Computing Virus and Malware Landing Page

Overview

Malware (malicious software) and viruses can hold your data hostage (ransomware), silently steal your information, or use your compromised computer as a foothold to attack others. Installing protective software, such as Sophos anti-virus and Crowdstrike Falcon endpoint protection can help detect and prevent malware before it spreads.

- For more information on how to classify and secure your data, see Information Protection @ MIT.

How to

Set up Crowdstrike

- Obtain Crowdstrike Falcon
- CrowdStrike Falcon - Installation Instructions

Set up Sophos Anti-virus Protection

- Obtain Sophos
- Sophos Links

FAQ's

- Can I run two virus protection software applications on my machine? Won't this be safer?

Have Questions or Still Need Help?

- Contact the IS&T Service Desk