

2-Day Table of Contents for CCFA (CrowdStrike Certified Falcon Administrator) Exam Preparation

Day 1: User and Sensor Management, Host Setup, and Group Creation

- **1.0 User Management**
 - 1.1 Determine roles required for access to Falcon console features.
 - 1.2 Create roles and assign users based on permissions.
 - 1.3 Manage API Keys for user and system access.
 - **2.0 Sensor Deployment**
 - 2.1 Prerequisites for successful sensor installation on supported OS.
 - 2.2 Analyze default policies and best practices for preparing workloads.
 - 2.3 Uninstall a Falcon sensor.
 - 2.4 Troubleshoot sensor issues and resolution strategies.
 - **3.0 Host Management & Setup**
 - 3.1 Using filters in the Host Management page.
 - 3.2 Disabling detections for a host and understanding its impact.
 - 3.3 Reduced Functionality Mode (RFM) impact and causes.
 - 3.4 Finding hosts in RFM and locating inactive sensors.
 - 3.5 Retention time for inactive sensors.
 - 3.6 Relevant reports for host management.
 - **4.0 Group Creation**
 - 4.1 Assigning endpoints to appropriate groups and their policy implications.
 - 4.2 Best practices for managing host groups.
 - **Practical Exercises (Hands On)**
 - Hands-on with user roles, sensor deployment, and group creation in Falcon.
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Day 2: Policy Application, Rule Configuration, Dashboards, and Workflows

- **5.0 Policy Application**
 - 5.1 Prevention policy settings and their effect on security posture.
 - 5.2 Sensor update policy settings to manage update processes.
 - 5.3 Role and policy settings management, reviewing RTR audit logs.
 - 5.4 Understanding containment policies and security workflow requirements.
 - 5.5 Configuring containment policies for IP or subnet exclusions.
 - 5.6 Managing quarantined files and understanding policy options.
- **6.0 Rule Configuration**
 - 6.1 Creating custom IOA rules for non-malicious behavior monitoring.
 - 6.2 Interpreting business requirements to resolve false positives.
 - 6.3 Configuring IOC settings for customized security postures.

- **6.4** Managing configurations across the CID in General Settings.
 - **7.0 Dashboards and Reports**
 - **7.1** Understanding sensor reports and their use cases.
 - **7.2** Audit logs and their significance in monitoring activity.
 - **8.0 Workflows**
 - **8.1** Configuring workflows for automated responses to triggers.
 - **Practical Exercises (Hands On)**
 - Setting up policies, configuring rules, and generating reports in Falcon.
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Implementation Plan:

Each day will include a mix of theoretical learning, live demonstrations, and practical exercises to ensure understanding of CCFA topics and exam readiness.