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# Microsoft Mandates MFA by Oct. 15, 2024

## SECURE YOUR ADMIN PORTALS: MFA IS MANDATORY

**Don't be locked out.** Ensure your company and admins are properly enabled with MFA.

## How Does This Affect Us?

Microsoft will require MFA for all tenants\* to ensure admins can sign in to Entra, Azure, and Intune admin portals.

Any company without this - or the admin is not enabled correctly - **will be locked out of their portals.**

## iT1 MFA QuickStart Solution

Are you unsure which MFA method is right for your organization? Or do you need to deploy MFA quickly and effectively?

With our **MFA QuickStart**, our team will make this process effortless and stress-free.

We'll help you:

- // Choose the right MFA solution
- // Enable MFA across all user accounts
- // Set up to 3 conditional access policies
- // Include user adoption guidance
- // Recommend best practices to stay compliant with industry standards and to plan for lost devices

## Why MFA Mandates?

99.2%

MFA can block more than **99.2%** of account compromised attacks making it **one of the most effective security measures** available.

Contact your iT1 Account Executive to schedule a call with our Microsoft Cloud team and get expert guidance.

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\*Phase 1: Starting in October, MFA will be required to sign-in to Azure portal, Microsoft Entra admin center, and Intune admin center. The enforcement will gradually roll out to all tenants worldwide. This phase will not impact other Azure clients such as Azure Command Line Interface, Azure PowerShell, Azure mobile app and Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tools.

Phase 2: Beginning in early 2025, gradual enforcement for MFA at sign-in for Azure CLI, Azure PowerShell, Azure mobile app, and Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tools will commence.