# CDW and ISO 28000:

Security across the Supply Chain



For expanding workloads and mission-critical operations, safe, secure technology stands at the core of every organization. But security does not start with product deployment; it is an ongoing consideration that spans every stage from manufacturing to final delivery. And it is a critical consideration that CDW takes very seriously.

Security lapses such as counterfeit equipment, data breaches and information loss can result in massive fines, lawsuits and damaged reputations. With so much at stake, a higher level of industry security is a global necessity. That is why the international standards organization established ISO 28000 — and why CDW's certification in this standard is so crucial for every customer.

## CDW AND ISO 28000: Governance in the Security Space

### What is ISO 28000?

ISO 28000 is the international standard to address end-to-end supply chain risks, with exacting guidelines, requirements, recommendations and best practices designed to protect a company's employees, processes, assets, products and solutions throughout the supply chain.

## **ELEVATING CONFIDENCE IN AN INSECURE WORLD**

### ISO 28000: A Standard for End-to-End Protection

The standard goes beyond guidelines for safeguarding a product's manufacturing. ISO 28000 enables plans, objectives, procedures, responsibilities and resources that harden security across the CDW supply chain by:

- Enforcing well-defined policies, processes and procedures that support workers, customers and partners.
- Identifying potential threats at every stage of the supply chain ,ensures security from purchase through configuration and delivery.
- Managing risk and its consequences, which minimizes disruptions to our operations and our customers.
- Facilitating the measurement, analysis, and improvement of supply chain processes, solutions, products and customer satisfaction.

### **Commitment: Proving Security Excellence**

Companies cannot merely assert adherence to security procedures; ISO 28000 demands tangible proof. CDW's participation underscores our dedication to safeguarding our offerings, demonstrating a steadfast commitment to implementing consistent and effective development and supply chain security practices throughout the entire product lifecycle.

In addition, CDW processes and vendor relationships ensure a constant, reliable supply of secure products and services to maintain business continuity and prevent operational disruptions.

## **GET STARTED, STAY PROTECTED**

Engage your account team to discuss ISO 28000 and secure supply chain.

