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## **T2025\_19 Why Recognizing and Reporting Phishing Attempts Matters (September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025)**

Phishing remains one of the most common and effective cyberattacks, where attackers masquerade as trusted entities to trick victims into revealing credentials, downloading malware, or clicking malicious links. By being vigilant checking sender details, hovering over links to inspect URLs, and verifying unexpected requests - you can intercept many phishing attempts. Reporting suspicious emails or messages helps your organization and security teams identify patterns and block broader attacks.

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