Pathway Fails

When provider access is involved, telemetry cannot be treated as neutral without validation. CSG ensures defensible clarity without shifting burden onto the MSP.

How CSG Engages

- **Readiness Validation:** Joint assessment with MSP and client.
- **Architecture Alignment:** Enhances visibility without disruption.
- **Reconstruction Support:** Escalation partner during incidents.

Value to MSPs

- **Reduced Liability:** Evidence stands under scrutiny.
- **Stronger Trust:** Clear answers replace uncertainty.
- **Escalation Path:** Specialized support when needed.
- **Prevents Exposure:** Avoids defending unknowns.

Partnership in Practice

CSG operates alongside MSPs. MSPs retain control while CSG provides reconstruction capability. Engagements include co-engagement, referrals, and joint briefings.

Closing

We do not compete with MSPs. We ensure their work can be defended when it matters most.

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