

Medium Enterprise Professional Services Company

Introduction

This case study of a medium enterprise professional services company is based on a June 2021 survey of Prevalent customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service. The profiled company asked to have their name blinded to protect their confidentiality.



“Prevalent has helped us mature and streamline our vendor risk management. ”

Challenges

Their primary vendor risk assessment pain points were:

- Too much time spent scouring through disconnected sources of information to make good risk-based vendor selection decisions
- Lack of visibility into the baseline risks with a new vendor
- Complex, manual assessment processes (e.g., using spreadsheets)
- No real-time insight into vendor cyber, reputational, and/or financial risks

Estimated time spent on vendor sourcing and selection:

- Before Prevalent: 1 day+
- Since Prevalent: 2-4 hours

Estimated time spent on vendor intake and onboarding:

- Before Prevalent: 1 week+
- Since Prevalent: 1 day+

Use Case

Currently assessing their vendors for the following:

- Business Resilience
- Cybersecurity
- Data Privacy
- Reputation

Results

Prevalent's level of importance on the following vendor lifecycle stages:

- Very important for sourcing and selection of vendors
- Essential for scoring inherent risks
- Critical for assessing vendors and remediating risks
- Essential for continuously monitoring for vendor cybersecurity, reputational and financial risks
- Very important for managing ongoing vendor performance and SLAs
- Important for offboarding and termination of vendors

Agrees with Prevalent's abilities and results:

- Prevalent allows us to do our job more effectively
- Prevalent's vendor risk assessment process is invaluable to our group
- Prevalent reduced the time and complexity required to perform vendor risk assessments
- They have realized major cost savings with Prevalent's vendor risk management process
- Prevalent provides the inherent risk visibility they need to focus on specific areas of their vendors' risks
- Prevalent provides the real-time cybersecurity, reputational and financial intelligence they need
- Prevalent provides the inherent risk visibility they need to focus on specific areas of their vendors' risks
- Prevalent provides a programmatic process to offboard vendors that reduces risk

Company Profile

The company featured in this case study asked to have its name publicly blinded because publicly endorsing vendors is against their policies.

TechValidate stands behind the authenticity of this data.

Company Size:
Medium Enterprise

Industry:
Professional Services

About Prevalent

Prevalent is helping global organizations manage and monitor the security threats and risks associated with third and fourth-party vendors.

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