

An Integrated Approach to Technology Risk Management and Compliance

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Foundations of Technology Risk Office

Key Business Drivers

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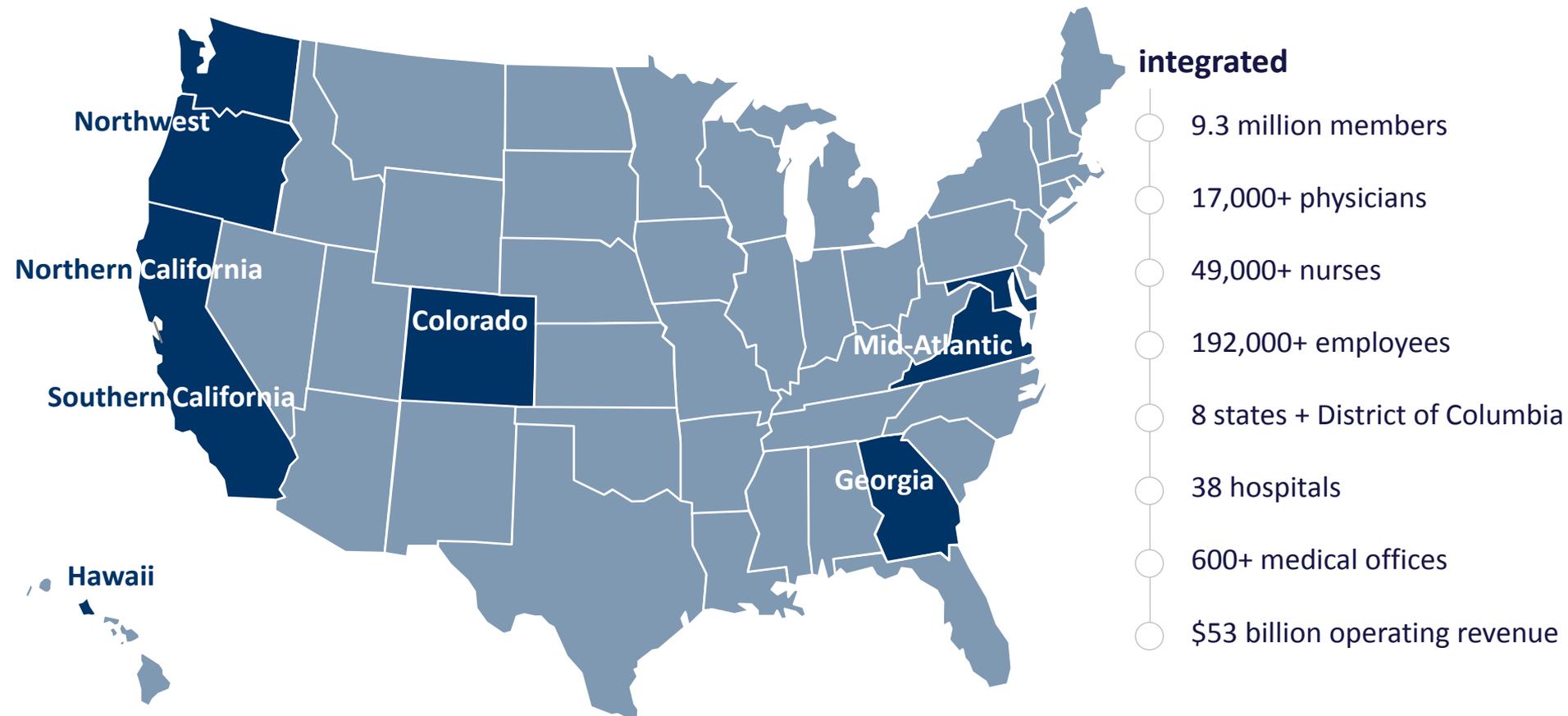
Integrating TRM and Compliance @ Kaiser Permanente

