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Below is initial feedback on the CSF 2.0 Draft document. It is primarily from our Chief Security Organization.

## Our observations:

- NIST CSF is a Framework and not a Standard; therefore, ultimately whatever is proposed in NIST is not directly going to impact AT&T (ASPR) unless we choose to align with it, OR are required to align via a contract (which prevails over ASPR)
- References to "Critical Infrastructure" clear applicability at AT&T; however, defining a CI inventory may prove challenging as this is not reflected in current (known) tCMDBs
- While it is broadening in scope, it is taking into account variable applicability based on the organization type, size and relevance/scope
- Connections/alignments to other NIST frameworks and standards are being adopted while staying technology agnostic...this is good.
- Governance, risk management and metrics for measuring cybersecurity another good add which may be leveraged at AT&T
- Examples of adoption this is also a good add

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