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# WHAT SECURITY TEAMS WANT FROM MDR PROVIDERS

IT organizations shouldn't be fooled by the name: Managed detection and response (MDR) providers are delivering much more than basic detection and response. With no end in sight for the cybersecurity skills shortage, MDR services can bring immediate expert resources online to help security teams gain control and set themselves up for future security program success. TechTarget's Enterprise Strategy Group recently surveyed cybersecurity professionals in order to better understand these trends.

Notable findings from this study include:

57%
of organizations believe service providers **can do a better job than they can with security operations.**
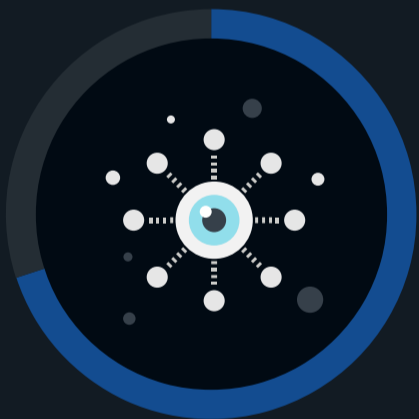
70%
of organizations depend on their MDR provider for advanced threat detection.

37%
of organizations say MDR investments are critical to SOC modernization program development.
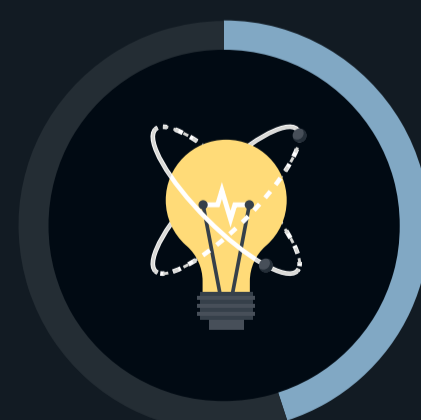
77%
of organizations consider their MDR provider a strategic operating partner that has helped to improve their security program.

42%
of organizations say leveraging an MDR provider has reduced the number of successful cyber-attacks.

50%
of organizations say their MDR provider has helped to improve the security skills of their internal resources.

45%
of organizations say leveraging an MDR provider has allowed them to invest in more strategic security initiatives.

For more from this Enterprise Strategy Group study, read the full research report, *What Security Teams Want from MDR Providers.*

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