Value Proposition

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Kaiser Permanente



Nation's largest not-for-profit health plan

Scope includes ambulatory, inpatient, ACS, behavioral health, SNF, home health, hospice, pharmacy, imaging, laboratory, optical, dental, and insurance

Foundations of Technology Risk Office (TRO)

Organization Coordinating the IT Security Compliance Efforts (HIPAA, SOX, PCI)

- TRO
 - Cyber Security.
 - IT Compliance.
 - Technology Risk Management (TRM).
 - Other functions.
- TRM Focus
 - Technology risk and control framework.
 - Technology risk management standard.
 - Policies, standards, and guidance.
 - Technology control and risk assessment methods.
 - Technology risk portfolio management.

Key Business Drivers

What is Driving Technology Risk Management and Compliance?

- External
 - Regulatory requirements (specifically HIPAA Security, SOX, and PCI).
 - Electronic health record, bio med and mobile devices, and all things attached to the network (e.g., communications) providing new attack vectors.
 - Threat landscape has become more sophisticated.
 - Criminals have figured out how to monetize health care.
- Internal
 - Protection of member/patient and other sensitive data is a top priority.
 - An information security or data breach compromising the ability to provide member/patient care.
 - Business model complexity
 - Information security controls not standard across the company, nor yet mature.

What Could Go Wrong?

Consequences of an Information Security or Data Breach

- Member/patient care delivery and services compromised.
- Damage to member/patient confidence.
- Medicare / Medicaid fraud.
- Damage to reputation.
- Fines/penalties.
- Increased regulatory scrutiny.



Data Breach Cost Per Record

Cost of an Information Security or Data Breach

- *“Certain industries have higher data breach costs. Figure 4 reports the per capita* costs for the 2012 study by industry classification. Specifically, heavily regulated industries such as healthcare, communications, pharmaceuticals and financial services tend to have a per capita data breach cost substantially above the overall mean of \$188.”*

* **Per capita cost** is defined as the total cost of data breach divided by the size of the data breach in terms of the number of lost or stolen records.

