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What Adrastia Is

Our mission

Adrastia™ protects people and organizations by proving what happened, so every victim has a real path to justice, restitution, and closure.

What we stand for: Evidence first · Speed saves money · Within the law, always · No one is above review · Victims are never left in the dark · Stronger together

Purpose

Adrastia proves what happened when something goes wrong. It seals evidence the moment it is captured, keeps a chain of custody anyone can check, and turns it into records police, insurers and courts can use. It also helps stop fraud and scams before money moves, traces fraud back to its source, keeps agreements honest, and keeps a business running through an outage.

Consumers	Businesses	Their clients
Families, scam victims, tenants, workers and policyholders. • Check a call, text, email or picture for scam signs (Scam Check). • Start a sealed Victim's Clock after a fraud and track every report made. • Keep sealed agreements with a contractor, landlord or co-parent (Oathcrest). • Record where personal data shows up online and every opt-out sent. • Hold their own sealed copy of a workplace report, move-in record or insurance claim.	*Investigators, attorneys, insurers, small firms, nonprofits, churches and agencies.* • Seal field and desk evidence and produce court-ready reports (HQ). • Spot risky payments, scams, intruders and outages, and act on them (Aegis). • Trace a fraud back to its front door and hand a sealed package to police, a bank or a court. • Call payees back before money moves (Antiphon); keep sealed workplace, rental and claim records. • Keep the business supervised when the owner is out (Continuity Vault).	*The people a business serves: clients, attorneys, adjusters, tenants, workers, payees.* • Free Viewer seats to read a case, its evidence and its custody log. • Check any sealed package or record themselves, free, without an account. • Get receipts: complaint receipts, payee callback receipts, their own party copy. • Join Oathcrest agreements free and confirm or dispute each point. • See where their matter stands without being left in the dark.

What it is designed to do

- Capture and seal evidence the moment it is collected.
- Keep a chain of custody that checks itself.
- Protect people and businesses from fraud and scams before money moves.
- Trace fraud lawfully to its source and hand police, insurers and courts a package they can check.
- Keep agreements honest with one sealed record every side sees.
- Keep the business running and supervised through outages and absences.

A seal proves a record has not changed since it was added. It does not prove what happened before it was added. Adrastia's methods are patent-pending.

Adrastia Aegis

A guide to Adrastia Aegis. Status: LIVE as of November 13, 2026.

What it is

Adrastia Aegis is the protection layer you add to an HQ plan. It watches for risky payments, scams and intruders, protects accounts during an outage, and traces fraud back to its source by lawful steps. Everything it does is sealed, like HQ.

Who it's for

- Small businesses, nonprofits and churches
- Investigators and attorneys working fraud cases
- IT and security partners who manage clients
- Business owners who need a continuity plan
- Families watching a parent's account (account watch add-on)

The problem it solves

A bookkeeper gets an email: “Our bank changed, please wire to this new account.” The money is gone in an hour. Aegis flags the new payee and odd payments, shows the scam pattern from its library, and if money is lost, traces the trail to the account that took it and builds a package police and the bank can check.

How it works

1. Add Aegis in HQ > Plan & billing, then sign in at app.adrastiahq.com.
2. Follow Get started: run the Readiness scan and invite a teammate.
3. Bring in a payment export (Funds integrity) or connect accounts.
4. Read the Daily Brief each morning and work any alerts as cases.
5. If money is lost: Reverse-trace, then Handoff package to police, the bank or an insurer.

Getting started

- Sign in at app.adrastiahq.com with your HQ login.
- First: Menu > Overview > Get started (four short steps).
- Help: Menu > Overview > Help center, or the Help button at the top.

