

# Operationalizing Collaborative Defense

## Preparing for Large-Scale Attacks

Modern security executives understand that **responding to advanced cyber attacks is no longer about just defending their organizations**. Rather, their organizations are part of a complex ecosystem of systems (home-grown, service provider, partner, customer, etc.) with distributed defensive responsibilities that are all impacted when one is attacked. Effectively responding to community-level attacks requires coordination across that ecosystem, coordination that begins with practice. Bridging the public and private sectors, the ACSC is a unique Massachusetts-based regional collaborative that builds and supports multidisciplinary networks, combining federal and state officials with our cross-sector membership of security and business executives to forge trusted relationships before they become critical during an incident.





# Building Leadership Coalitions for Enhanced Cybersecurity & Incident Response



## Exercise Readiness

