

# Ransomware

We know data breaches. Since 2009 Beazley has managed over 5,000 data breaches across a variety of industries and causes, including ransomware. In 2016 ransomware attacks reported to Beazley more than quadrupled.

With thousands of ransomware attacks occurring on a daily basis, ransomware is a threat facing all organizations across all industries. Beazley's dedicated in-house team, Beazley Breach Response (BBR) Services, provides timely ransomware assistance to BBR policyholders based on our repeated and extensive experience handling ransomware incidents.

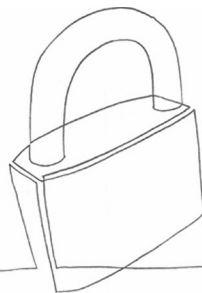
BBR Services has developed a ransomware tip sheet, Ransomware: Best Practices for Prevention and Response, for BBR policyholders that explains the ransomware threat and the immediate steps companies facing this threat should take. This tip sheet can help your organization minimize the impact of a ransomware attack and speed up the recovery time following an attack.

You can download the tip sheet from our policyholder risk management website, [beazleybreachsolutions.com](http://beazleybreachsolutions.com), or you can email [bbrservices@beazley.com](mailto:bbrservices@beazley.com) to request a copy.

## Cyber extortion and ransomware response services

If your organization is experiencing a ransomware attack, BBR Services assists by:

- Promptly consulting with your team to determine an appropriate response;
- Recommending and facilitating a fast connection with computer forensic services to determine if personally identifiable information or protected health information was compromised; and/or
- Facilitating introductions to service providers who can help you with data decryption, data restoration, or securing bitcoin if your organization decides to pay the ransom.



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