The State of Minnesota partners with GovRAMP

The State of Minnesota is a participating government in GovRAMP, reinforcing its commitment to strengthening digital infrastructure and safeguarding sensitive information. As part of this initiative, all contracts involving cloud and hosted service providers that handle high-categorized data–defined by the State–will require a verified GovRAMP status.

All cloud-based vendors handling high-categorized data–both new and existing–must be GovRAMP Authorized by **April 1, 2027**.

- Visit the Minnesota IT Services website for the state's security policies and standards.
- Visit the State of Minnesota program page on GovRAMP's website for an overview of GovRAMP, resources, training, and information about the program.
- *Note: The state will recognize a vendor's FedRAMP Authorization in lieu of separate GovRAMP Authorization. However, the vendor must enroll in GovRAMP's continuous monitoring program to provide the state with access to ongoing security reports and audit data. This is necessary because FedRAMP continuous monitoring materials are available only to federal entities and not accessible to state agencies.*

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Join the GovRAMP Program Management Office (PMO) Office Hours for a live, virtual session from 1:30 to 2 p.m. CST on the first Wednesday of every month. Whether you are navigating the authorization process, preparing for assessments, or seeking clarity on GovRAMP requirements, these 30-minute sessions are an opportunity to connect directly with GovRAMP staff. More information is available on GovRAMP's event page.