Figure 4. Per capita cost by industry classification of benchmarked companies

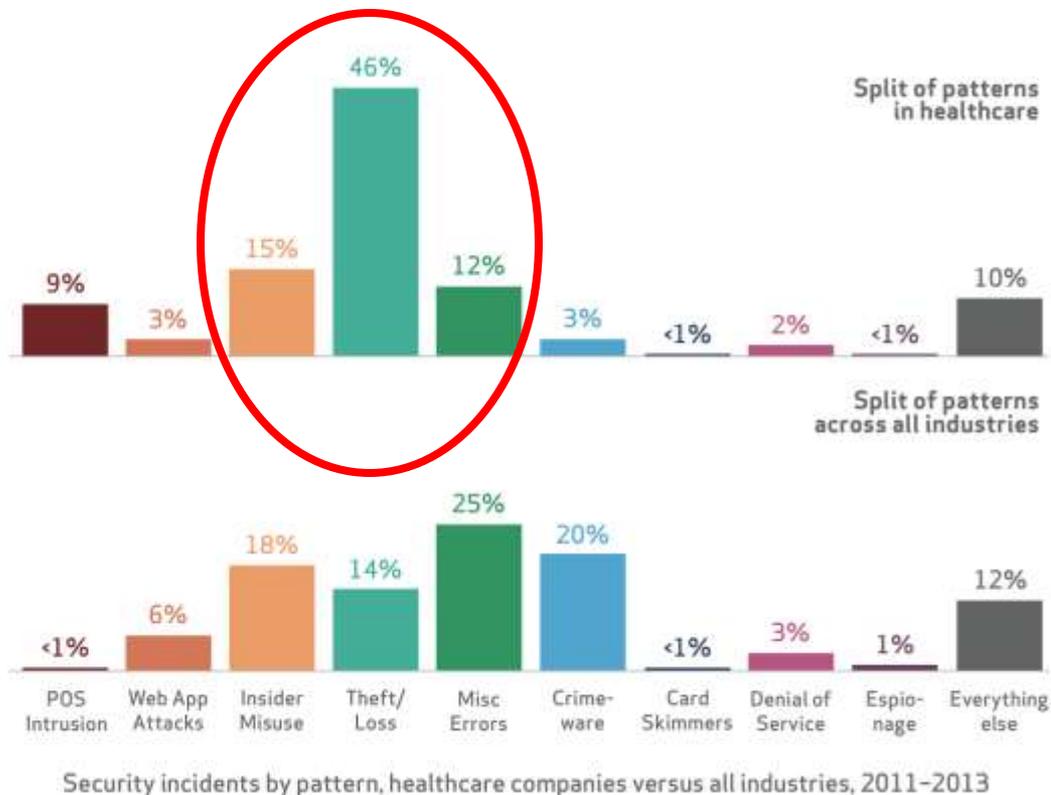


[2013 Cost of Data Breach Study: United States](#), Benchmark research sponsored by Symantec, Independently Conducted by Ponemon Institute LLC; May 2013

Data Breach Investigations Analysis



JUST THREE INCIDENT CLASSIFICATION PATTERNS COVER 73% OF SECURITY INCIDENTS IN HEALTHCARE.



2014 Verizon Vertical Insight - Data Breach Investigations Report HEALTHCARE

The Regulatory Compliance Challenge



Day in the Life

A Conversation With the Information Consumers

All of the change is just too much!

- **Competing priorities** – *protect the information while maintaining reasonable access*
 - We are a health care company.
 - Electronic protected health information (ePHI) is a vital component of our every-day jobs.



Day in the Life (cont'd)

A Conversation With the Information Consumers

- **Confusing landscape – *confusing direction***
 - Convoluted, technical and conflicting requirements (HIPAA, SOX, PCI).
 - Too many policies, procedures and rules to meaningfully understand them all.
 - Resources not able to spend time doing what they were hired to do.



Day in the Life (cont'd)

A Conversation With the Information Consumers

- **The Needs of the Information Consumers – *seem to have been forgotten***
 - Should be considered when proposing anything that may impact our access to the data.



Integrating Technology Risk Management and Compliance at KP (HIPAA/SOX/PCI)

