

# Privileged Remote Access (PRA) for Cloud Infrastructure Access



## Frictionless, secure access that powers DevOps and CloudOps teams

DevOps and CloudOps teams work in environments where infrastructure is dynamic, distributed, and constantly evolving. Cloud servers, databases, VMs, and workloads are created and decommissioned at high speed, requiring engineers to access critical systems quickly and reliably.

Traditional access methods, such as VPNs and bastion hosts, introduce unnecessary friction. These approaches often grant overly broad network access, increase operational complexity, and slow productivity. In fact, 83% of organizations say traditional VPNs cause user frustration that slows work and drives insecure workarounds<sup>1</sup>.

At the same time, security and compliance teams must maintain strict control over privileged access. They need visibility into who accessed what systems, which actions were taken, and whether policies were enforced.

Privileged Remote Access (PRA) provides a modern solution, enabling secure, least-privilege access to cloud infrastructure through the unified BeyondTrust Pathfinder Platform. Engineers can quickly connect to authorized systems, while organizations maintain centralized governance and complete auditability.

<sup>1</sup>Source: [2025 VPN Exposure Report](#), Hewlett-Packard Enterprise, August 2025.

## Key Outcomes

### Streamline Access Control Across Cloud Infrastructure

Gain centralized controls that deliver complete visibility and governance over privileged access to cloud servers, databases, and hybrid environments across users, roles, policies, and sessions.

### Secure Credentials and Access Pathways

Reduce credential sprawl and minimize human error with just-in-time access, role-based access control (RBAC), per-session MFA, and credential injection.

### Preserve DevOps Velocity

Enable engineers to request, approve, and launch privileged sessions quickly, without delays or disruptive security friction.

### Enhance Auditing and Visibility

Capture and centralize privileged session activity, including session recordings and detailed metadata, creating a unified, searchable audit trail for compliance and oversight.

## Client Success Stories

### MANE:

“BeyondTrust’s Privileged Remote Access solution offers the benefit of being extremely simple to use and deploy.”

**Benjamin Serre, Global CTO,  
MANE**

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“Implementing [Privileged Remote Access] really allowed us to give that access in a way that was much more secure for our employees and for outside agencies, while at the same time making it an efficient process.”

**Logan McDonald, IT Systems  
Analyst at Town of Truckee**

### PREMIER BANKCARD:

“Not having to perform updates manually—and not having to schedule downtime for those updates—is a huge benefit. Moving to the cloud comes with questions and concerns, but change is about finding new opportunities to succeed and improve.”

**David Lokke, Senior Systems  
Administrator, Premier  
Bankcard**

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