TLP: WHITE

TO: All MS-ISAC Members and Partners

DATE: March 23, 2020

SUBJECT: COVID-19 Related Phishing Campaigns and IOCs – TLP: WHITE

Malicious cyber threat actors are capitalizing on the global attention surrounding the novel 2019 Coronavirus (COVID-19) to facilitate scams, distribute malware, and send phishing emails. To date, Anomali researchers have identified 39 different malware families distributed by at least 15 distinct campaigns associated with 11 threat actor groups. The attached Anomali report provides a non-exhaustive list of cyber events and indicators of compromise (IOCs) associated with this activity from March 15, 2020 to March 22, 2020. These IOCs range from low to high confidence and include malware hashes, malicious URLs, phishing emails, and other observables.

MS-ISAC members are strongly encouraged to view the threat bulletin directly on Anomali ThreatStream (https://msisac.threatstream.com/tip/686977) to access the entire body of research and full list of IOCs. *If you do not already have an Anomali ThreatStream account, please visit https://www.anomali.com/learn/ms-isac to enroll. We will verify the account request and Anomali will reach out with account login information.*

The MS-ISAC encourages state, local, tribal, and territorial (SLTT) governments to:

1. Consider blocking the URLs associated with these COVID-19 IOCs. At best, these URLs are non-official resources for COVID-19 information and at worst are distributing malware.
2. Review general phishing recommendations via the MS-ISAC's blog post.
3. Only reference known official resources on COVID-19 information. Members can read more about COVID-19 related scams at the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) resource here.

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