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On behalf of New York State's Cyber Security Advisory Board, Empire State Development, New York State Department of Labor, we would like to invite you to a New York State Cyber Security Roundtable focused on the healthcare industry.

This meeting, to be held in the Zebro Room of the Roswell Park Cancer Institute in Buffalo, NY on August 5, 2015 from 10:30am to 12:30pm, is one of a series of conversations we will be holding with key stakeholders in New York looking for innovative ways to make all of New York more resilient in the face of increasing risks to our cyber infrastructure.

As you are well aware, cyber attacks and insider breaches pose an increasing risk to our economy and our way of life. It is essential that we work together to protect the information systems that all of us in New York State—from organizations of all shapes and sizes to individual citizens—depend on to secure our personal information and livelihood.

Each of our roundtables will target a specific segment of New York's diverse economy. For this roundtable, we are inviting representatives from the healthcare industry to join us, as you are a critical partner in protecting the state and a vital part of the economy here in Western New York.

Your ideas will inform New York State government's cyber security programs and policies, help improve our security and enable our institutions to be more resilient. We hope this roundtable will also encourage collaborations between you, academia, and government.

To register, please RSVP to this invitation by clicking going to our Eventbrite page at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/new-york-state-healthcare-cyber-security-roundtable-tickets-17713521620>. Please let us know how many from your organization you expect to attend. Registration will be capped at 50 participants, and in the event of an overflow, please add your name to the waitlist, as we will have a second roundtable at 2:00pm if there is sufficient interest. Attached to this invite are pre-meeting questions for your consideration.

We hope you can join us for this important conversation.

Sincerely,

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Pre-meeting questions for your consideration:

Q1. What are the biggest challenges your organization faces in cyber security? What keeps you awake at night?

Q2. What can New York State do to help deter the act of hacking health related data?

Q3. What state-wide incentives can we put in place to help secure health data in terms of training, equipment, standards or consortium best practices?

Q4. Are you aware of any college or university program that can help build the secure infrastructure that fits your needs and/or train the cyber security personnel you seek? If not, what would you like to see created to fit your needs?

Q5. Are there adequate safeguards in place to ensure that diagnostic equipment and other medical devices are protected from outside intruders? Again, is there something that New York State can do to help protect these devices?

Q6. Does the medical community share knowledge of threats and attacks? Is there any additional information that would help you better protect your systems? How can New York help facilitate the sharing of knowledge and a culture of cyber security among healthcare employees?

Q7. Are you aware of the NH-ISAC, the nation's Healthcare and Public Health Information Sharing and Analysis Center? If so, have you found it helpful?