

# Pre-HITRUST CSF certification services

Prepare your organization for successful certification

As one of the original HITRUST CSF Assessor firms, Coalfire is uniquely positioned to provide guidance and insights gleaned from years of interaction with HITRUST and organizations that have undergone HITRUST CSF certification. Before beginning your journey to certification, you'll need answers to questions regarding timelines, processes, and requirements. Through our pre-certification services, we help you fully understand, and gain clarity into, the HITRUST CSF lifecycle so you can reduce time, costs, and resources and prepare your organization for success.

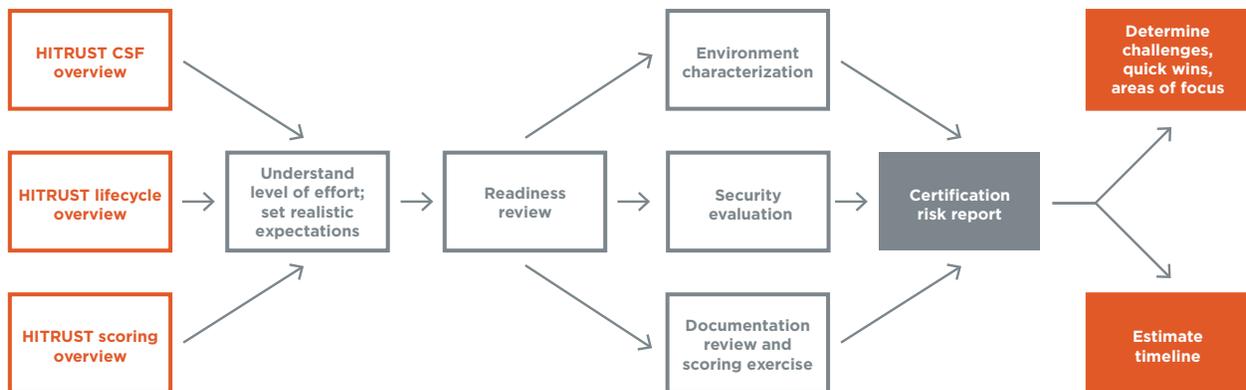
## HITRUST CSF WORKSHOP

Coalfire's two-day, onsite workshop serves as an introduction to the HITRUST framework, the HITRUST CSF Assurance Program lifecycle, HITRUST CSF maturity levels, HITRUST CSF scoring methodologies, and our processes for performing a validated assessment. We learn about your in-scope environment, identify risks to certification, and assess your readiness for performing a validated assessment. The workshop offers a realistic

assessment of the level of effort, risks, and timelines for achieving HITRUST CSF certification and allows you to make staffing decisions, divert resources, and provide a realistic timeline to your executive management team.

Figure 1 shows how our HITRUST CSF workshop delivers the tools and knowledge required to successfully achieve certification.

Figure 1: HITRUST CSF workshop activities and deliverables



### HITRUST CSF FASTTRACK TOOLKIT

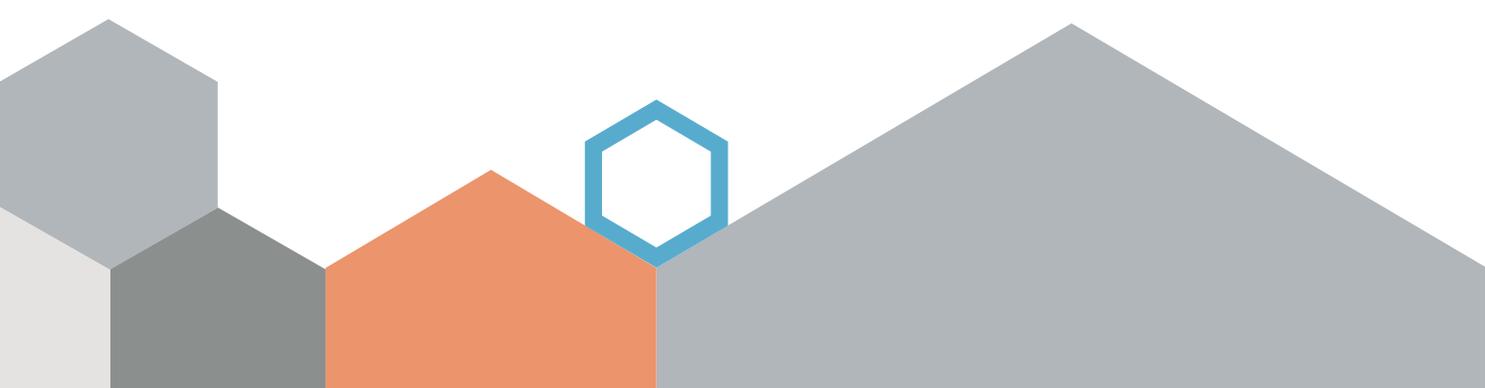
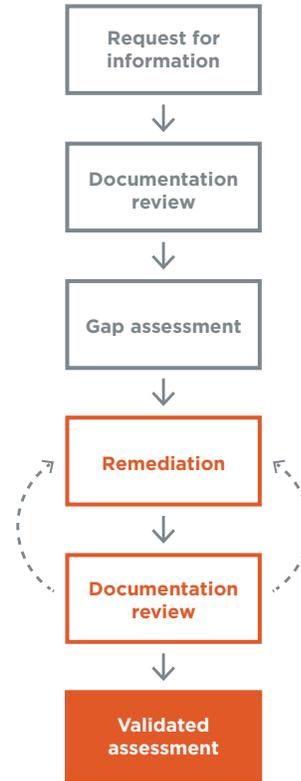
Having the right policies in place before starting down the path of HITRUST CSF certification will save you a lot of time in the long run. The FastTrack Toolkit contains all policies required to achieve compliance for in-scope policy requirements and includes advisory support for customization.

### HITRUST CSF GAP ASSESSMENT

HITRUST enforces a rigorous standard for policy and process documentation. Unlike other security frameworks, HITRUST CSF requires documentation with unique specificity for all in-scope elements. Organizations that are not aligned to the HITRUST CSF often have difficulty understanding and meeting these requirements. Through our gap assessment, we identify deficiencies in documentation and provide recommendations for aligning policies and processes to HITRUST CSF standards. Once the HITRUST CSF validated assessment begins, remediation is not allowed, so a gap assessment lets you identify documentation gaps and remediate them ahead of time.

Figure 2 shows how a gap assessment can help ensure a successful HITRUST validated assessment.

**Figure 2:** Value of a gap assessment



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