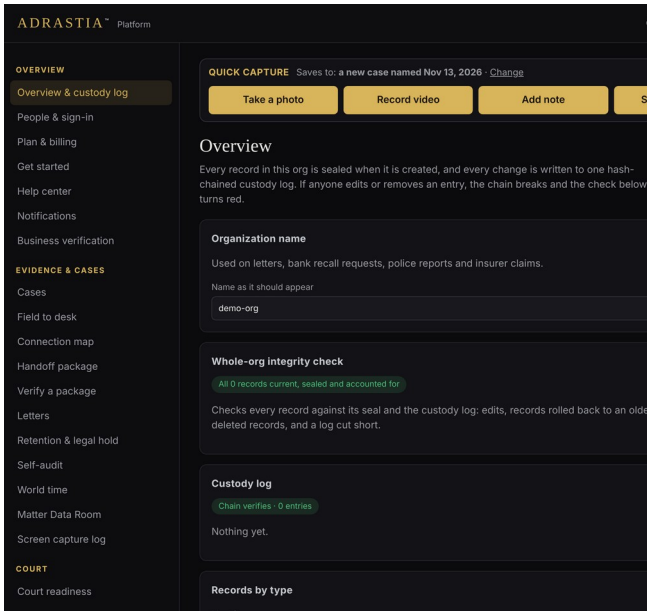
How it connects to the rest of Adrastia

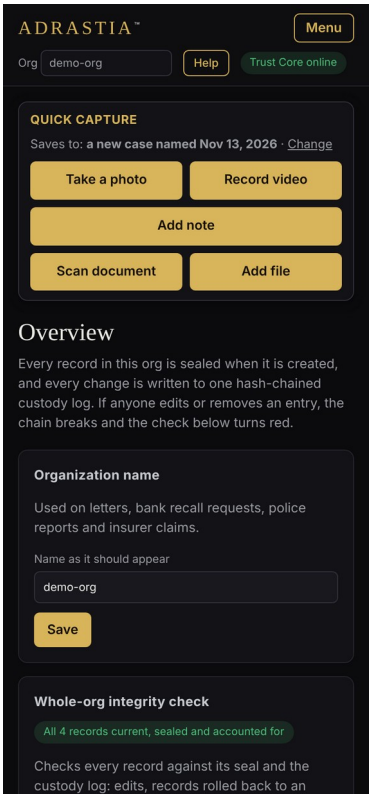
Aegis runs on top of an HQ plan and shares its sign-in. The Continuity screens share the Continuity Vault sold in Oathcrest.

Adrastia Aegis: every component

Aegis is the protection layer added to an HQ plan (HQ > Plan & billing > Add Aegis). It runs at app.adrastiahq.com. The left menu groups every screen: Overview, Evidence & Cases, Court, Network, Daily Brief, Security, Continuity. On a phone, tap Menu. Screens your plan does not include sit under More features (upgrade). Status: LIVE.

Overview and setup

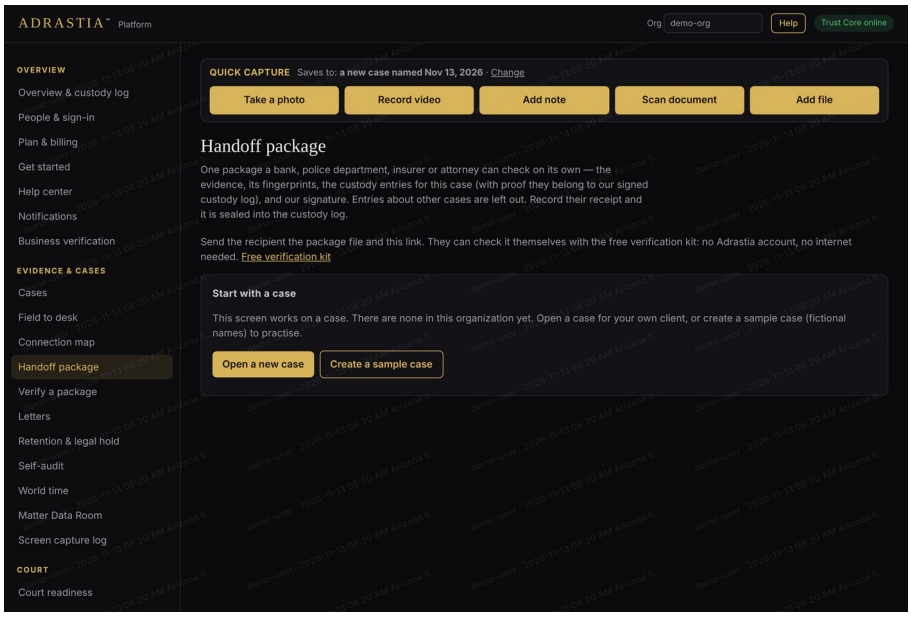




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Quick capture	Take a photo, Record video, Add note, Scan document, Add file, at the top of the main screens. **Use:** Seal a photo of a fake invoice the moment you see it.	Field	Top of Overview, Cases and trace screens *Goes to the case you pick; Change is one tap.*
Overview & custody log	Your organization name, the whole-org integrity check and the custody log. **Use:** Prove no record in the organization was edited or deleted.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Overview & custody log
People & sign-in	Who can sign in and what each person may do. **Use:** Add a bookkeeper as a member and an outside reviewer as read-only partner.	Desk	Menu > Overview > People & sign-in *Owners only add people.*
Plan & billing	Your plan, what it includes, and changing it. **Use:** See which screens your plan covers.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Plan & billing
Get started	Four setup steps: readiness scan, a teammate, a data export, your Daily Brief. **Use:** Set up a new office in one sitting.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Get started
Help center	Answers to common questions and a Contact support form. **Use:** Ask support a question; a person reviews every answer.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Help center

