

PKI and FICAM Overview and Outlook

Stepping Stones



	2001	FPKIPA	Established	
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•Federal Bridge CA established

2003 E-Authentication Program Established

•M-04-04 E-Authentication Guidance for Federal Agencies published

2004 Homeland Security Presidential Directive 12 published

•Federal Common Policy Framework Root CA is established •SP 800-63 *Electronic Authentication Guideline* published

2005 FIPS 201 Personal Identity Verification of Federal Employees and Contractors Published

•PIV Card deployment begins

2009 ICAMSC established by Federal CIO Council

•Federal Identity Management Segment Architecture Published •National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (NSTIC) launched

2017 Establish Federal TLS Root

•Following CAB Forum criteria for publicly trusted roots



Enabling Policy and Guidance





Evolution of Federal PKI





ICAM



 ICAM represents the intersection of digital identities, credentials, and access control into one comprehensive approach.

Consolidates 3 Programs:

- E-Authentication
- Federal PKI
- HSPD-12

Streamlines government-wide activities

Minimizes duplication of effort

Breaks down stovepipes

Key enabler for National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace



ICAM Scope





ICAM Key Activities



- Continuing growth of PIV-based Identity Assurance in the Federal enterprise
- Administering the Federal PKI
- Coordinating interagency efforts to meet agency mission needs
- Trust Framework Providers and Scheme Adoption
 - Non-cryptographic solutions at lower levels of assurance
 - Industry self-regulation with government recognition
 - Working with Open Solutions to enable open government
- Revamping FICAM Architecture implementation guidance = Playbooks

Trust Frameworks: Open Solutions for Open Government

The ICAMSC:

Establishes Federal Profiles for Open identity solutions Established Trust Framework Provider Requirements Worked the CIO Privacy Committee to establish Privacy Principles Reviews and Approves Trust Frameworks:

- Kantara
- Open Identity Exchange
- InCommon



Contracts with the Trust Framework Provider for implementing requirements set by Policymakers

Other agreements potentially affected by requirements set by Policymakers

National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (NSTIC)



- A public/private partnership for improving the security and privacy of online transactions through trusted identities
- Establishing an identity *ecosystem* in the virtual world in which people can move about with confidence
- Removing the ambiguity & confusion, leading to better decision-making on the part of the consumer and the relying party
- NIST hosts the Trusted Identities Group for liaison with industry.
- Visit the web site at www.nist.gov/itl/tig to stay current on NIST activities
- Visit the Identity Ecosystem Steering Group (IDESG) at www.idesg.org to learn more about the industry initiative

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SP 800-63-3 Digital Identity Guideline





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FICAM Playbooks



 Playbooks being created that focus on Part B: Implementation Guidance from the FICAM Roadmap https://

fpki.idmanagement.gov/

Roadmap Chapter and Title	Playbook Title
Chapter 6: Implementation Planning	Program Management
Chapter 7: Streamline Collection and Sharing of Digital Identity Data	Streamline Identity Management
Chapter 8: Fully Leverage PIV Credentials	PIV Guides
Chapter 9: Access Control Convergence	Manage Access Control
Chapter 10: Modernize PACS	Physical Access Control Systems
Chapter 11: Modernize LACS	Logical Access Control Systems
Chapter 12: Implement Federation	Federation; FPKI Guides



FICAM Playbooks

Manage Access Control Playbook

Submit Issues Here Playbook Home Page

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Step 1 - Establish an Access Governance Structure

Step 2 - Conduct a Policy Analysis

Step 3 - Define Access Control Requirements

Step 4 - Identify Protected Resources

Step 5 - Conduct a Risk Assessment

Access Management Framework

Step 6 - Choose Your Access Control Model

Step 7 - Establish the Data Management Life Cycle

Step 8 - Establish the Privilege Management Life Cycle

Step 9 - Establish the Policy Administration Life Cycle

Step 10 - Manage the System Development Life Cycle

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Step 2 - Conduct a Policy Analysis

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Conducting a policy analysis will help you better understand the existing access control expectations and limitations, the selection and implementation of access control measures, and supporting enablers to protect your agency's resources. Understanding your policies across the enterprise will help you update existing policies and draft new ones to support your agency's access control needs.

Checklist

Analyze existing policies. Review your agency's access management policies to determine if they are aligned with the broader access control goals and objectives. This will help you determine if your agency should develop new policies to enforce appropriate access control requirements agency-wide.

Establish baseline access control policies. You should establish baseline access control policies that define minimum security requirements at the enterprise level. This helps you establish access control standards for protecting agency resources across the enterprise. Below are a few access control management policy examples.

Potential Access Policies	Description
Issue Policy Memorandum: Continued Implementation of HSPD-12	Enforcing use of the PIV card for physical and logical access and acceptance of PIV credentials issued by other federal agencies.
Issue Policy/Guidance Addressing Common Physical Scenarios and Common Logical Access Scenarios	Formal agency-level decisions for handling common physical and logical access scenarios such as a lost/forgotten PIV card or forgotten personal identification number (PIN).
Issue Policy/Guidance Addressing Standardization of Local Facility Access Cards	Policy or procedural guidance for establishing a standard local facility access card and providing guidance around when and how they are issued.
Issue Policy/Guidance Addressing Visitor Management	Procedural guidance for establishing what types of credentials are considered acceptable for granting physical access to visitors, including individuals who are not PIV card holders (e.g., escort procedures).





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FPKI TLS Root Initiative



Advanced





TLS CA Scope



In Scope

Certificates for web services on the public Internet

DotGov and DotMil

Govt option for Certificate Transparency logs, commercial logging, and support



Code signing certificates

Other domains *.edu *.com *.org

Person certificates (PIV) including authentication, digital signature and encryption



Following Industry Lead



Technology

- Certificate Transparency (CT) for public devices
- Increasingly shorter lifetimes for certificates

Public Trust requirements are defined by the Browsers and Trust Stores community: US Government is only one participant in a broad ecosystem for Internet Security



Objectives



Update Federal PKI

- Public trust of government issued certificates for government websites
- More <u>agile</u> approach
- Respond to Internet Security requirements faster
- Provide our community the services they expect and <u>deserve</u>

Create a policy consistent with standards specific to Public Trust and web services

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Create a government-wide shared solution to enable automation, scaling and management of public trust website certificates

What's Next?



- Presidential Executive Order on Strengthening the Cybersecurity of Federal Networks and Critical Infrastructure (May 11, 2017)
 - Emphasis on shared IT services & consolidated network architecture



Thank you



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