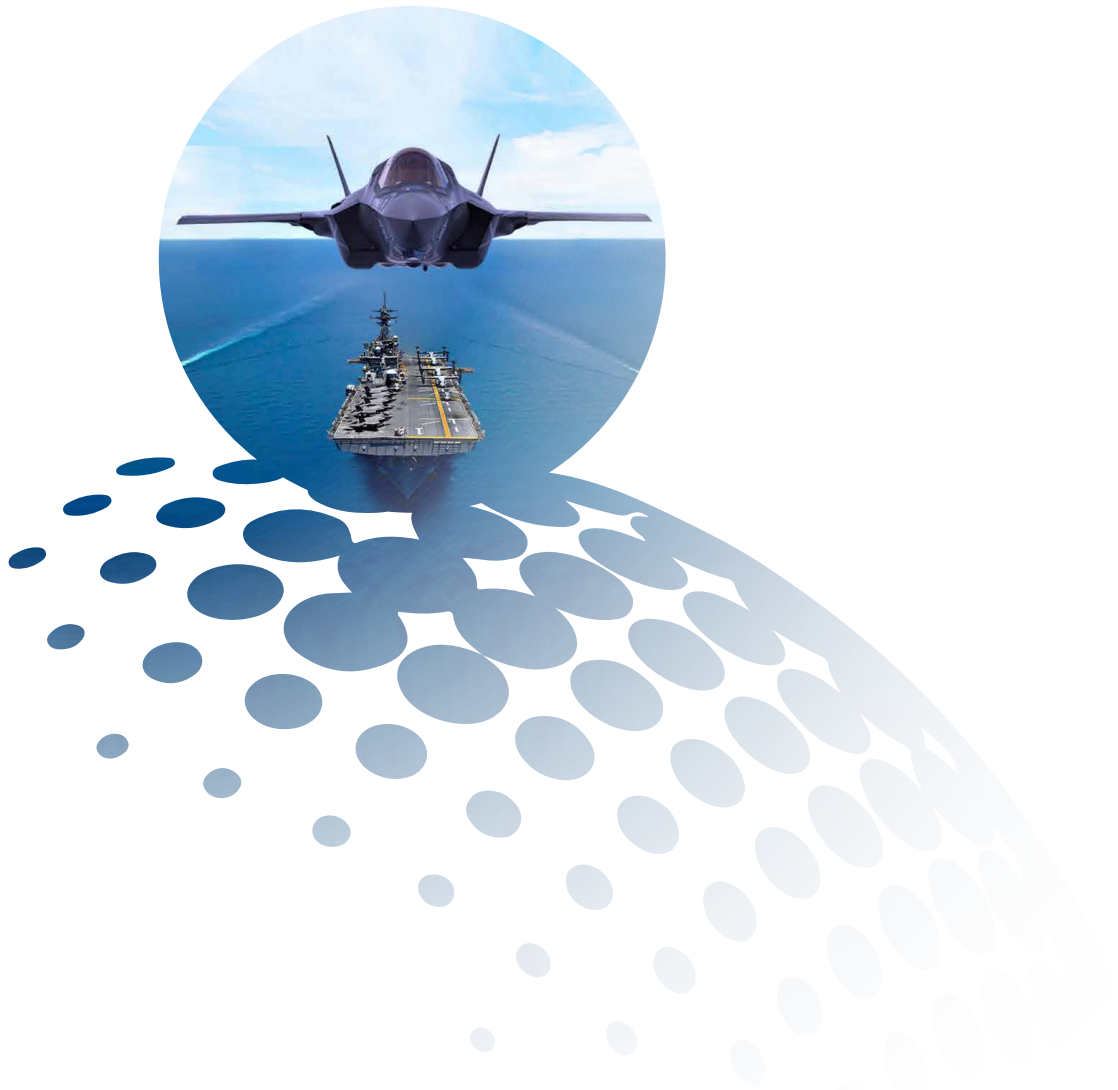




CMMC
Readiness



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At a Glance: CMMC Level 2

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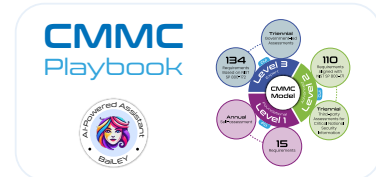
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Requirements

320
Objectives

Why ecfirst for CMMC Readiness?

