What is claimed is:

1. A method of facilitating client identifying data, CID, target-state-compliant computer-executable applications, the method being implemented on a computer that includes one or more processors, the method comprising:

providing, to a first user, a CID questionnaire that includes one or more requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with an application;

receiving, from the first user, one or more inputs to the one or more information requests;

determining current state information associated with the application based on the one or more inputs and one or more CID-related criteria, wherein the current state information includes risk information indicating current CID exposure associated with the application, wherein the risk information indicates severity of the current CID exposure;

wherein the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following first CID-related criteria:

CID types of exposed CID,

types of clients associated with the exposed CID, or

an amount of the clients associated with the exposed CID, and

wherein the severity of the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following second CID-related criteria:

an amount of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

types of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

domains in which the exposed CID is accessible, or

data protection being applied for the exposed CID;

calculating the current CID exposure based on the one or more first CID-related criteria and first potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

calculating the severity of the current CID exposure based on the one or more second CID-related criteria and second potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

receiving target state information associated with the application; and

providing remediation information associated with the application to one or more users, wherein the remediation information is determined based on the current state information and the target state information, and wherein the step of providing the remediation information further comprises displaying a user interface indicating:

the remediation information indicating one or more remedial actions to be taken for the application to become compliant with the target state information;

the current CID exposure; and

the severity of the current CID exposure.

2. The method of claim 1, further comprising determining compliance status information associated with the application.

3. The method of claim 2, wherein the compliance status information indicates compliance of the application with the target state information based on a determination that the one or more remedial actions have been taken.

4. The method of claim 3, further comprising:

determining expiration information associated with the compliance status information; and

modifying the compliance status information to indicate non-compliance of the application based on the expiration information indicating that the compliance status information has expired.

5. The method of one of claims 1-4, further comprising:

providing, to the first user or another user, a second CID questionnaire that includes one or more second requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with the application, wherein at least one of the one or more second information requests includes at least one of the one or more information requests;

receiving, from the first user or another user, one or more second inputs to the one or more second information requests; and

re-determining the current state information associated with the application based on the one or more second inputs and the one or more CID-related criteria.

6. The method of one of claims 1-5, wherein the target state information indicates target CID exposure relating to one or more of user interaction with CID, processing of CID, or storage of CID.

7. The method of one of claims 1-6, further comprising:

providing the one or more inputs to a second user; and

receiving affirmation information associated with the one or more inputs in response to providing the one or more inputs, wherein the current state information is determined based on the receipt of the affirmation information.

8. A system for facilitating client identifying data, CID, target-state-compliant computer-executable applications, the system including one or more processors executing one or more computer program modules that cause the system to:

provide, to a first user, a CID questionnaire that includes one or more requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with an application;

receive, from the first user, one or more inputs to the one or more information requests;

determine current state information associated with the application based on the one or more inputs and one or more CID-related criteria, wherein the current state information includes risk information indicating current CID exposure associated with the application, wherein the risk information indicates severity of the current CID exposure;

wherein the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following first CID-related criteria:

CID types of exposed CID,

types of clients associated with the exposed CID, or

an amount of the clients associated with the exposed CID, and

wherein the severity of the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following second CID-related criteria:

an amount of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

types of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

domains in which the exposed CID is accessible, or

data protection being applied for the exposed CID;

calculate the current CID exposure based on the one or more first CID-related criteria and first potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

calculate the severity of the current CID exposure based on the one or more second CID-related criteria and second potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

receive target state information associated with the application; and

provide remediation information associated with the application to one or more users, wherein the remediation information is determined based on the current state information and the target state information, and wherein, in the operation of providing the remediation information, the one or more processors are further configured to cause the system to display a user interface indicating:

the remediation information indicating one or more remedial actions to be taken for the application to become compliant with the target state information;

the current CID exposure; and

the severity of the current CID exposure.

9. The system of claim 8, wherein the system is caused to determine compliance status information associated with the application.

10. The system of claim 9, wherein the compliance status information indicates compliance of the application with the target state information based on a determination that the one or more remedial actions have been taken.

11. The system of claim 10, wherein the system is caused to:

determine expiration information associated with the compliance status information; and

modify the compliance status information to indicate non-compliance of the application based on the expiration information indicating that the compliance status information has expired.

12. The system of one of claims 8-11, wherein the system is caused to:

provide, to the first user or another user, a second CID questionnaire that includes one or more second requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with the application, wherein at least one of the one or more second information requests includes at least one of the one or more information requests;

receive, from the first user or another user, one or more second inputs to the one or more second information requests; and

re-determine the current state information associated with the application based on the one or more second inputs and the one or more CID-related criteria.

13. The system of one of claims 8-12, wherein the target state information indicates target CID exposure relating to one or more of user interaction with CID, processing of CID, or storage of CID.

14. The system of one of claims 8-13, wherein the system is caused to:

provide the one or more inputs to a second user; and

receive affirmation information associated with the one or more inputs in response to providing the one or more inputs, wherein the current state information is determined based on the receipt of the affirmation information.

