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Description: Candidates should know how to set up a basic level of host security.

Key Knowledge Areas:

- Awareness of shadow passwords and how they work
- Turn off network services not in use
- Understand the role of TCP wrappers

Terms and Utilities:

- /etc/nologin
- /etc/passwd
- /etc/shadow
- /etc/xinetd.d/
- /etc/xinetd.conf
- /etc/inetd.d/
- /etc/inetd.conf
- /etc/inittab
- /etc/init.d/
- /etc/hosts.allow
- /etc/hosts.deny