DEMONSTRATION REPORT

# Phone & tablet security review

**Demonstration sample. Illustrative data, not a client report.**

## Fictional device: Northstar Phone 14 / AuroraOS 18.2

## Agreed scope

- Owner-guided review by video call; no unattended remote access.
- System version, update status, screen lock and device encryption status.
- Installed apps, selected permissions, account sessions, recovery settings, VPN and management profiles.
- No forensic extraction, deleted-data recovery, malware reverse engineering or cloud-provider audit.

## Review methods

Owner opened settings and account dashboards while sharing the screen. Findings were recorded from visible configuration and available sign-in history; no passwords or private files were collected.

# Findings and basis

| Priority | Area | Finding | Basis |
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| **High** | Account recovery | Recovery email is no longer controlled by the fictional owner. | Visible recovery settings show an outdated address. |
| **Medium** | Location permission | One weather app is set to use precise location at all times. | Permission panel shows Always + Precise. |
| **Medium** | System update | AuroraOS 18.3 is available but not installed. | Update screen shows a pending security release. |
| **Low** | VPN profile | A recognizable work VPN remains installed but is currently disconnected. | Profile name matches the owner-provided employer name. |

## Priority recommendations

- Replace the outdated recovery address and verify recovery using a device already trusted by the owner.
- Change the weather app to approximate location while in use, unless an operational need is confirmed.
- Confirm the backup completed, then install AuroraOS 18.3 and restart the device.
- Ask the employer whether the VPN profile is still required before removal.

# Changes completed

- No settings changed during this demonstration review.

# Remaining actions and limitations

- Review the primary cloud account's full session list after recovery details are corrected.
- Unexpected battery use was not reproduced and is not, by itself, evidence of spyware.
- This settings review cannot establish that the device is free of all malicious software.

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