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.... -.- -.- .-. .-. ... : Hackers Spotted Using Morse Code

An evasive year-long social engineering campaign wherein the operators kept changing their obfuscation and encryption mechanisms, including relying on [Morse code](#).

HEALTHCARE: IMPROPER ACCESS OF CONTACT TRACING INFORMATION

The [Indiana Department of Health](#) notified nearly 750,000 individuals of a data theft incident from the state's COVID-19 online contact tracing survey due to a security misconfiguration.

TELECOM: T-Mobile's 5th Data Breach in 3 Years - 40M Affected

Continued investigation of the [T-Mobile breach](#) revealed that over 40 million records of former or prospective customers were stolen, along with the personal data of about 7.8 million current postpaid customers.

HEALTHCARE: Health System Crippled by Ransomware

Patient care services at [Memorial Health System](#) were disrupted owing to a ransomware attack by the Hive group. Clinical and financial operations also suffered.

FINANCE: Bank Leaked Customer Info via Website and Mobile App Bug

The presence of a technical bug on the banking website and mobile application of [Chase Bank](#) laid bare sensitive information of some customers.

RANSOMWARE: Perspectives in Healthcare Security Report

Approximately [48% of U.S. hospitals](#) have had to disconnect their networks to mitigate a breach in the past six months because of ransomware infections, as per a study by Philips and CyberMDX.

RANSOMWARE: 'It's in everyone's interest to get this under control'

On Last Week Tonight, [John Oliver](#) delved into the murky, increasingly common and destructive world of cyberattacks, particularly ransomware...

GOVERNMENT: Two Public Wastewater Plants Hit by Ransomware

The [Department of Environmental Protection, Maine](#), released an alert for municipalities and water-sector professionals, warning them after ransomware intrusions at two wastewater treatment plants.

From the Netswitch Blog

MDR and Its Significance in Digital Transformation

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