# Migration to a Secure Cloud for Defense is Here





Don't get caught with a non-secure cloud environment. The DoD's migration to cloud puts security at the forefront. In support of your agency's mission, Cisco has achieved DoD Impact Level 5 (IL 5) to bring a secure, cloud-hosted collaboration solution to market. It's called the Hosted Collaboration Solution for Defense (HCS-D).

As an authorized partner of Cisco HCS-D, Red River is equipped with the tools to enable and deploy a secure cloud solution for your organization.

HCS-D has been designed and built to scale rapidly, speed up deployment and operate efficiently. This solution features automatic updating for applications and security. This frees DoD IT resources to focus on more critical missions by reducing costs related to moving, adding and provisioning users and capabilities. And it simplifies the process as personnel rotate through assignment locations.

### BENEFITS OF A SECURE DoD CLOUD

#### **Secure Collaboration**

Enable security through FIPS 140-2 end-to-end encryption and DoD Impact Level 5 authorization, while keeping all data hosted by Cisco within the U.S.

## **Simplified Operations**

Deploy feature-rich, subscription-based services that scale with your needs, delivered from the cloud.

## **Increased Agility**

Enhance interoperability among systems while streamlining your budget through OpEx funding.

### **Empowered Missions**

Collaborate to get the mission done, from instant messaging to full videoconferencing.

# SECURE COMMUNICATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Key features of HCS-D include:

- HCS-D has modern collaboration capabilities delivered securly via cloud
- It is rapidly deployable, scalable and efficient
- HCS-D is built specifically for the Department of Defense
- HCS-D is platform-centric
- And interoperable with existing on-premise collaboration solutions
- Customers will gain instant expertise with services for DoD: 24/7 NOC/SOC operations to manage and maintain HCS-D
- It comes with the benefit of technical support and problem management from Cisco engineers with HCS-D expertise.

Red River is a proud partner of Cisco HCS-D and is dedicated to the mission of providing the DoD tools for better and more secure communication, leading to quicker and more efficient mission critical decision making.

# BETTER, MORE SECURE COLLABORATION

Next-level collaboration can and should become the norm in the DoD. Legacy systems are kept operational out of necessity and IT budgets are spent almost entirely on cybersecurity. Patchwork systems have led to multiple networks and different hardware, resulting in a team with varying technology comfort levels and a wide range of knowledge on systems that may not be useful anymore.

With the rigorous testing and achievement of Impact Level 5 certification, teams can collaborate in the way the mission requires instead of adapting the mission to work with a patchwork of legacy systems.