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# Protective Security Requirements (PSR) Policy Framework:

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### **Appendix A: INFOSEC Supporting Frameworks and Resources**

#### INFOSEC Best practice security standards and frameworks

An information security management framework is the set of security approaches, standards, policies, and procedures adopted to manage and address the organisation's specific information security risks. Adopting frameworks help information security practitioners to keep their organisation compliant and resilient to information and cyber security threats.

The table below provides examples of New Zealand and international best practice information security frameworks and standards.

Framework	Purpose	Best suited for
NCSC Cyber security framework	Interrelated cyber security functions and outcomes to mitigate cyber security risks	All New Zealand organisations
New Zealand Information Security Manual	Details processes and controls essential for the protection of New Zealand Government information and systems	New Zealand Government organisations  Also: Crown entities, local government, and private sector.
NCSC Information Security Guidance	Guidance on practices to use to manage specific information security scenarios	All New Zealand organisations
New Zealand Government Information Security Classification System	New Zealand Government classification system for classifying information and managing information security risks	New Zealand Government organisations who handle information requiring security
Health information security framework (HISO)	Protection for health information (personally identifiable health information)	New Zealand health sector organisations and practitioners
Privacy Commissioner requirements	Requirements for ensuring compliance with New Zealand's Privacy Act	New Zealand organisations
Archives NZ <u>Information and</u> <u>Records Management Standard</u>	Requirements for managing information and records in the New Zealand Government	New Zealand Government organisations
GCDO standards and guidance Risk management advice and resources Risk assessment for public cloud services	New Zealand Government information risk management guidance	New Zealand Government organisations
NIST Cybersecurity framework	Comprehensive identification of security controls	Any organisation.

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Framework	Purpose	Best suited for
ISO 27001	Build and maintain an information security management system for information security, cybersecurity, and privacy protection	Anyone who handles sensitive information
PCI DSS	Protection of payment data	Anyone handling credit card information