

## Software development house saves days of admin with security that's flexible

### Background:

The client, is a fast-growing software development agency. At the time they had recently offered their portfolio of clients a security test. However they had been overwhelmed by the take-up, because their pen-testing provider required each test be scoped and authorised individually. As a result, the CIO found herself bogged down in hours of paperwork each week just to keep up with demand. OnSecurity were invited to resolve the situation.

### Our approach:

Using our online portal the CIO could manage testing of all her clients' projects in one place. A single, upfront authorisation solved the problem of having to repeat time-consuming paperwork for each individual test. Now the CIO could book and authorise a new test in seconds, not hours.

At the same time, hours of developers time was saved with the real-time reporting feature of the portal. Instead of waiting weeks for test results, developers could view issues as we found them. This allowed them to fix issues and schedule re-tests as we went along. Ultimately reducing product shipping times.

The client's developers also appreciated the ability to begin a test at short notice, or to reschedule without costly penalties. This provided a level of flexibility that fit with their agile development sprints.

### Outcome:

With no phone calls, faxes or scanning of signatures to deal with, the CIO estimated OnSecurity was saving her at least two weeks of admin over the course of a year.

The client was pleased with the new level of flexibility we could provide and OnSecurity were retained to provide a more 'little and often' approach to testing during the development cycle.

## Key benefits

- Upfront authorisation reduces admin when booking new tests.
- No cancellation fees means tests can be scheduled flexibly.
- Instant scheduling means new targets can be tested at short notice.

## About OnSecurity

OnSecurity ditches the overhead of traditional penetration testing firms with a simple online interface.

This puts the client back in the driving seat allowing them to schedule tests as and when they need them.

Now you can work flexibly with a CREST certified provider for a fraction of the usual cost.



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