

## Daily Threat Intelligence Briefing

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**News from Thursday July 23, 2026  
(Reported on Friday July 24, 2026)**

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### Local Government

**Iranian Hackers Target Siemens and Schneider Industrial Systems, CISA Warns** | Targeted Campaign | [Infosecurity Magazine](#)

*CISA warns Iranian threat actors are actively targeting US-based Siemens and Schneider industrial control systems.*

### Financial Institutions

**How Synthetic Identity Fraud is Coming for Machine Identities** | Synthetic Identity Fraud | [The Hacker News](#)

*Attackers are adapting synthetic identity fraud techniques to create fake machine identities for cybersecurity exploitation.*

### Healthcare

**Report Shows Surge in Malicious Insider Incidents; Mega Data Breaches** | Data Breach | [HIPAA Journal](#)

*New report documents significant increase in malicious insider threats and large-scale data breaches during first half of 2026.*

**Heart Care Centers of Illinois Discovers Historic Phishing Attack Exposed Patient Data** | Phishing | [HIPAA Journal](#)

*Illinois cardiovascular practice disclosed a phishing attack that compromised patient health information in a historic breach.*



## Other

**Check Point hole grants unauthenticated attackers full SmartConsole admin privileges** | Vulnerability | [CSO Online](#)

*Check Point confirms active exploitation of critical flaw allowing unauthenticated admin access to SmartConsole management platform.*

**Microsoft 365 outage affects Teams, SharePoint and other services** | Service Outage | [Bleeping Computer](#)

*Major Microsoft 365 service disruption impacted Teams, SharePoint and related services for North American users.*

**China-Nexus JadeProx Uses New TriBack Loader in Government and Healthcare Attacks** | Malware | [The Hacker News](#)

*China-linked threat actor deploys new TriBack Loader malware targeting government and healthcare entities across Asia and Latin America.*

**Microsoft's 3-day patching directive comes with added operational risk** | Vulnerability Management | [CSO Online](#)

*Microsoft mandates Windows administrators apply security patches within three days, citing AI-accelerated exploit development risks.*

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