

# CYNTHIA

## DATA PROTECTION OFFICER



### SPECIALISMS

- ✔ Life Sciences
- ✔ Clinical Trials
- ✔ HIPAA
- ✔ Information Security

### PROFILE

Cynthia is a data protection professional with extensive experience in the Life Sciences sector. Having worked with several international organisations, she has in-depth knowledge of multi-jurisdictional privacy laws, including the EU and UK General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the US Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

As an accomplished data protection leader, Cynthia has spearheaded numerous initiatives to enhance governance frameworks and strengthen risk management strategies. She is adept at navigating complex regulatory environments, disseminating standards, and delivering information security training across businesses.

### QUALIFICATIONS

- ✔ MSc in Applied Molecular Biology of Infectious Diseases
- ✔ BSc (Hons) in Biochemistry

### SAMPLE EXPERIENCE

Cynthia worked as the DPO and Governance, Risk and Compliance Director for a clinical trial patient recruitment company. She was responsible for developing a comprehensive data protection framework across multiple jurisdictions, requiring in-depth knowledge of UK, EU, and US privacy law. Cynthia designed and executed effective risk management strategies, conducted root cause analysis, and completed contract reviews. She also delivered information security and data protection training across the organisation.

As the Head of Document Control and Compliance for a transport organisation, Cynthia led a team of controllers and analysts, disseminating standards, and developing compliance strategies. She provided information assurance evidence to key stakeholders and clients and completed supplier governance.