

Mentor Collective

CYBER READY CLINIC'S MENTOR COLLECTIVE

Seasoned cyber leaders guiding the next generation of practitioners through Cyber Ready Clinic's hands-on clinical experience — three focused conversations across one cohort.



THREE CONVERSATIONS · GUIDING THE FUTURE CYBER WORKFORCE

Assess. Practice. **Apply.**

As a CRC Mentor Collective mentor you're matched with up to three practitioners and meet three times across their cohort. Each conversation has a single focus — and CRC handles the logistics so you can focus on the mentee.

MEETING 1 · ASSESS

What they want to do in cyber

Get to know your mentee and explore the career they're reaching for — the roles, the domains, and the path that fits their strengths and goals.

Outcome: A Clear Career Direction

MEETING 2 · PRACTICE

Their capstone project

Dig into the real work. Review their capstone, give the direct, practitioner-level feedback that sharpens it, and point them toward what's next.

Outcome: Real Problem Solving for Clients

MEETING 3 · APPLY

After the clinic experience

The cohort is done. Help them convert it into momentum — resume, interviews, introductions, and a concrete plan for career success.

Outcome: A Path to their Next Role

OPTIONAL · ONGOING

Stay in their corner

Continued contact is entirely optional — but highly encouraged. A check-in now and then is often what turns a good cohort into a lasting career.

Encouragement to Persevere

WHY MENTOR

Your Experience Compounds.

93%

of mentored practitioners receive full-time offers

5×

more likely to be promoted — mentored vs. not

89%

of mentors report stronger leadership skills

1/2

the time to reach job-ready proficiency

WE'VE GOT YOUR BACK

CRC does the **heavy lifting.**

You bring the expertise; we handle everything around it, so mentoring stays simple and rewarding.

- 1 We match you with the right mentees.** Pairing is based on cyber job interests and your domain — so every conversation starts with common ground.
- 2 We coordinate your meetings.** CRC sends reminders and helps schedule each of your three sessions, so nothing slips through the cracks.
- 3 We give you feedback on your mentee.** We share context on how each practitioner is progressing and how you can best support them.

WHO WE'RE LOOKING FOR

- ✓ **10+ years** in IT and cybersecurity, in a technical or leadership role.
- ✓ **A completed mentor application** and selection by the CRC board.
- ✓ **A commitment to mentor at least three (3) practitioners** per year.

APPLY TO JOIN

Become a Mentor Collective Mentormentor.cyberreadyclinic.com**CRC****Talk with the team first**

Questions about the program? Email mentors@cyberreadyclinic.com or reach out below.

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