- **What do we mean by integrated?**

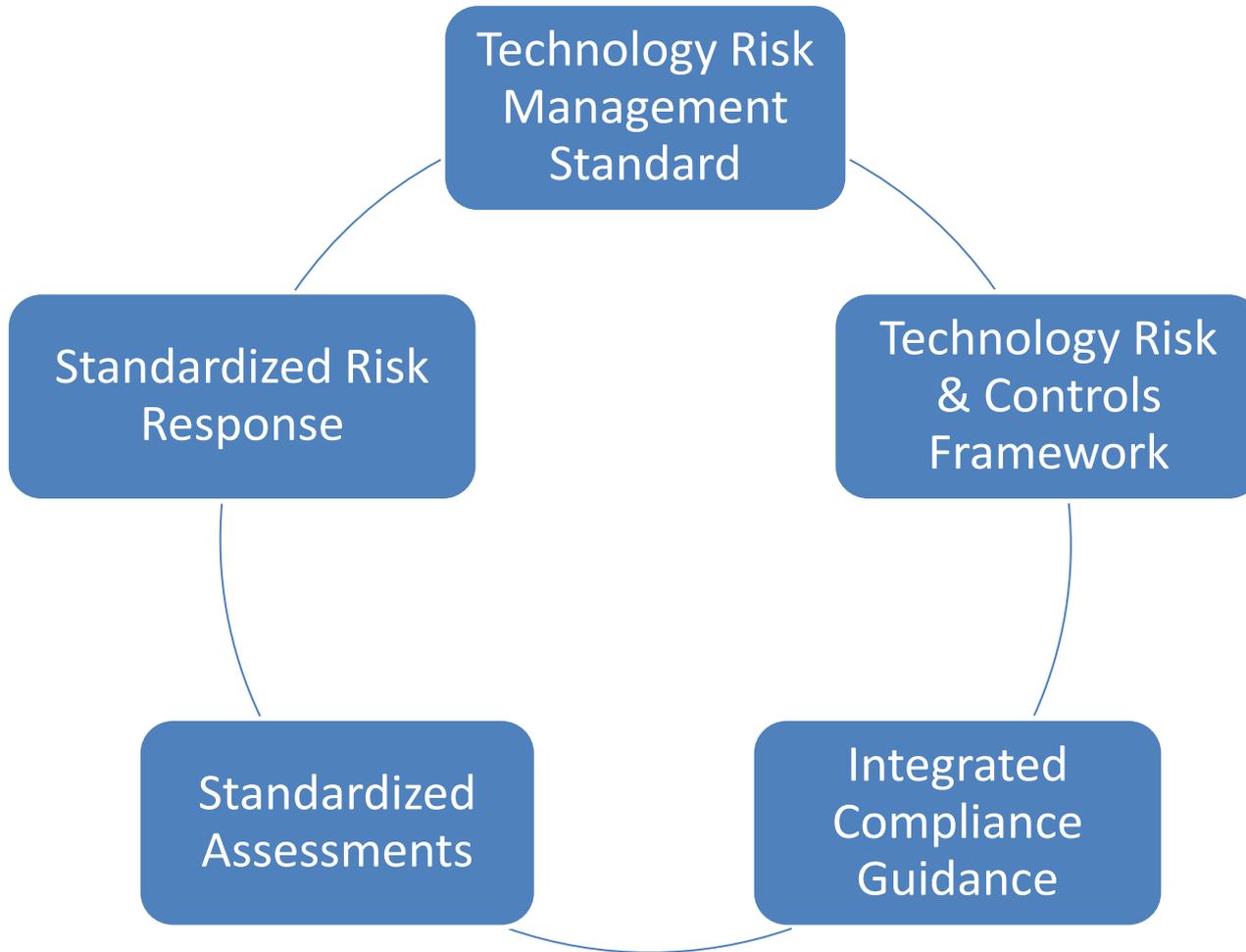
An approach that aligns the guidance and methods to address the three primary regulatory requirements into a cohesive framework and delivery model.

- **Why integrate?**

- Reduce redundancy, resource contention and compliance fatigue.
- Consistently align compliance requirements.
- Improve compliance results.
- Improve risk decision making.
- Reduce cost of technology risk management and compliance.

