

Medtronic



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Product remit supported by sector roster and direct podcast. Exact engineering-title variant remains unconfirmed. **Current-role source**

**Direct business email and telephone: not publicly verified.**

**Public professional route: named role biography. Personal LinkedIn URL remains unverified.**

**Source: [health-isac.org](https://health-isac.org)**

**Work base: Not established from reviewed sources. Actual work base, DC access and willingness require direct confirmation.**

### Recommendation and rationale

Hold for title/remit qualification. Product-security and sector expertise; secure an enterprise membership sponsor before advancing.

Research rank #46 - Sponsor / remit qualification. Final research recommendation for this pass; ISA selection and outreach approval pending.

### Company capacity and proposed benefit

Global medical-device employer; FY2026 issuer results available. **Source: [news.medtronic.com](https://news.medtronic.com)**

Proposed company benefit: Test Medtronic's product/enterprise oversight; require an enterprise sponsor for participation.

Proposed executive benefit: Contribute her documented cross-team collaboration experience.

### What This Recruit Could Add to ISA

Develop a medical-device case aligning enterprise and product security responsibilities. **Source: [www.netspi.com](https://www.netspi.com)**

Handbook connection: Tool J 63-65; H 57-59. Proposed output and benefits require agreement. **Source: [www.nacdonline.org](https://www.nacdonline.org)**

### Introduction and next decision

No named introducer established. ISA to designate an approved contact route; no private relationship inferred.

ISA to reconcile account status and route; then validate current remit, contribution, corporate payer and participation directly.

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## Policy history and board-selection fit

Policy evidence gap: Reviewed commentary supports an operating or governance perspective, but attributable testimony, formal policy input or a government advisory role has not been verified in this pass.

Current public roster; reviewed October 12, 2026 - Board of Directors. Health-ISAC lists Medtronic product-security leadership and historical academic advisory activity. [Source: health-isac.org](https://health-isac.org)

Product remit requires an enterprise sponsor; no legislative input established.

Benchmark: ISA recommendations, current ISA board practitioner profile, operating authority, company capacity, attributable policy work, concrete contribution, and portfolio balance. Corporate directorship alone does not determine priority.

## Qualification status and ownership

| Requirement                 | Evidence and remaining confirmation                                                                                                                     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Current role                | Public role support; recheck directly before contact; direct confirmation pending.                                                                      |
| ISA membership              | Unknown current company/account and designated-representative status. Public board absence does not establish nonmembership.                            |
| Eligibility                 | Conditional representative fit. ISA acceptance and employer designation pending.                                                                        |
| Board feedback / introducer | No named introducer established. Introduction completion: not confirmed.                                                                                |
| Corporate sponsorship       | Published annual dues \$75,000; corporate payer, budget approver and written authorization not confirmed.                                               |
| Executive interest          | Not directly confirmed. Published interest in cyber topics is not membership interest.                                                                  |
| Time / participation        | Four meetings yearly, including two in Washington, DC and two virtual, plus agreed preparation. Availability, travel and term commitment not confirmed. |
| ISA output and benefits     | Person-specific hypotheses documented; prospect and employer acceptance not confirmed.                                                                  |
| Portfolio                   | Industry/expertise rationale assessed. Work base and DC access require direct confirmation.                                                             |

[ISA public board / meeting baseline](#) | [Bylaws](#) | [Published sponsorship](#)

1631 owns researched case and source accuracy; ISA owns current membership/eligibility/introducer decision; employer/prospect must confirm funding, interest, availability and proposed output.

## Image and contact provenance

Portrait: Name-matched image on named public biography. [Source: health-isac.org](https://health-isac.org)

Company mark: Exact named source asset; manually selected [Source: health-isac.org](https://health-isac.org)

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## Attributable commentary and evidence ledger

4 / 10 substantive sightings recorded. Depth target remains open; no biographies, awards or duplicate syndications added to fill the gap.

### 1. Security in Sync: Aligning Enterprise and Product Teams

2025 | Publisher podcast transcript [Source: www.netspi.com](http://www.netspi.com)

Explores collaboration between enterprise security and product security within a medical-device organization.

Attribution / limitation: Not evidence of ISA interest or employer sponsorship.

ISA relevance: Accountability across management functions.

### 2.

Date not shown | Vendor case study with direct remarks [Source: explore.netspi.com](http://explore.netspi.com)

Discusses attack-surface awareness, independent testing and protecting patient data and intellectual property.

Attribution / limitation: Vendor-hosted material; historical Deputy CISO title.

ISA relevance: Evidence of effectiveness and product assurance.

### 3. PowerPoint Presentation

2023-10 | Speaker presentation deck [Source: www.cybersecuritysummit.org](http://www.cybersecuritysummit.org)

Explains enterprise/product security overlaps, reporting relationships and life-cycle resilience for medical devices.

Attribution / limitation: Not evidence of ISA interest or employer sponsorship.

ISA relevance: Governance of product safety and shared risk.

### 4. When health tech meets ethical hacking

Date not shown | Employer report with direct remarks [Source: news.medtronic.com](http://news.medtronic.com)

Connects ethical hacking, quality-process remediation and product resilience with protecting patient safety.

Attribution / limitation: Statements concern Medtronic's published ethical-hacking program, not an ISA commitment.

ISA relevance: Management assurance linking security and product safety.

## Video titles and context for further review

Discovery leads below are not counted. Titles help prioritize review; the executive's actual remarks determine substance.

Agent of Influence | EPISODE 067 -- Security In Sync - YouTube [Source: www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com)

Review context: Healthcare security and leadership discussion.

Attribution / duplicate check: Check against the existing NetSPI interview; recording and transcript count once.