

Case Study: Customers Trust Guardient for CMMC Readiness

Client Overview

A mid-size defense manufacturer supporting multiple DoD contracts needed to achieve **CMMC Level 2** compliance to maintain eligibility for future federal opportunities. Their internal IT resources were limited, documentation was incomplete, and existing tools failed to provide a clear compliance roadmap.

Challenge

The organization was falling behind on CMMC readiness due to:

- Fragmented visibility across technical and policy controls
- Manual, time-consuming evidence collection
- Unclear mapping between NIST 800-171 controls and actual implementation
- Lack of real-time dashboards or measurable progress tracking

They needed a single platform to **simplify compliance**, automate documentation, and accelerate readiness.

Solution

USX Cyber implemented the **Guardient Security-Driven Compliance Platform**, providing an end-to-end framework for visibility, automation, and validation.

The Guardient deployment included:

- **Policy Templates:** Pre-built CMMC and NIST-aligned policy frameworks for rapid adoption
- **Artifact Automation:** Auto-generated evidence mapped directly to controls via WatchDesk
- **Hardening Templates:** Baseline configuration enforcement across endpoints and servers
- **Compliance Dashboards:** Real-time progress tracking and gap visibility for executives

Within **60 days**, the contractor closed all identified gaps and reached a fully auditable compliance state.

Results

- **CMMC Gap Closure in 60 Days**
 - **70% Reduction** in manual documentation effort
 - **Full Visibility** into compliance posture via dashboards
 - **Audit-Ready Evidence** automatically aligned to NIST 800-171 controls
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Client Testimonial

“We achieved CMMC gap closure in 60 days using Guardient, policy templates, artifact automation, and dashboards.”

— *Operations Director, Mid-size Defense Manufacturer*

Why It Matters

Guardient simplifies compliance for DoD contractors by turning months of preparation into measurable, automated progress.

- ✓ Faster audit readiness
- ✓ Automated artifact generation
- ✓ Continuous control validation

Customers trust Guardient to stay compliant, secure, and ready for any audit.

About USX Cyber

USX Cyber delivers a unified **Security-Driven Compliance Platform** built to streamline cybersecurity and regulatory readiness. With Guardient XDR, organizations achieve full visibility, faster compliance, and measurable security outcomes across every endpoint and cloud environment.