An Integrated Approach

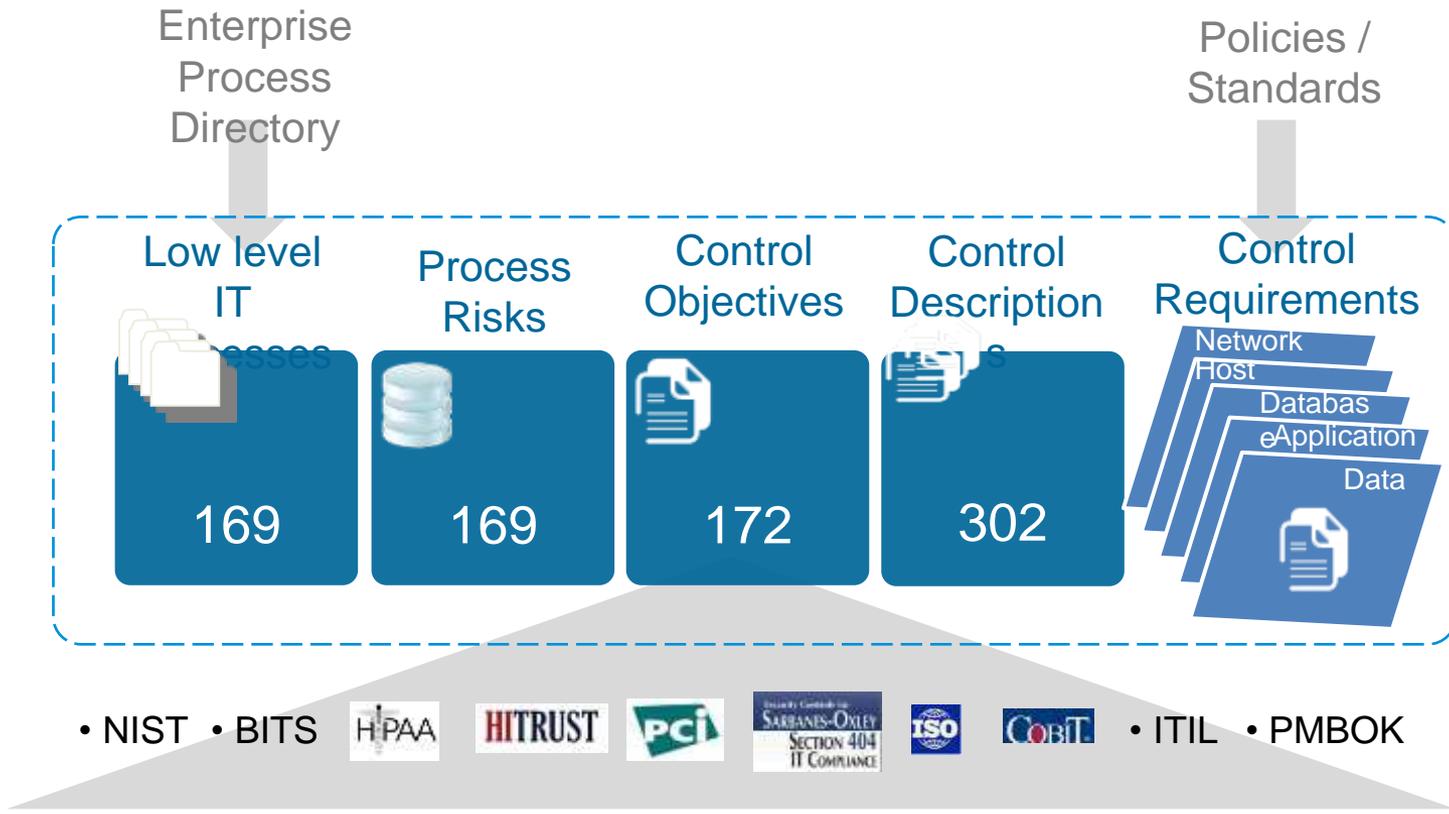
To Technology Risk Management and Compliance (HIPAA/SOX/PCI)



Technology Risks and Controls Framework

Technology Risks and Controls (TRC) Framework

A hierarchical catalog of KP technology processes, risks and controls.
 Reference architecture for risk aggregation, analysis and reporting.
 Aligned to KP policies, applicable laws, regulations, and leading industry practices.



Technology Risk Management Standard

The standard provides:

