

NERC Compliance Consulting Services – Operations & Planning and Cybersecurity (CIP)

Our Services

ABZ has a comprehensive NERC compliance program with an experienced team of experts to support a complete NERC compliance solution for our customers. ABZ understands the challenges that registered entities face maintaining a compliance program.

Consulting Services Include:

- A complete set of NERC compliance procedures based on the registered entities' specific set of NERC standards (including CIP) and requirements.
- Identifying and reducing the NERC regulatory risk for entities. Our consultants work with the compliance and management team to identify these risks and take the appropriate steps to mitigate entity risk.
- Support as the primary contact for NERC spot checks, requests for information, and NERC audits when a registered entity needs that primary contact and support.
- A team of experts to go out on site assessments and perform a review of all applicable NERC evidence to ensure that the proper testing, documentation and evidence is available to meet the NERC requirements.
- Performance of an independent gap analysis and mock audit for registered entities. The results of these reviews will be presented to the management team so that we can address those gaps and also prepare for the NERC and regional audits. This includes both cybersecurity and non-cybersecurity NERC standards and audits.
- Engineering support services for the NERC standards - FAC, PRC and MOD.
- Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) support for all registered entities. ABZ can work with the customer for a complete compliance management software solution for the customer's cybersecurity (CIP) program to achieve, monitor and document the evidence for a CIP audit.
- A team for physical security assessments and implementation that are required for the NERC standards.