Credentialed Staff

Master of Science, Electrical Engineering ✕
 CISSP (ISSAP, ISSMP) ✕
 CISA ✕
 CISM ✕
 CCSP ✕
 HITRUST CCSFP ✕



Surgically Defined CMMC Assessment Process



CMMC Year 2 and Year 3 Affirmation

ISACA ATO



“
 CCP Reference
 Fantastic CCP program from ecfirst!
 Great practice tests and explanations
 provided with results. **Knowledgeable**
 instructor who is able to pull from
 real-life examples.”

“
 CCA Reference
 The ecfirst CCA program's greatest
 strengths were its **detailed content**,
thorough review, **available practice tests**,
 and the professional development and
 organization of information.”



CMMC Readiness Mock Assessment

DoW CMMC Certification Training Content Approved and Authorized



DoW CMMC Certification Training Provider Approved and Authorized



CMMC L2 Today: r2

CMMC Level 2 is currently aligned to NIST SP 800-171r2. Readiness begins with understanding the applicable requirements, defining the CUI environment, documenting implementation, maintaining evidence, and preparing for assessment.

1 Core of CMMC Level 2

- NIST SP 800-171r2
- **110** Security Requirements
- **14** Security Families

2 Assessment and Affirmation

- Assessment validates implementation
- Annual affirmation reinforces continued accountability

3 SSP / POA&M

- System Security Plan (SSP) documents implementation
- Plan of Action & Milestones (POA&M) documents permitted gaps and remediation

CMMC Future: r3

NIST SP 800-171r3 represents the future direction of CMMC. Organizations can build on their existing r2 foundation to prepare for future r3 alignment.

Why NIST SP 800-171r3 Should Be on Your Radar

1 r3 Foundation Is Already in Place

r3 builds on r2 while introducing new and revised requirements. Existing r2 work provides the foundation for r3 readiness.

2 Gap Analysis Clarifies the Transition

Map r2 to r3, reconcile numbering and identity differences, and define the true r3 readiness gap.

3 It's More Work Than the Numbers Imply

- 110 → **97** Requirements
- **17** Security Families
- 320 → **422** Determination Statements
- ≈ **510** Assessment Items

4 New Capability Areas Emerge

The three areas:

- Planning (PL)
- System & Services Acquisition (SA)
- Supply Chain Risk Management (SR) represents one of the most significant areas of new effort.

5 ODPs and Future Alignment

Prepare for applicable ODP values, evaluate current configurations, and monitor future CMMC alignment.

Key Message

Level 2 readiness is not simply about implementing controls. It requires a defensible scope, documented implementation, reliable evidence, operational effectiveness, and assessment readiness.

Practical Guidance for the r2 to r3 Transition

Lock Down r2 First

Confirm the CUI boundary, SSP, POA&M, and SPRS score against all 110 r2 requirements.

Prepare for ODP Values

Evaluate applicable Organization-Defined Parameter (ODP) values and verify current configurations as r3 alignment develops.

Perform r2 → r3 Gap Analysis

Identify what already aligns and what documentation, process and control changes are needed.

Start New Families Early

Begin planning, acquisition security, and supply chain risk documentation early.

Keep Documentation Current

Maintain evidence and monitor changes while remaining compliant with current requirements.



Leadership Decisions

1

Confirm Level 2 Applicability

Review active contracts and applicable DFARS clauses to confirm Level 2 requirements.

2

Define Your Assessment Scope

Establish the CUI boundary, assessment objectives and in-scope assets before major remediation investment.

3

Establish Governance

Assign an executive sponsor and CMMC program owner, define accountability and approve a realistic readiness plan and budget.

