Service Feature	Eldritch Security	Traditional Managed IT Providers
Core Expertise	Cybersecurity	General IT Management
Security Focus	Proactive, in-depth security assessments and vulnerability scanning.	Reactive security solutions, often limited to basic antivirus and firewall management.
Compliance Assistance	Deep understanding of industry regulations and data privacy requirements. (HIPAA, PCI DSS, GDPR, etc.)	May offer basic compliance guidance, but may not have specialists for complex regulations.
Managed Security Services	24/7 threat detection and response (MDR), Security Information and Event Management (SIEM).	May offer basic remote monitoring and management (RMM), but often lack advanced security features.
Scalable Security Solutions	Fractional vCISO services providing access to top-tier cybersecurity leadership on a part-time basis.	Limited security leadership expertise; may require hiring a full-time CISO for advanced needs.
Focus on SMB Clients	Tailored solutions designed to address the specific needs and budgets of small and medium-sized businesses.	Solutions may be generic and not cater to the unique challenges faced by SMBs.
Cost-Effectiveness	Competitive pricing models with transparent communication to ensure value for your security investment.	Pricing may not be transparent or may not reflect the level of security expertise offered.
Streamlined IT & Collaborative Approach	Direct involvement in technology decisions, policy/standard development, and ongoing security strategy.	Limited involvement in strategic IT planning; focus on maintaining existing infrastructure. (Remains "at arm's length")