NSCS Information Security Standard 16: Incident Management

The NSCS has elected to implement College Incident Response Plans modeled after NIST Special Publication 800-61 Rev. 2 and Nebraska Information Technology Commission, NITC 8-802 Incident Response Plan to achieve consistency with the State of Nebraska and compliance with PCI-DSS. This incident response plan may be used in conjunction and cooperation with the State of Nebraska Incident Response Plan, NITC 8-802. In the case of a PCI compliance related incident, this plan will be used in coordination with the Nebraska State Treasurer and the Nebraska State Treasurer’s Incident Response Plan. Not every incident will require the actual involvement of the State CIO office, but incidents of significant impact may require the coordination of the State Information Security Officer.

Each College will maintain an Incident Response Plan which, minimally, identifies:

- The members and roles of the Incident Response Team
- Levels of incident severity
- Escalation and communication requirements
- Logging, documentation, and evidence handling requirements
- Incident identification, containment, remediation, eradication, and recovery processes
- Training and practice requirements

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