Mobile devices have been an integral part of the legal profession since their introduction. To ensure your law firm is secure while your legal staff is on the move, you need to understand the types of threats mobile devices introduce.

Sensitive documents aren’t bound to the office or the courtroom
Attorneys are using mobile devices everywhere they work.

50+% of lawyers use smartphones in the courtroom while 29% use tablets.

Mobile devices are susceptible to phishing
Attackers can target you through social media and messaging apps.

78% of phishing links intended to deliver malware to the device.
38% of phishing links intended to harvest login credentials.

Protect against insider threats
Whether intentional or not, employees can leak data through business and personal apps.

56% of law firms said employees unintentionally broke their firm’s policy for sharing data.

The American Bar Association (ABA) holds attorneys to an ethical standard, which now includes how they leverage mobile communication in their work. ABA Opinion 477R reads, “electronic communication through certain mobile apps...may lack the basic expectation of privacy afforded to email communications. Therefore, lawyers must, on a case-by-case basis, constantly analyze how they communicate electronically about client matters....”