



Top Threats to the Home

Think your home is not important enough to fall victim to a cyber attack? Think again! Anyone can be targeted, no matter their income level, neighborhood, or job title.

As more smart devices are brought into our homes, the following steps will help protect the home network and devices against the top cyber attack threats:

Change the name of your home WiFi network



Change the WiFi network password to a new, unique, strong password



Set up guest accounts on your WiFi with temporary passwords



Ensure that your password makes sense to you and your family, but not to people outside the family



Be willing to adapt and adjust to new technology



Treat your digital devices and home network like you do your wallet. Just as you don't want thieves gaining access to your credit cards or identity information, you don't want cyber attackers gaining access to your devices and network. Don't fear technology—embrace it, protect it, and be smart about it!