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Notifications	Choose which notices you get and how often the Daily Brief comes. **Use:** Get payment alerts by email, the brief weekly.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Notifications *Email now; no text messages.*
Business verification	Shows whether your business details were checked. **Use:** Clear a hold by sending the documents asked for.	Desk	Menu > Overview > Business verification
More features (upgrade)	Screens your plan does not include, and which plan does. **Use:** See what Court readiness would need.	Desk	Menu > More > More features (upgrade) *Shows only when something is locked.*

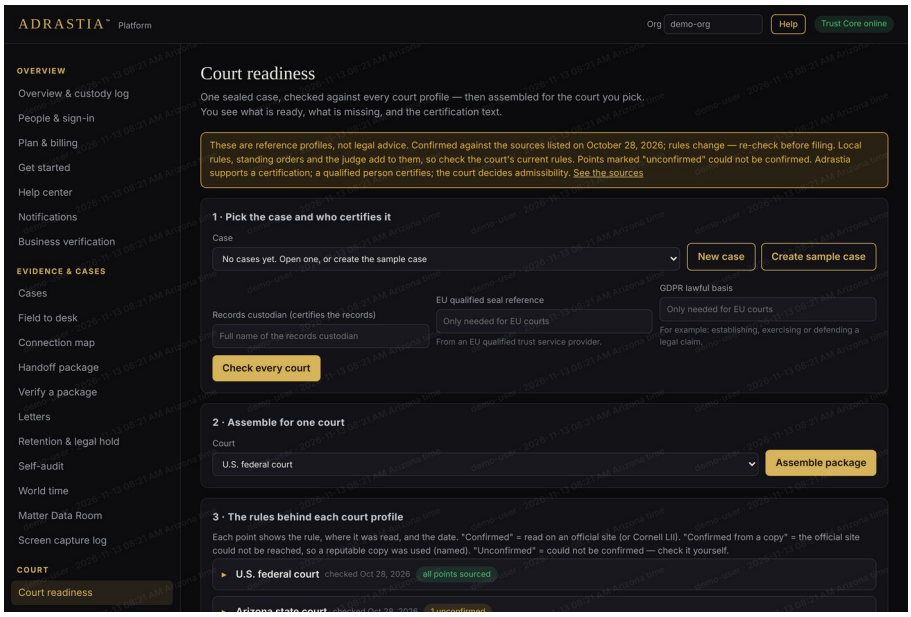
Evidence & Cases



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Cases	Open a case for a client; it is sealed and put on legal hold at once. **Use:** Open a case for a business hit by invoice fraud.	Both	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Cases *Matters on the attorney plan.*
Field to desk	Matches what was seen in the field to the digital trail. **Use:** Line up the parking-lot video with the login records.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Field to desk
Connection map	Shows how people, accounts and companies in a case connect, with proof. **Use:** See the same phone number tied to two shell companies.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Connection map
Handoff package	One package a bank, police, insurer or attorney can check on their own. **Use:** Give the detective the evidence with its custody entries.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Handoff package *Free verification kit for recipients.*
Verify a package	Checks a handoff package was not changed. **Use:** Re-check a package before trial.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Verify a package
Letters	Drafts an evidence-hold letter and a case summary for counsel. **Use:** Send a preservation letter to the phone carrier.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Letters *Drafts only; you read and sign.*
Retention & legal hold	How long each case is kept, and legal holds. **Use:** Stop disposal while a lawsuit is pending.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Retention & legal hold
Self-audit	Re-checks a random sample of everything sealed. **Use:** Show an insurer the records hold up.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Self-audit