What is claimed is:

1. A method of facilitating client identifying data (CID) target-state-compliant computer-executable applications, the method being implemented on a computer that includes one or more processors, the method comprising:

providing, to a first user, a CID questionnaire that includes one or more requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with an application;

receiving, from the first user, one or more inputs to the one or more information requests;

determining current state information associated with the application based on the one or more inputs and one or more CID-related criteria, wherein the current state information includes risk information indicating current CID exposure associated with the application, wherein the risk information indicates severity of the current CID exposure;

wherein the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following first CID-related criteria:

CID types of exposed CID,

types of clients associated with the exposed CID, or

an amount of the clients associated with the exposed CID, and

wherein the severity of the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following second CID-related criteria:

an amount of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

types of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

domains in which the exposed CID is accessible, or

data protection being applied for the exposed CID;

calculating the current CID exposure based on the one or more first CID-related criteria and first potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

calculating the severity of the current CID exposure based on the one or more second CID-related criteria and second potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

receiving target state information associated with the application; and

providing remediation information associated with the application to one or more users, wherein the remediation information is determined based on the current state information and the target state information, and wherein the step of providing the remediation information further comprises displaying a user interface indicating:

the remediation information indicating one or more remedial actions to be taken for the application to become compliant with the target state information;

the current CID exposure; and

the severity of the current CID exposure.

2. The method of claim **1**, further comprising determining compliance status information associated with the application.

3. The method of claim **2**, wherein the compliance status information indicates compliance of the application with the target state information based on a determination that the one or more remedial actions have been taken.

4. The method of claim **3**, further comprising:

determining expiration information associated with the compliance status information; and

modifying the compliance status information to indicate non-compliance of the application based on the expiration information indicating that the compliance status information has expired.

5. The method of claim **1**, further comprising:

providing, to the first user or another user, a second CID questionnaire that includes one or more second requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with the application, wherein at least one of the one or more second information requests includes at least one of the one or more information requests;

receiving, from the first user or another user, one or more second inputs to the one or more second information requests; and

re-determining the current state information associated with the application based on the one or more second inputs and the one or more CID-related criteria.

6. The method of claim **1**, wherein the target state information indicates target CID exposure relating to one or more of user interaction with CID, processing of CID, or storage of CID.

7. The method of claim **1**, further comprising:

providing the one or more inputs to a second user; and

receiving affirmation information associated with the one or more inputs in response to providing the one or more inputs, wherein the current state information is determined based on the receipt of the affirmation information.

8. A system for facilitating client identifying data (CID) target-state-compliant computer-executable applications, the system including one or more processors executing one or more computer program modules that cause the system to:

provide, to a first user, a CID questionnaire that includes one or more requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with an application;

receive, from the first user, one or more inputs to the one or more information requests;

determine current state information associated with the application based on the one or more inputs and one or more CID-related criteria, wherein the current state information includes risk information indicating current CID exposure associated with the application, wherein the risk information indicates severity of the current CID exposure;

wherein the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following first CID-related criteria:

CID types of exposed CID,

types of clients associated with the exposed CID, or

an amount of the clients associated with the exposed CID, and

wherein the severity of the current CID exposure is determined based on one or more of the following second CID-related criteria:

an amount of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

types of users to which the exposed CID is accessible,

domains in which the exposed CID is accessible, or

data protection being applied for the exposed CID;

calculate the current CID exposure based on the one or more first CID-related criteria and first potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

calculate the severity of the current CID exposure based on the one or more second CID-related criteria and second potential characteristics related to the one or more inputs;

receive target state information associated with the application; and

provide remediation information associated with the application to one or more users, wherein the remediation information is determined based on the current state information and the target state information, and wherein, in the operation of providing the remediation

information, the one or more processors are further configured to cause the system to display a user interface indicating:

the remediation information indicating one or more remedial actions to be taken for the application to become compliant with the target state information;

the current CID exposure; and

the severity of the current CID exposure.

9. The system of claim **8**, wherein the system is caused to determine compliance status information associated with the application.

10. The system of claim **9**, wherein the compliance status information indicates compliance of the application with the target state information based on a determination that the one or more remedial actions have been taken.

11. The system of claim **10**, wherein the system is caused to:

determine expiration information associated with the compliance status information; and

modify the compliance status information to indicate non-compliance of the application based on the expiration information indicating that the compliance status information has expired.

12. The system of claim **8**, wherein the system is caused to:

provide, to the first user or another user, a second CID questionnaire that includes one or more second requests for information relating to CID exposure associated with the application, wherein at least one of the one or more second information requests includes at least one of the one or more information requests;

receive, from the first user or another user, one or more second inputs to the one or more second information requests; and

re-determine the current state information associated with the application based on the one or more second inputs and the one or more CID-related criteria.

13. The system of claim **8**, wherein the target state information indicates target CID exposure relating to one or more of user interaction with CID, processing of CID, or storage of CID.

14. The system of claim **8**, wherein the system is caused to:

provide the one or more inputs to a second user; and

receive affirmation information associated with the one or more inputs in response to providing the one or more inputs, wherein the current state information is determined based on the receipt of the affirmation information.