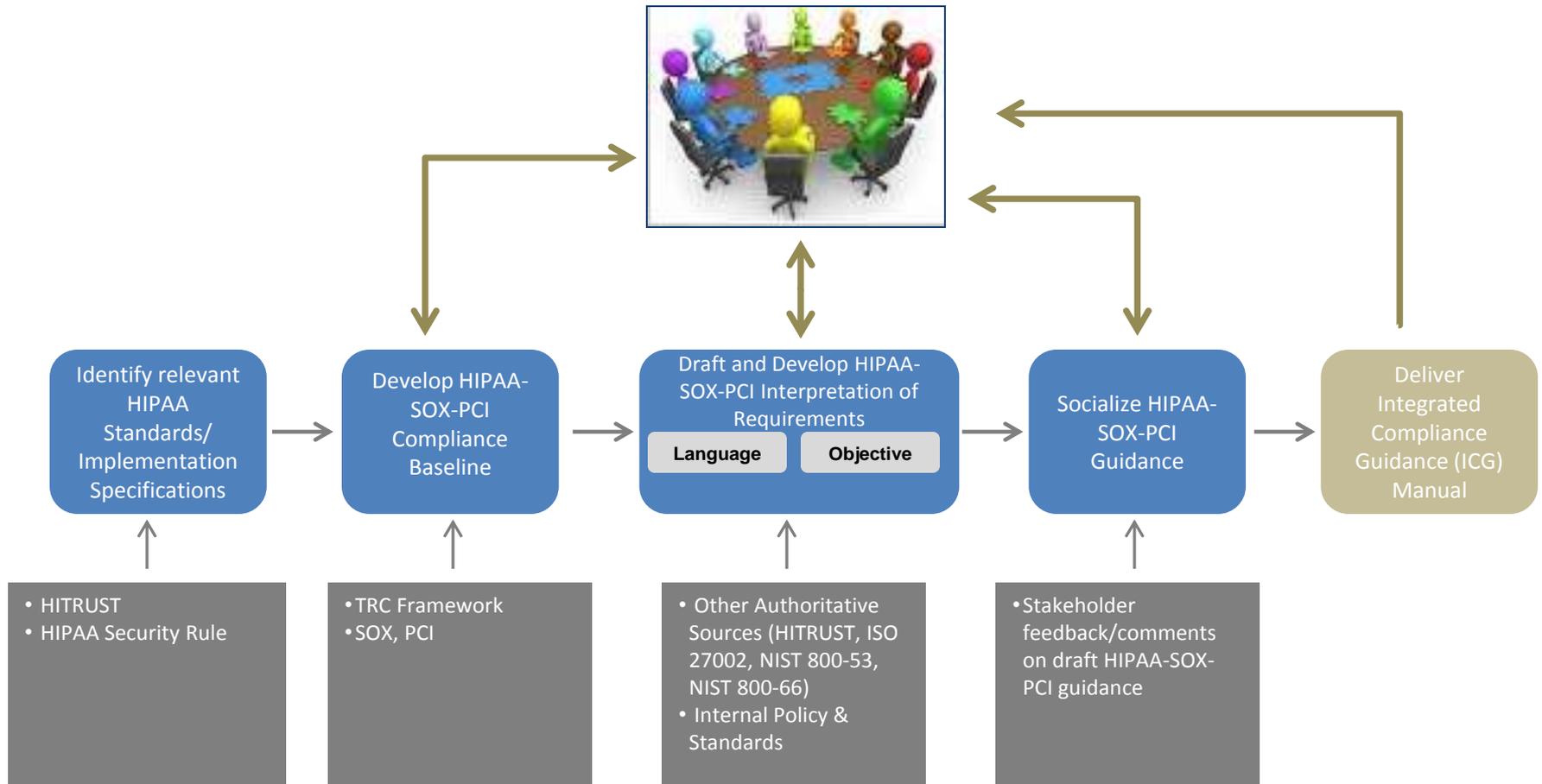
- *terminology related to the words used*
- *life cycle processes by which risk management is carried out*
- *organization structure and managing framework for risk management*
- *objective, scope and principles for risk management*