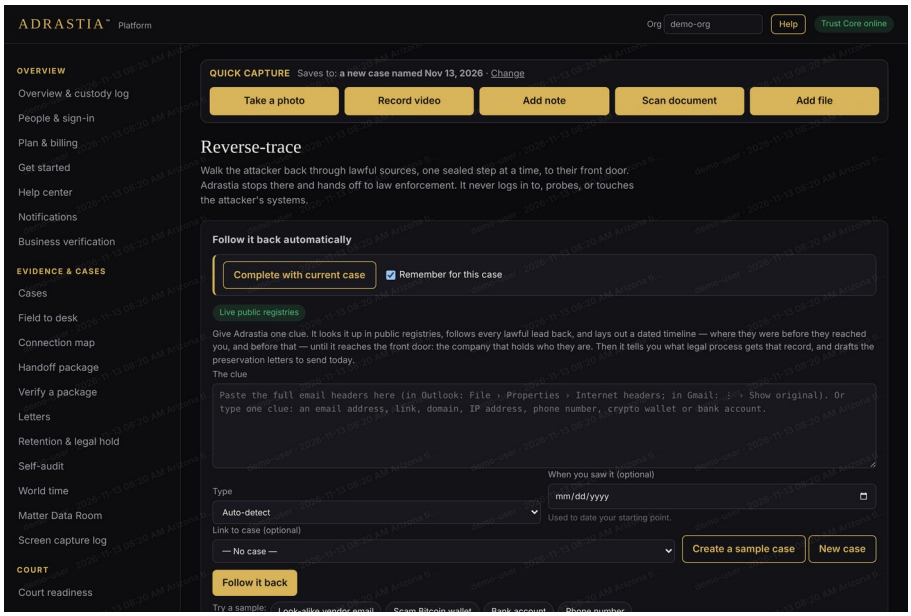
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World time	Shows a moment in every time zone and checks a device clock. **Use:** Convert a scammer's overseas time stamp.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > World time
Matter Data Room	A sealed room for one legal matter: exhibits, people, and who opened what. **Use:** Share exhibits with opposing counsel and see each view.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Matter Data Room *Attorneys & Law Enforcement plan.*
Screen capture log	Copies, prints and screen captures noticed on evidence screens. **Use:** See that someone printed a sensitive exhibit.	Desk	Menu > Evidence & Cases > Screen capture log *A web page cannot block phone cameras.*

Court



Name on screen	What it is · what it does for you	Where	How to get there · notes
Court readiness	Checks a case against court profiles and builds the court package. **Use:** See what is ready and missing for a federal court.	Desk	Menu > Court > Court readiness *Reference only; the court decides.*
Bot detection	Tells a script from a person in a session's activity. **Use:** Show a login spree came from a bot, not the employee.	Desk	Menu > Court > Bot detection
Investigator network	Registers investigators and assigns one with no conflicts. **Use:** Assign a licensed PI in the right state.	Desk	Menu > Court > Investigator network

