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With cyberattacks and incidents increasing throughout 2022, NJSIG wants to remind you of the minimum cyber security controls that you should currently have in place. The most attacked industry historically has been the education/research sector. These security measures not only help keep schools safe from cyber-attacks, but they will also help to lower cyber deductibles and make for a more sustainable cyber program in the long term.

Minimum cyber controls:

- 1. Multifactor authentication;
- Endpoint protection platform;
- 3. Information technology security awareness and training program; and,
- 4. System backups.

Click here for best practices and information on cyber security.

If you have any questions, please contact Anthony Fernandez, NJSIG's Cyber Advocate at afernandez@njsig.org.



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