Your First 90 Days

Days 1–30

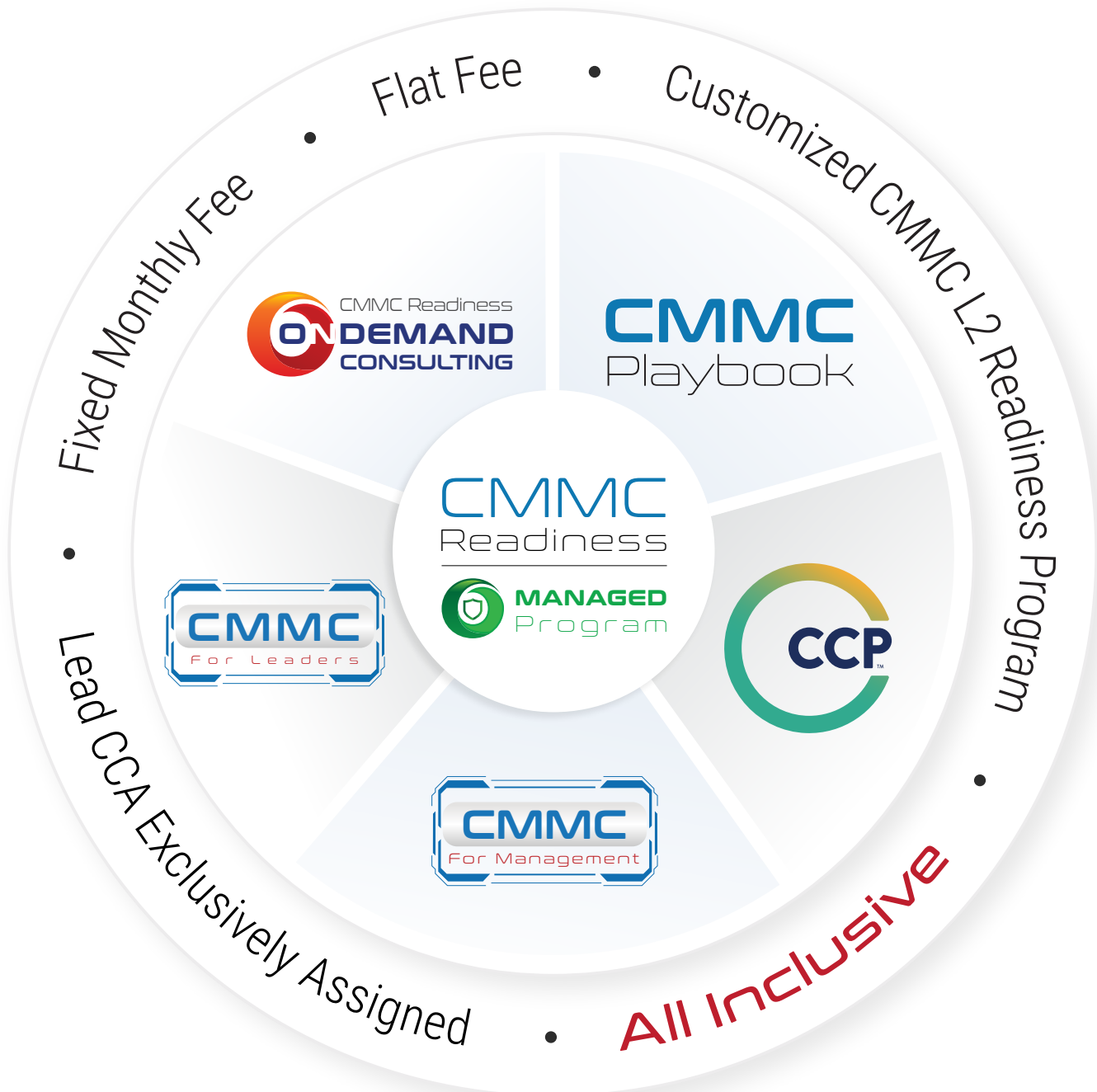
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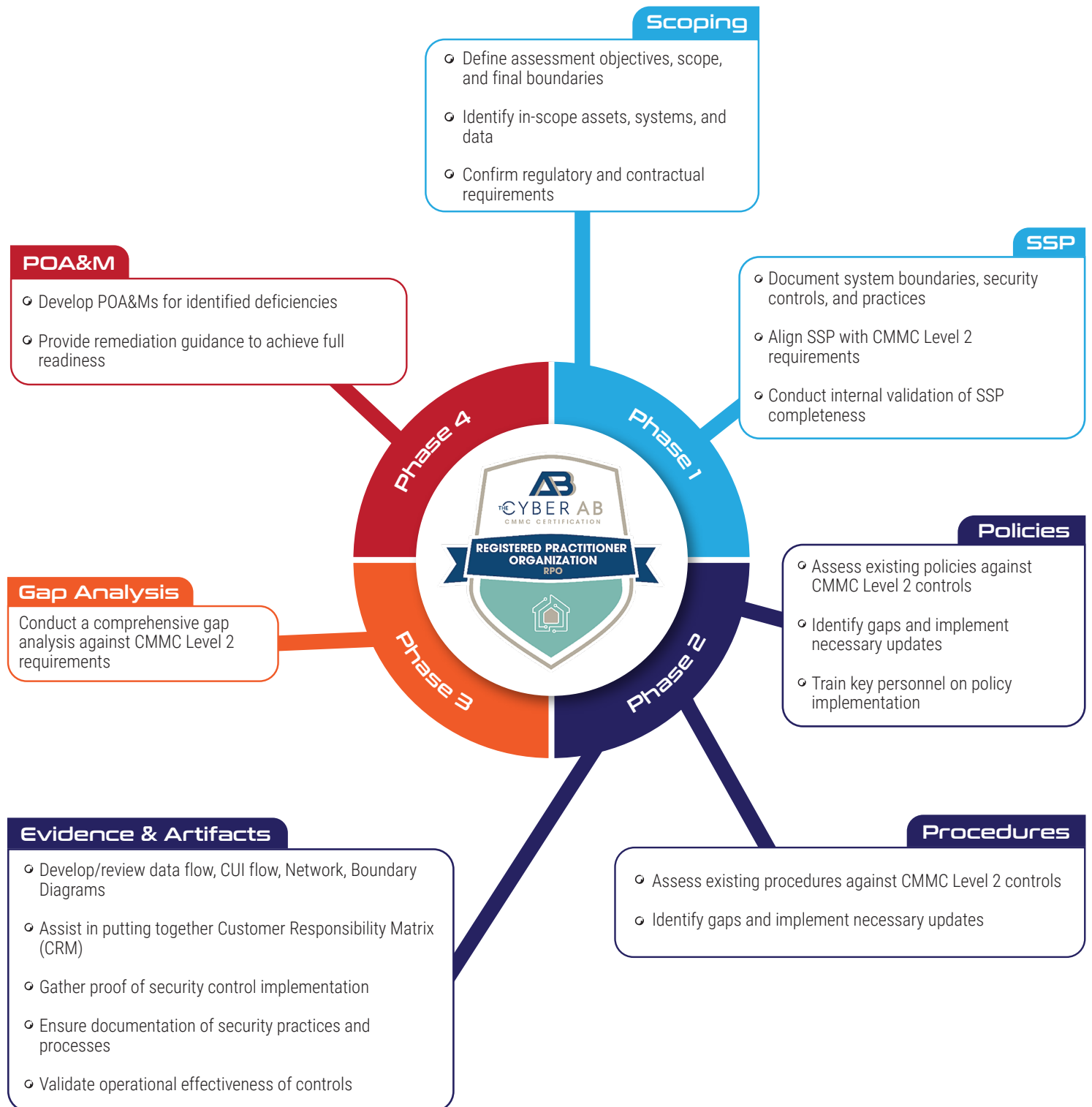
Days 31–60

CUI Scope | Reporting | SPRS | SSP | Policies | Evidence

Days 61–90

Leadership | Remediation | Control Owners | SSP | Assessment Planning







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1,000's

of Satisfied Customers

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U.S. States with Clients

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Continents Served

Ready To Begin Your CMMC Readiness Journey?

ecfirst is a Registered Provider Organization (RPO)

enabling organizations to plan, prepare, and strengthen CMMC readiness—from scope definition and gap analysis to implementation and assessment preparation.



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