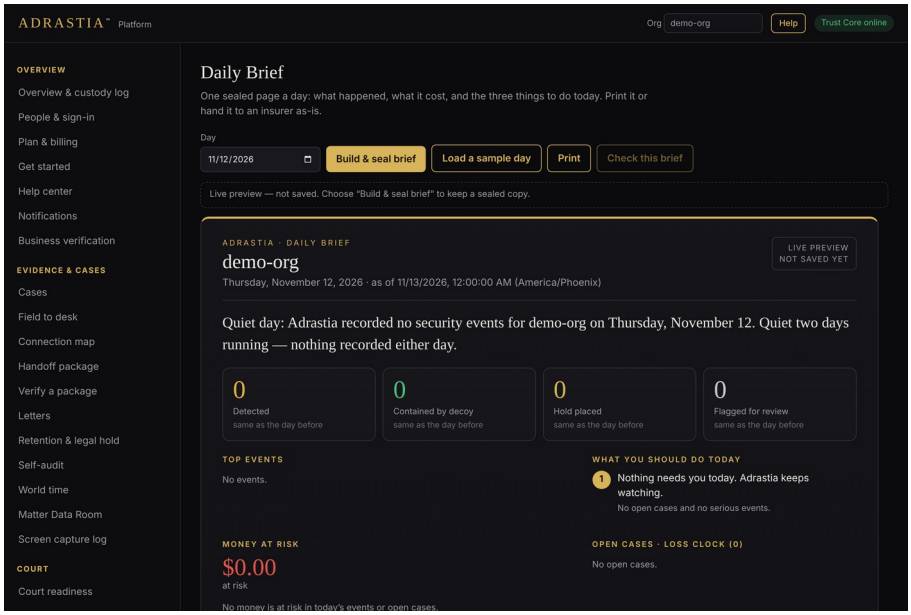
Network: tracing and many victims



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Reverse-trace	Follows a scammer back, one lawful sealed step at a time, to their front door. **Use:** Trace a fake-invoice email to the account that took the money.	Desk	Menu > Network > Reverse-trace *Never hacks back; hands off to police.*
Front door (many victims)	Joins trails from several victims that end at the same front door. **Use:** Show police one account took money from four clients.	Desk	Menu > Network > Front door (many victims)
Payee check	Checks a vendor and bank account before money moves. **Use:** Catch “changed bank details” before paying.	Desk	Menu > Network > Payee check
Departing-employee watch	Watches for data leaving around an employee's last day. **Use:** Spot a client list emailed out the week before a resignation.	Desk	Menu > Network > Departing-employee watch
Cross-client matching	Warns other members about the same attacker without sharing your data. **Use:** Learn the same sender hit two other members.	Desk	Menu > Network > Cross-client matching *Only keyed fingerprints are shared.*
Restitution tracker	Follows a case from referral to court to repayment. **Use:** Track each restitution payment to the victim.	Desk	Menu > Network > Restitution tracker
Network alerts	Everything the Network screens caught, newest first. **Use:** Start the day with new matches.	Desk	Menu > Network > Network alerts
My directory listing	Lists your investigator business so members can find you. **Use:** Get referrals from members in your state.	Desk	Menu > Network > My directory listing
Find an investigator	Searches licensed investigators who are members. **Use:** Find a PI in another county.	Desk	Menu > Network > Find an investigator
Email header trace	Paste an email's headers and see who vouched for the sender. **Use:** Show which server really sent the spoofed email.	Desk	Menu > Network > Email header trace
Lawful trace record	One sealed record that proves each trace step was lawful. **Use:** Answer a defense challenge to how you traced.	Desk	Menu > Network > Lawful trace record

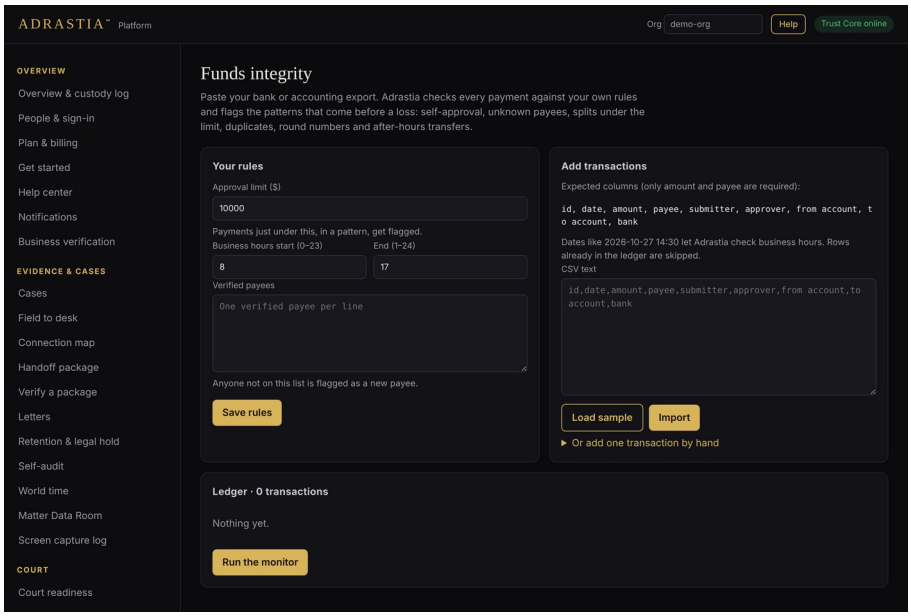
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Protective Trace	A sealed receipt for police when an unknown sender harasses someone. **Use:** Give police a sealed request for a stalker's identity.	Desk	Menu > Network > Protective Trace *The sender's details go only to police or a court.*