Integrated Compliance Guidance

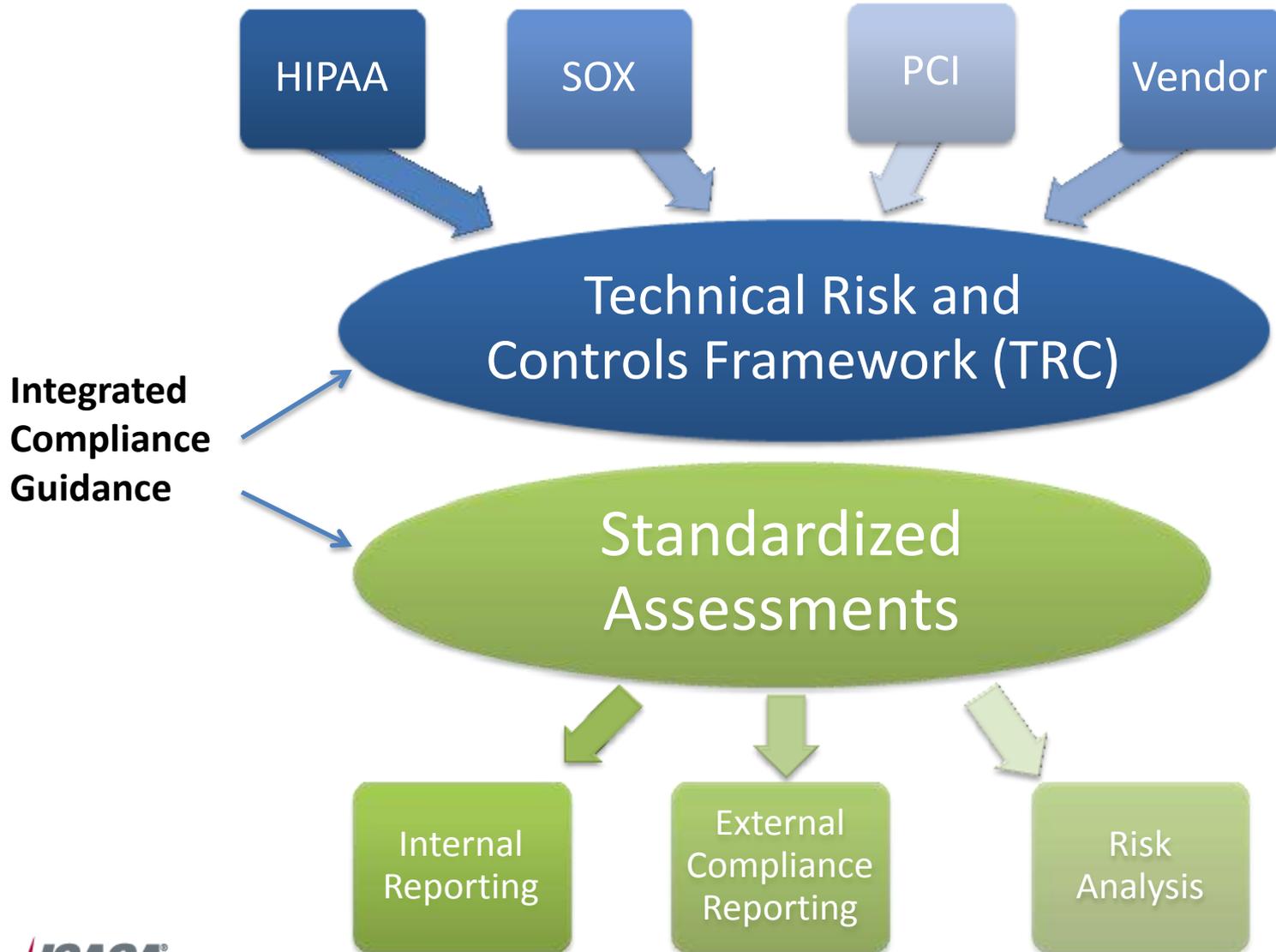
Multiple Inputs Evaluated to Create an Integrated Baseline in a Set of Compliance Manuals for HIPAA, SOX, and PCI

Collaborate with Stakeholders



Standardized Assessments

Test Once, Use Many



Standardized Risk Response

Risk Treatment

- **Risk Response**
 - Process, activities, and decisions for managing risk that has been assessed and classified.
- **Management chooses to remediate or pursue risk acceptance considering:**
 - Compliance goals.
 - Business goals.
 - Risk tolerance.

Value Proposition

By integrating Technology Risk Management and compliance we are delivering real value to the enterprise.

- Improved program integration and alignment.
- Decreased frustration.
- Improved visibility into the risk landscape.
- Decreased cost of technology risk management and compliance.

Lessons Learned

- Restructuring was required to incorporate in sustaining organizations.
- Program integration and alignment is a long-term proposition.
- It's challenging to change the engine on the plane while you're flying it.



Q&A

