



My research focuses on finding a potential solution to solving liability issues when cybersecurity breaches happen in the healthcare industry. I chose to use a collage to represent my topic because this is not necessarily a sequential topic and many of its facets are interconnected. A collage provided a good way of representing this interconnectedness physically using overlapping images and very little free space. After reading the Ramage article, I wanted to be very focused with my use of text as well as its font and color. I wanted the images to be the main point of the collage, but a specific use of text felt important to highlight “Code Blue.” This is a common term in hospitals for when a patient is in critical condition and all hands are needed to help save them. Cybersecurity professionals also have a connection here because when computers crash, they often have the “blue screen of death” and some professionals will even ironically call this a code blue. Making the text red provided a juxtaposition to the calm blue of the collage, highlighting its importance and its severity. I chose images that represented the three main disciplines of my paper: the guilty paper, handcuffs, and judge’s gavel for law; the patient and surgical heart monitor for health sciences; and the broken computer screen and hacked screen for cybersecurity. The heart lock represents how cybersecurity can protect physical health, often depicted as a heart. The gravestone represents the worst-case-scenario of what could happen to a patient if a cybersecurity incident were to occur. It is based on this worst-case-scenario that the legal professions need to be involved to establish liability or negligence. As a whole, I believe this collage works well as a visual representation of my research topic and allows for viewers to start thinking about these connections in a new way.

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