



Disaster equals business loss. Are you really prepared?

The Paradigm Solutions Difference

Paradigm Solutions International helps organizations protect assets and successfully recover from business interruptions. We offer a new team-based approach to BCP that *seamlessly blends a consulting services methodology into our OpsPlanner Suite™ software*. Whether you are just starting continuity planning or looking to improve or exercise your existing plans, Paradigm Solutions can assist you with the complex tasks of developing, implementing and/or maintaining a comprehensive business continuity program.

OpsPlanner Suite Overview

In order to address the communication and notification problems inherent in traditional BCP processes, Paradigm Solutions developed the OpsPlanner Suite. OpsPlanner integrates continuity planning and emergency management and notification tools in one easy-to-use platform. The OpsPlanner methodology is integrated into these team-based tools to support each critical step in the continuity planning and management process. This Web-based software renders plans and incident management visible at the touch of a button so you can easily maintain and improve your business processes.

The OpsPlanner Consulting Method

The OpsPlanner methodology provides a roadmap for plan development and recovery management. It helps your enterprise communicate effectively and monitor your continuity readiness. And, it allows you to examine and address the recovery needs of your supply chain and customers. OpsPlanner consultants follow this framework, enhanced by OpsPlanner software tools, to help you develop a comprehensive program.



How You Benefit

When you include OpsPlanner in your continuity efforts, you ensure your organization's safety and success.

We help you:

- ▶ **Develop and meet recovery objectives** to minimize financial loss and business risk and protect your reputation.
- ▶ **Leverage existing internal IT infrastructure** to save time and money.
- ▶ **Mitigate the risk of supply chain interruption.** OpWatch focuses on the extended enterprise, including risks introduced by sole-sourced suppliers.
- ▶ **Save on business interruption insurance premiums** with a formal, comprehensive, well-tested plan. We also help you avoid significant exposures that would occur in the event of a business interruption audit by addressing legal, regulatory and customer requirements.

Our methodology—supported by our OpsPlanner Suite software—is the foundation of our continuity and disaster recovery consulting practice. It is a structured approach that serves as a framework for addressing all the steps vital to building a comprehensive business continuity program.

Professional Services to Meet Your Needs

▶ Plan Process Development and Implementation

Project-Initiation Consultation

Risk management and project execution advice, data analysis, and generation of deliverables.

▶ Business Continuity Project Management

Participation with your BCM steering committee to deliver a structured methodology and approach to your BC program.

▶ Business Continuity Plan Audit

Assess existing BC and disaster recovery plans in terms of industry “best practices” and applicable regulatory requirements.

▶ Risk Assessment

Identify and assess relevant business interruption risks—your vulnerabilities and the probabilities of occurrence. Develop strategies to reduce the impact of those risks.

▶ Business Impact Analysis (BIA)

Examine the financial implications, performance impacts, and potential affects on your reputation and brand.

▶ Strategy Selection and Development

Identify strategies needed to mitigate risk based on the performance of a cost-benefit analysis.

▶ Implementation of Business Continuity Planning Systems

Implement OpsPlanner and train staff to help speed the production and quality of your comprehensive plan in a scalable and secure environment.

▶ Recovery Plan Benchmarking, Testing and Validation

Design, implement and review business continuity and disaster recovery exercises. Provide post-testing recommendations for continuous improvement to meet management’s objectives.

▶ Implementation of Enterprise-wide Emergency, Notification and Recovery Systems

OpsPlanner provides an optional Recovery Manager module for use during actual business interruptions. The module provides notification and tracking services to employees, suppliers, and customers.

Your Next Step

Take the next step toward protecting your organization and community. Find out how team-based continuity planning could help your enterprise.

Visit our Web site or call us today for our white paper on “*Continuity with Collaboration*”

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ABOUT PARADIGM SOLUTIONS INTERNATIONAL: Paradigm Solutions International is dedicated to business continuity and emergency response planning. Paradigm Solutions has successfully implemented disaster recovery solutions to the federal for nearly a decade. Paradigm Solutions builds on that success with its comprehensive, cost-effective, web-based solutions suite, OpsPlanner, and now delivers innovative Business Continuity Planning, emergency management, and notification services to both government and private-sector businesses. OpsPlanner provides a comprehensive software solution for online planning and event management that help clients protect their assets, mitigate risk, and achieve performance goals.