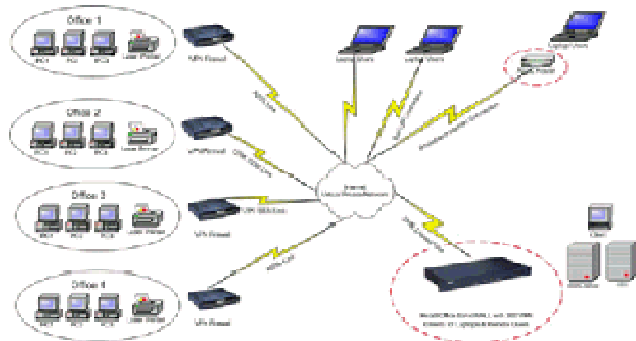


Virtual Private Networks

Remote access solutions are becoming increasingly popular as telecommuting and other needs are providing the ability for today's office workers to be productive anytime anywhere. MHS has a fundamental understanding of the technologies required to implement remote access solutions, many times using Virtual-Private-Networks (VPNs). VPNs allow secure connectivity from the public internet to private corporate networks.

The MHS Group utilizes specialty tools to deliver client-to-site and site-to-site VPN connectivity with robust security and high levels of compatibility. The MHS Group provides multi-form authentication and other "strong" authentication methods. We also can provide ongoing support, maintenance and reporting on the deployed solution.

In addition to offering VPN solutions, The MHS Group can also support technologies which compliment remote access. One example is the use of Microsoft Windows 2003 Terminal Server in combination with Citrix Metaframe products. The VPN is the conduit into the network, and the Terminal Server is the application server providing centralized manageability of network applications.



The MHS Group can completely assess your needs, provide recommendations, implement, test, and support the remote access solution. Our MSP services can also be used to remotely support and report on the solution.

The MHS Group can also integrate with Microsoft Active Directory and other directories to provide for secure authentication using your existing authentication methods currently deployed within your network.

The key benefits to VPN/Remote Access Technology are:

- Provide, secure, any time any where access to private data networks
- Get information into the hands of workers, securely and quickly
- Very secure
- Reduces costs in comparison to modem pools and other methods of remote access
- Extend the benefits of the corporate network to home and remote workers

