



Complete Security Lifecycle Strategies and Assistance

- Operational Security Planning Services
- Security Vulnerability Assessments (SVAs)
- Security audits & revalidations/updates of SVAs
- Site Security Plans (SSPs)
- Alternate Security Plans (ASPs)
- Inherently Safer Technology (IST) studies
- Complete selection, design & implementation of countermeasures for RBPS
- Corporate baseline security measures
- Training, Drills & exercises
- Support during inspections
- Integrated security/emergency management plans

Problem: Managing CFATS Along with Corporate Security Requirements

Once a facility has submitted a CSAT SSP to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), its obligations under CFATS are not finished. In order for a facility to remain in compliance and create a workable CFATS compliance program, it is important to have a way to put into practice the commitments made to DHS as part of the CSAT SSP submittal. A practical Operational Site Security Plan helps a site stay current with its security needs and provides a map for how such activities meet CFATS requirements when facing an inspection and for operational excellence.

Solution: Integrated Operational Security Plans

An **Operational Security Plan** serves multiple purposes:

- **Organizes** the facility or company for managing the security requirements of DHS CFATS, internal corporate requirements, and other regulations.
- **Provides security guidance for managing and implementing** site security activities and codifies work processes and procedures.
- **Documents facility security programs and security measures** to prove compliance
- **Describes how the commitments are to be implemented** on a day-to-day basis
- **Documents responsibilities, schedules, testing, calibration, and repair** of security equipment
- **Communicates** the security policies, practices, and procedures to allow easy auditing or inspections.
- **Integrates existing security plans, emergency response plans, training and other aspects of security programs** already in place for either a single facility, corporate plan or a CFATS annex to an overarching plan.

An Operational Security Plan can reduce confusion, clarify roles and responsibilities and help you achieve your security goals more efficiently.

Bring together your various security requirements under a single comprehensive plan:

- CFATS
- HM-232
- TSA Rail
- C-TPAT
- MTSA

AcuTech Qualifications

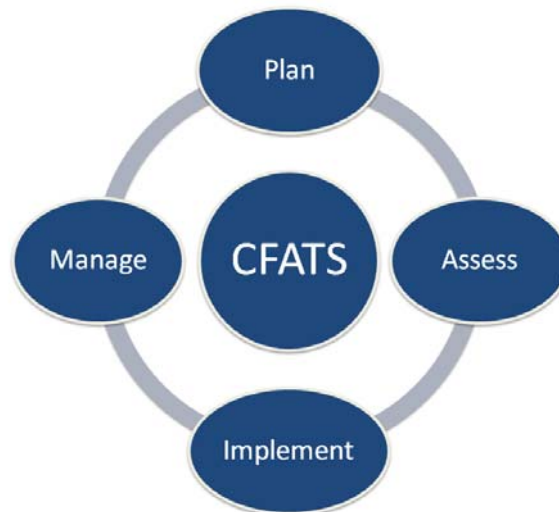
- Market leader in chemical security services & security vulnerability assessments (SVAs)
- Previous Subject Matter Expert to DHS during development of CFATS
- Recognized chemical security, process safety, and emergency management experts
- Extensive experience developing management plans for safety and security
- Developed key security guidance for government and industry
- Prime contractor for CCPS SVA Guidelines for Chemical Security (2002)
- Developed API/NPRA SVA methodology and API Security Guidelines (2004)

About AcuTech

AcuTech Consulting Group is an internationally recognized consulting firm with a unique background in chemical security, process safety, emergency and contingency planning, and risk assessment that provides our clients with practical, cost-effective solutions to meet the challenges of 21st century risk management. AcuTech has in-depth familiarity and experience in complying with all aspects of federal, state and local regulations for handling of highly hazardous materials. Today's companies need to develop security plans consistent with current regulations and with sufficient awareness of emerging initiatives to ensure compliance and optimize programmatic effectiveness.

AcuTech offers complete services for managing the challenges of chemical security including consulting, training, and software. Our team of consultants provides expert support and we are recognized industry leaders who worked with DHS and industry groups to develop security guidelines, SVA methodologies, and the RBPS guidance -- the core document of the CFATS regulation. AcuTech has a long and successful history as industry advocates supporting strong working relationships with our industry clients as well as with government regulators.

Our security work includes a complete suite of Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards (CFATS) compliance strategies and assistance: Top Screen submittals and re-submittals; Security Vulnerability Assessments (SVA); Site Security Plans (SSP); strategy and assistance in use of the DHS Chemical Security Assessment Tools (CSAT) for compliance; selection, design, review, and implementation of countermeasures; training; Operational Site Security Plan and procedure development; the writing of security specifications, and program / project management review and coordination. Additionally, we have extensive experience with the Marine Transportation Security Act 33 CFR Part 105 (MTSA) as well as Department of Transportation Hazardous Materials Security Regulations (HM-232).



Contact Us

AcuTech has an in-depth knowledge of the process industries and works closely with industry, trade organizations, and government agencies involved with chemical security. Contact us today at **703-245-3015** or **help@acutech-consulting.com** to discuss your Operational Security Plan needs.