Daily Brief



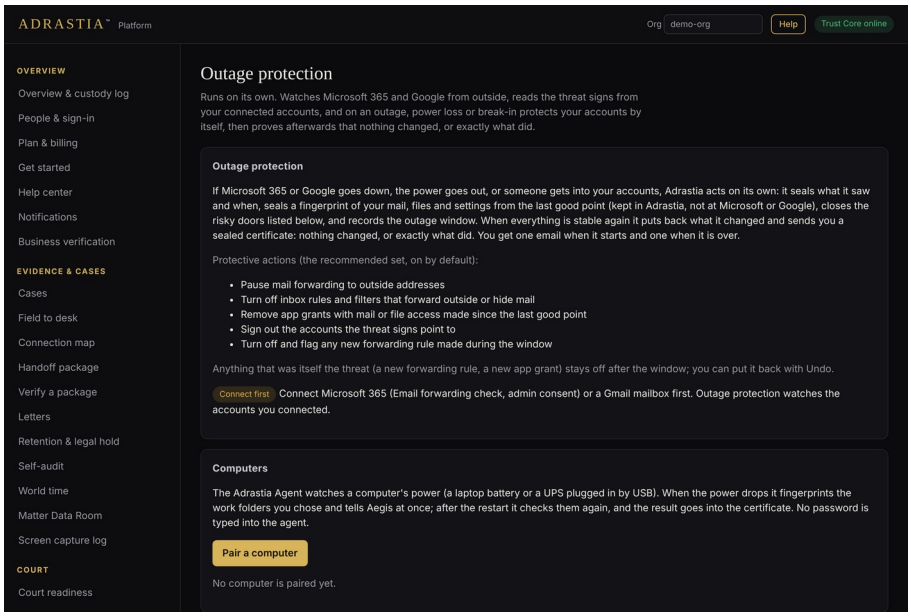
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Daily Brief	One sealed page a day: what happened, what it may cost, three things to do. **Use:** Read it with morning coffee.	Desk	Menu > Daily Brief > Daily Brief *Built each morning, 6:30 AM Arizona time.*
Notification Matrix	Who hears about what, how and when. **Use:** Send payee-change alerts to the owner and finance.	Desk	Menu > Daily Brief > Notification Matrix
Outbox	Every message the rules would send, and every one they held back. **Use:** See why a 2 AM alert waited until morning.	Desk	Menu > Daily Brief > Outbox
AI assistant	Paste text and get an AI draft a person checks before it counts. **Use:** Turn a scam email into a plain-English summary.	Desk	Menu > Daily Brief > AI assistant *Uses an outside AI service.*

Security: money and readiness



Name on screen	What it is · what it does for you	Where	How to get there · notes
Readiness scan	Eight yes-or-no questions; get a score out of 100 and the gaps to fix. **Use:** Show an insurer your progress over time.	Desk	Menu > Security > Readiness scan
Funds integrity	Paste a bank or accounting export and check every payment against your rules. **Use:** Flag a split payment under the approval limit.	Desk	Menu > Security > Funds integrity *A flag is a lead, not a finding.*
Cases from alerts	Cases opened from payment alerts and decoy touches. **Use:** Work a flagged payment as a case.	Desk	Menu > Security > Cases from alerts
Learned normal	Learns your normal payments and flags the ones that are not. **Use:** Catch a first-ever wire to a new country.	Desk	Menu > Security > Learned normal
Scam signals	Hard-to-recover payments and early scam setup signs. **Use:** Spot a look-alike domain registered last week.	Desk	Menu > Security > Scam signals
Scam library	Known scams in full, marked for your organization. **Use:** Train staff on the closing wire-fraud script.	Desk	Menu > Security > Scam library
Gap Finder	Self-audit of your mail, website, front office and money rights. **Use:** Find an old employee who can still approve payments.	Desk	Menu > Security > Gap Finder
Automated activity	Finds activity too fast or too even for a person. **Use:** Show 300 logins in a minute were a script.	Desk	Menu > Security > Automated activity

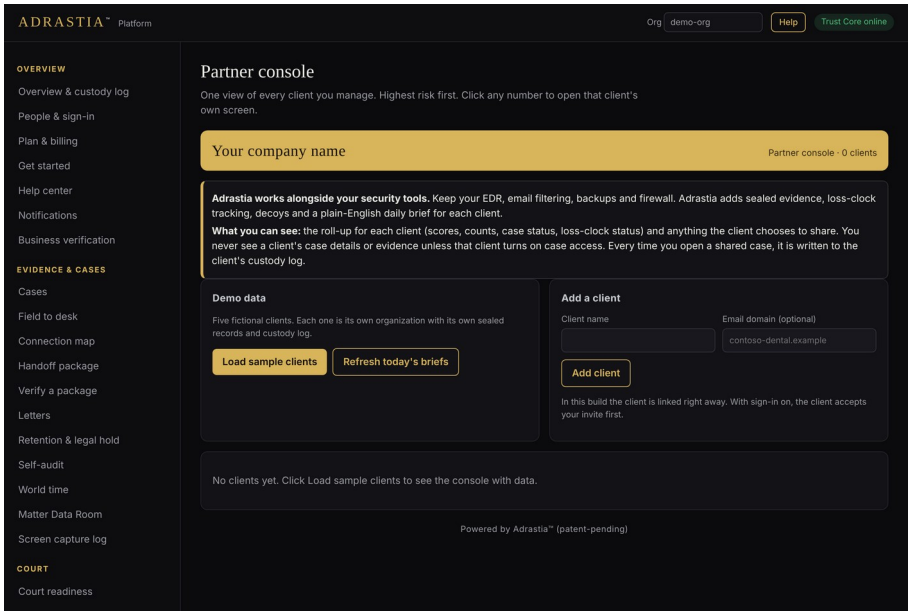
Security: accounts, intruders and outages



