



# A strategic partnership to enable an adapted workplace

As the world continues to adjust to new ways of living and working, many organizations are looking to plan for the future, reopening offices and evolving continuity strategies.



The scope and scale of back to office plans vary between organizations. Some offices have already opened, while others are putting plans in place to bring employees back gradually over coming months. Others say employees can work from home until at least the middle of 2021, with some announcing a permanent remote work set-up option.

Whatever the plan may be for your organization, technology will play a key role in ensuring a smooth transition to support long term remote or hybrid working. Many organizations are already investing in infrastructure to maintain productivity and print security for a distributed workforce.

HP MPS helps your back to the office teams work safely, securely and productively reducing some of the pressures for IT and Ops leaders.

As a trusted partner in providing hardware, software, supplies and solutions, HP is more than a supplier, working with organizations to deliver the services they need to keep teams connected, productive and secure wherever they need to be.



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## Security first

A more remote workforce is a less secure one. While IT leaders have had to accelerate efforts in providing secure home printing solutions, research indicates that almost 80% of those working from home are printing less than when in the office.<sup>1</sup>

Organizations will need to consider that employees who do return to office working may have become accustomed to printing less, so IT teams need to ensure that their new print set-up still meets end-user needs and optimizes experiences.

[HP Secure Managed Print Services](#) can help you identify gaps in your defenses, protect your print devices and data, and address compliance. HP global experts help manage your print fleet with the industry's strongest print security protections. These consultants and specialists can assess, develop, implement and manage print security through three service options:

- **HP Print Security Advisory Service**
- **HP Print Security Governance and Compliance Service**
- **HP Print Implementation Service**

[HP Remote Management Services](#) allows for your entire print fleet to be remotely managed by a dedicated HP fleet engineer, who can easily and quickly create device security policies to safeguard your fleet and reduce network risks against evolving security threats.

Entrusting HP to manage configuration policies, firmware updates, and other print management tasks can help to improve fleet performance and address issues like software bugs and security patches so that operations can keep moving forward.

## Improved workflow to meet changing employee behaviors

To meet the needs of the evolving workplaces, organization must act fast. There is an increased need to provide solutions for the adapted environment that help improve workflow and productivity with as little disruption to the organization, safely and securely.

[HP Flexworker](#) helps bridge the gap for remote workers, giving them the ability to order the right HP printer, HP CarePack and supplies through an easy-to-use portal. This allows for a simplified experience and higher productivity for your employees while giving you greater visibility and better control over supplies and IT spend.

Simplify the way teams work and overcome traditional paper-to-digital barriers through the use of printer apps with [HP Workpath](#). **HP Workpath** integrates with core organizational platforms such as OneDrive and Dropbox, and offers a variety of capabilities for streamlining digital workflows and securing confidential information – while creating an intuitive user experience to ensure data and content travel.



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## Advancing your print eco-system in a cloud-connected world

It will be more important than ever for organizational and IT leadership to continue to assess how they deliver cloud-enabled digital workflow services while supporting their cloud print infrastructure transformation.

In a dispersed working environment where organizations are looking for continued opportunities to better support employees, cloud print services are emerging as an effective way to implement a cost-effective, scalable and sustainable print infrastructure.

A Cloud environment helps:

- Extend a more secured and controlled environment for remote worker settings
- Test newly designed workflows with confidence, and
- Replicate them quickly with preconfigured tested configurations



**HP Managed Print Cloud Services**  
delivers secure provisioning and management through the cloud for your print infrastructure, across home, office, public, and shared spaces, end-to-end.

HP transitions your entire print ecosystem to the cloud and manages your print software stack which, in turn can help lower your technology footprint costs, free up valuable IT resources and speed innovation and experiences.

## More than a supplier – HP is your valued, trusted partner.

HP Managed Print Services are an enabler for business transformation across cloud workflows, innovation and adaptive working during this period of accelerated change.

An industry leader with a deep understanding of endpoint device users, HP offers tailored services and solutions that allow you to harness and optimally manage the power of your IT print infrastructure both today and as business needs evolve.

HP works with you to drive custom-built, personalized workflow solutions and create outcomes that can give you a competitive edge – freeing up capital for other investments, reducing operational expenses, improving how your employees work and protecting information.



Contact your HP Representative or visit [hp.com/go/MPS](https://hp.com/go/MPS) to find out more.

### Reference

<sup>1</sup> Quocirca, [What role will printing play in the post covid-19 workplace?](#), April 2020

