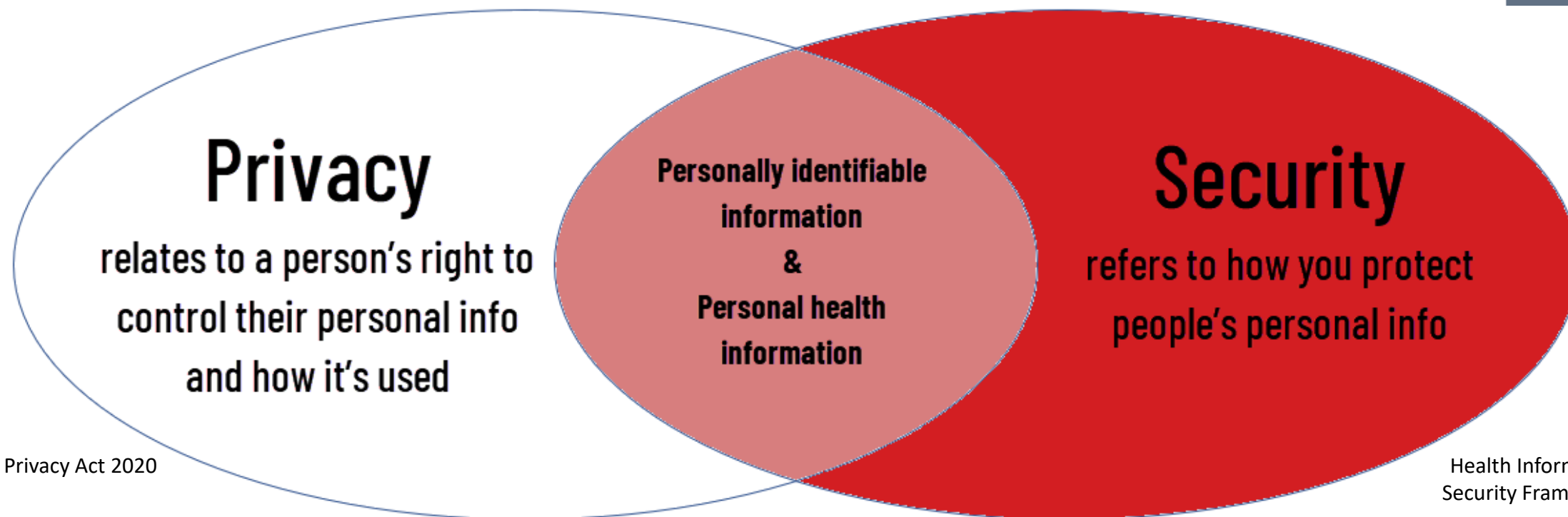




# Securing health information



# Privacy vs. security



Health providers' have **both privacy and security** responsibilities

# When managing information, consider:



## Confidentiality

Access to health and disability information is **limited to authorised users for approved purposes**

## Integrity

Data and information is **accurate, consistent, authentic and complete**. It has been properly created and has not been tampered with, damaged or subject to accidental or unauthorised changes. Information integrity applies to all information, including **paper as well as electronic documents**

## Availability

Authorised users' ability to access defined information for **authorised purposes** at the time they need to do so - [HISF](#)

# Health information & security



A health and disability sector-wide Health Information Security Framework ([HISF](#)) advises how health information is created, displayed, processed, transported, has persistence and is disposed of in a way that maintains the information's confidentiality, integrity and availability.

## **HISF frames health providers' responsibilities**

The HISF standard is approved by the Health Information Standards Organisation ([HISO](#))

# Securing health info – minimum requirements



The MoH expects all health organisations to meet baseline requirements for securing health information

## [Digital, data & technology services – minimum requirements](#)

# HISF & your business

Please indicate your interest in attending a HISF workshop run by the THINK Hauora Chief Technology Officer

During the workshop you will:

- undertake an analysis of information management practice in your business
- generate an action plan targeted on bringing your business into compliance with HISF

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