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Connect your accounts	Connect your bank, QuickBooks, Microsoft 365 or Google so Adrastia checks them on its own. **Use:** New payments flow into the money watch.	Desk	Menu > Security > Connect your accounts *Live feeds need each provider's approval; until then use file imports.*
Email forwarding check	Checks mailboxes for hidden forwarding rules. **Use:** Find the rule a hacker set to copy the CFO's mail.	Desk	Menu > Security > Email forwarding check *Needs Google or Microsoft approval.*
Email records	Checks your SPF, DKIM and DMARC email records. **Use:** Stop scammers sending mail as your domain.	Desk	Menu > Security > Email records
Outage protection	Protects accounts by itself in an outage or break-in, then proves what changed. **Use:** Microsoft goes down; you get a sealed nothing-changed certificate.	Desk	Menu > Security > Outage protection *Owner turns it on once with a two-step code.*
Decoys	False doors in your own systems that record who touches them. **Use:** A fake “payroll” file catches an intruder.	Desk	Menu > Security > Decoys *Passive; never reaches out.*
Decoy layers	The decoy layout each intruder gets, and when it moves. **Use:** See which decoys an intruder opened.	Desk	Menu > Security > Decoy layers
Antivirus bridge	Brings in your antivirus reports and shows where products agree. **Use:** Confirm two products flagged the same file.	Desk	Menu > Security > Antivirus bridge *Import reports as files.*
Trust Core	Key-holder sign-off, erase a record for good, warrant canary, certifier and code checks. **Use:** Require two key-holders to erase a record.	Desk	Menu > Security > Trust Core
Site diary	Records a place's own hum and machine times. **Use:** Later prove a recording came from your office.	Desk	Menu > Security > Site diary *Uses the microphone after a warning.*
Reality Vault	Checks whether a recording came from your place at the time claimed. **Use:** Test a doctored audio clip.	Desk	Menu > Security > Reality Vault *Needs a Site diary first.*
Data broker opt-out	Removes a person's details from people-search sites. **Use:** Get a victim's home address offline.	Desk	Menu > Security > Data broker opt-out *You send each opt-out; Adrastia keeps the record.*

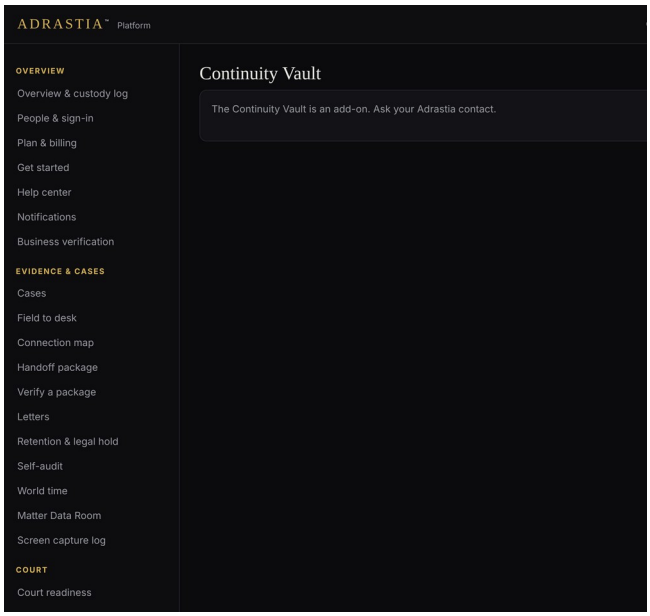
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Scam Check	Check a call, email, text or picture for scam signs, one big button at a time. **Use:** A grandparent checks a “family emergency” call.	Field	Menu > Security > Scam Check *Built for seniors.*
Personal and joint accounts	Watches a personal or joint bank account for scam payments. **Use:** Two siblings watch a parent's account.	Desk	Menu > Account watch > Personal and joint accounts *Add-on. Needs the bank-connection provider's approval.*

