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Featured Service

Advisory of new computer purchase

One of the free services we provide is to help you pick the right computer or laptop geared to your needs and budget.

Services We Provide

- Develop and implement IT policies .
- Small office and home office network setup.
- Network design.
- Software installation
- Hard drive erase
- Recycle old computers and monitors

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Tip of the Month

7 tips for working securely from wireless hotspots

Wireless hotspots are changing the way people work. These *wireless local area networks (LANs)* provide high speed Internet connection in public locations—as well as at home—and need nothing more than a mobile PC such as a laptop or notebook computer equipped with a wireless card. In fact, hotspots are an everyday connection method for travelers and remote workers to browse the Internet, check their e-mail, and even work on their corporate networks while away from the office. Hotspots range from paid services, such as T-Mobile or Verizon Wireless, to public, free connections. Hot spots are everywhere. Including: Coffee shops, Restaurants, Libraries, book stores, and airports. But they all have one thing in common—they are all open networks that are vulnerable to security breaches. And that means it's up to you to protect the data on your PC. In this article, we cover a few tips to make working in public locations more secure.

7) Consider completely removing sensitive data from your notebook PC.

If you're working with extremely sensitive data, it might be worth taking it off your notebook PC altogether. Instead, save it on a corporate network share and access it only when necessary. This way, you have multiple safeguards in place. A few simple precautions can help make working in public places more secure.

Term: Computer Power supply

If there is any one component that is absolutely vital to the operation of a computer, it is the power supply. Without it, a computer is just an inert box full of plastic and metal. The power supply converts the alternating current (AC) line from your home to the direct current (DC) needed by the personal computer.

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