

# Uninsurable for Cyber?

**Cyber insurers are requiring Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA), when insureds access their systems remotely, to qualify for coverage.**



- MFA is a security enhancement that allows you to present two pieces of evidence – your credentials – when logging in to an account remotely.
- MFA is among the most important safeguards to help prevent ransomware attacks.
- Without MFA in place for remote access to systems, purchasing cyber insurance will be extremely difficult.

## How much does MFA cost & where do insureds get it?

Often times, MFA is free, depending on which vendors are used for certain applications. When there is a cost involved, it isn't expensive. The path to getting MFA is much easier than one may think. Costs listed below are estimates.

### Cost\*

- 10 employees = \$360/year
- 25 employees = \$900/year
- 100 employees = \$3,600/year

\* Costs are minimum estimates. RPS does not sell IT products or endorse IT vendors.

### Benefits

- Reduce ransomware threats
- Protect your business
- Qualify for cyber insurance

### MFA Vendors\*

Links to MFA vendors, complete with 3rd party ratings and contact information:

- [The Top 10 MFA Providers in 2021](#)
- [The Top Multi-Factor Authentication \(MFA\) Solutions for Business](#)

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### What Next?

- Make sure insureds have implemented MFA for remote access on all desktops, servers and applications
- Receive quotes from multiple cyber carriers on [www.RPSSmallBusiness.com](http://www.RPSSmallBusiness.com)