# CDW SERVICES:

MICROSOFT AZURE - SQL MIGRATION WORKSHOP



### MODERNIZE YOUR SQL ENVIRONMENT WITH AZURE

Over the years, organizations have deployed on-premises SQL Server for a wide variety of needs. Many of these deployments become increasingly complex over time, often are business critical, and are typically resource intensive. Organizations are looking for options for their next-generation data requirements. Microsoft has created additional options for those data requirements by utilizing Microsoft Azure. You now have the option of using traditional Microsoft SQL servers in Azure Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS), Azure SQL Database in Azure Platform as a Service (PaaS), or Microsoft's new Azure SQL Database Managed Instance. During the Microsoft Azure – SQL Migration Workshop, CDW will assist you reviewing your current on-premises SQL infrastructure and plan a logical migration strategy to a next-generation SQL infrastructure.

#### WHAT CAN CDW DO FOR ME?

The Microsoft Azure – SQL Migration Workshop will provide:

- Current SQL environment data collection (MAP Toolkit, Azure Data Migration Assistant)
- · Current SQL environment review
- Azure SQL options overview (Lift and shift/parallel migration [IaaS], SQL Server Managed Instance, SQL Database in Azure [PaaS])
- · SQL migration planning

CDW will help the customer to:

- · Assess their current SQL infrastructure and establish system baselines.
- · Obtain documented objective review of environment.
- $\cdot \;\;$  Prepare for system change upgrade, migration, etc.
- · Create a SQL migration strategy.
- $\cdot \,$  Understand how to be in control of their Azure environment utilizing proper SQL best practices.

# THE BENEFITS

- · CDW consultants are experienced in assisting in designing and building Azure environments.
- · Gain knowledge and insight about the best use of SQL in Azure according to your business goals and requirements.
- $\cdot$  Learn how other customers are using SQL in Azure to be more agile.

### WHY CDW?

CDW is uniquely qualified to design IT solutions that remove complexity and unnecessary costs from your organization. Our experts become part of your team, providing the support you need, when and where you need it.

We can help you navigate Microsoft's robust array of solution offerings, including Azure. CDW is an end-to-end provider of cloud applications, solutions and services in public, private and hybrid cloud environments. Based on your business demands, we can help you plan, deliver and manage a flexible cloud solution tailored to your needs. We offer best-ofbreed providers, risk mitigation strategies and dedicated, personalized expertise to deliver economic and operational benefits.

We get Microsoft Azure. And we can share our knowledge with you, so your organization can spend less time managing software and more time putting it to work.

# **Next Steps**

To learn more about CDW's Microsoft Azure – SQL Migration Workshop, contact your CDW account manager or call 800.800.4239.

