

THE TOP FIVE WAYS TO EMPOWER YOUR PUBLIC SECTOR FIELD WORKFORCE



MORE PUBLIC SECTOR ORGANISATIONS ARE CONSIDERING COMPUTACENTER AND GOOGLE CHROME OS TO EMPOWER EMPLOYEES IN THE FIELD. HERE ARE FIVE REASONS WHY:

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WORK FROM ANYWHERE, SO EMPLOYEES CAN SERVE AT THE POINT OF NEED

Social care professionals, police officers and other field workers have always delivered services remotely and in the community. But now they can do more, wherever they work.

The cloud-first Google Chrome OS is ideal for any-location operation. Previously public sector employees might have to return to the office to update case notes after each appointment. With Chrome OS they can access and input information on-site or on-the-move – even when offline.

Chrome OS also allows access to productivity tools within Google Workspace, Microsoft Office 365, Zoom and others. Employees can use the applications they trust, wherever, whenever. And they can collaborate via video, email or chat, regardless of their location.



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SAVING MONEY TO REINVEST IN STRATEGIC PROJECTS

Time and money are two precious commodities in the public sector. Computacenter and Chrome OS can save the IT department both.

The optimised nature of Chrome OS makes devices easier and faster to deploy. And with Computacenter's device management services, including delivery, updates, repair and replace, IT is free to concentrate on higher-value tasks.

Computacenter's proven methodologies in matching a variety of Chrome OS devices to users also give the IT team extra flexibility on procurement. They can equip field workers more cost effectively and reinvest savings elsewhere.

Enterprise Strategy Group research shows deployment time savings of ¹

76%

¹ Enterprise Strategy Group research available [here](#)



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PRODUCTIVITY, SO EMPLOYEES CAN SERVE MORE CITIZENS, FASTER

The public sector workforce fell by 14.4% between 2010 and 2020². At the same time, the UK population grew by around five million³. Today, public sector organisations must do more with less.

Computacenter and Chrome OS make the difference. Because Chrome OS is cloud-based, downtime is reduced and productivity soars. User profiles are stored in the cloud, so employees can start immediately on a new device if theirs is lost or damaged. Computacenter delivers new or replacement devices to multiple locations, limiting unproductive time.

Chrome OS also cuts downtime in every working day. A simplified app landscape means Chromebooks can boot up in just **six seconds**. Automatic updates are less intrusive, while a dual operating system design means employees can continue to work on one while the other is updated.

² House of Commons Library, Public sector employment by parliamentary constituency, Dec 2020 ³ ONS UK population figures



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SECURITY, TO KEEP CITIZEN DATA SAFE



New and sophisticated ransomware attacks and the threat of data breaches or lost devices are a constant worry for CIOs. Chrome OS gives them the confidence to allow employees to access data and use apps from remote locations.

Chrome OS is secure-by-design. Its streamlined application environment means no third-party antivirus software is required. Read-only, sandboxing and verified boot provide added protection, while regular seamless updates ensure security continually evolves.

Computacenter further strengthens organisational security by advising on appropriate measures for remote workers. With more than 7,000 dedicated workplace specialists and consultants combined with 30-plus years of workplace technology experience, it can advise on pragmatic, proactive security procedures that don't sacrifice productivity.



Learn how Computacenter and Google Chrome can cut cost, downtime and emissions from your IT operations while boosting productivity and efficiency.

[Find out more](#)

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Chrome OS devices consume as much as

46%

less energy than comparable competitor devices⁴

SUSTAINABILITY TO DELIVER ON ORGANISATIONAL TARGETS



Reviewing carbon and greenhouse gas emissions in the supply chain is becoming standard in all public sector operations - including IT.

Computacenter and Google Chrome are committed to sustainability. Computacenter can redeploy, recycle or even retire devices responsibly at end-of-use. Google has a carbon free

pledge by 2030, while Chrome OS's cloud-first design also has an impact. A partnership with Computacenter and Google Chrome can contribute to meeting your organisation's sustainability goals.

⁴ Proceedings of The 10th International Conference on Sustainable Energy Information Technology



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