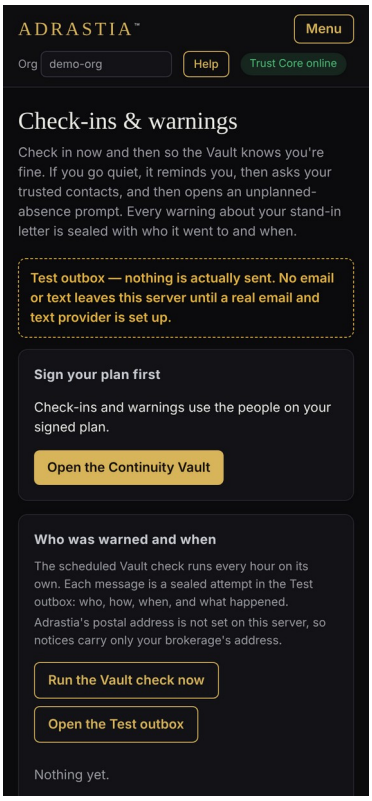
IT partner screens



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Partner console	Every client an IT partner manages, highest risk first. **Use:** An IT firm sees which client needs a call today.	Desk	Menu > IT partner > Partner console *For IT partners.*
Client reports	Monthly readiness reports with the partner's name and colors. **Use:** Send each client a branded report.	Desk	Menu > IT partner > Client reports
Brand & billing	The partner's company name and color on the console and reports. **Use:** Put your logo color on reports.	Desk	Menu > IT partner > Brand & billing
What my IT partner sees	Choose what your IT partner can see. **Use:** Share scores but not case details.	Desk	Menu > IT partner > What my IT partner sees *Each case opening is logged.*
Scheduled jobs	The work Adrastia does on its own clock, and each run. **Use:** Change when the Daily Brief is built.	Desk	Menu > Operations > Scheduled jobs
Test outbox	Each alert handed out once it is due, and what happened. **Use:** Confirm an alert went out.	Desk	Menu > Operations > Test outbox

Continuity (also sold in Oathcrest)





Name on screen	What it is · what it does for you	Where	How to get there · notes
Continuity Vault	Your continuity plan: stand-ins, trusted contacts and letters. **Use:** Name who supervises the brokerage if you are hurt.	Desk	Menu > Continuity > Continuity Vault *Patent-pending.*
Stand-in desk	Records what the stand-in approves or signs while you are out. **Use:** Check each stand-in act against the letter.	Desk	Menu > Continuity > Stand-in desk
Check-ins & warnings	Check in so the Vault knows you are fine; see who was warned. **Use:** Tap “I'm fine” from the phone.	Field	Menu > Continuity > Check-ins & warnings
If I can't come back	The plan if you cannot return, opened when enough trusted contacts confirm. **Use:** Build an audit package a state auditor can check.	Desk	Menu > Continuity > If I can't come back

Adrastia owner screens

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Morning brief	Sealed morning page: sign-ups, failures, jobs and support. **Use:** Start the day knowing what broke.	Desk	Menu > Adrastia owner > Morning brief *Adrastia owner only.*
Support inbox	Customer questions with a suggested answer you approve. **Use:** Answer a customer in one click after reading it.	Desk	Menu > Adrastia owner > Support inbox *Adrastia owner only.*
Screening review	Review new-account screening flags; a person decides each one. **Use:** Hold a sign-up that matches a scam number.	Desk	Menu > Owner > Screening review *Adrastia owner only.*
Scam playbook	The confidential scam playbook and what each scam looks like. **Use:** Check how a scam is detected.	Desk	Menu > Owner > Scam playbook *Adrastia owner only.*

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Look-back review	Accounts that looked something up before any victim reported it. **Use:** Spot a scammer testing the network.	Desk	Menu > Owner > Look-back review *Adrastia owner only.*
Leak findings	Paste leaked scam-library text and see which account it came from. **Use:** Find who leaked the library.	Desk	Menu > Owner > Leak findings *Adrastia owner only.*
Library growth	Scam patterns members send in, and when they are listed. **Use:** Add a new scam to the library.	Desk	Menu > Owner > Library growth *Adrastia owner only.*
Self-attack	Attacks a sandbox copy of Adrastia on a schedule and lists weak spots. **Use:** Find a weak spot before an attacker does.	Desk	Menu > Operations (owner-only screen) *Adrastia owner only.*

Quick answers

Question	Answer
Does Aegis replace my antivirus?	No. It works alongside antivirus, email filtering and backups.
Does Reverse-trace hack back?	No. It follows lawful sources only and stops at the front door, then hands off to law enforcement.
Is a flag a finding?	No. A flag is a lead for a person to review.
Do I have to do anything during an outage?	No. Once the owner turns Outage protection on, it acts by itself and seals a certificate afterward.
Can bank and Microsoft feeds connect today?	Each provider must approve Adrastia first. Until then, use file imports.