

WORKPLACE EXPERIENCE



It's time for Teams

Microsoft's hub for intelligent collaboration helps to transform the workplace experience – if you use it right.

Enabling the new workplace experience

Microsoft Teams, perhaps the most revolutionary component of Microsoft 365, is a broad and continually expanding canvas for the new workplace experience. Promising greater creativity, responsiveness, profitability and growth, it could become the new DNA of your business.

Possibilities beyond your expectations

Teams is far more than the sum of its parts—but even those parts are impressive. Teams builds on Skype for Business and SharePoint to provide intelligent collaboration with access to telephony, video and web conferencing, messaging and meetings. It's your solution for content management, including a platform for working notes, documents and all other project materials.

This feature-rich platform opens a world of possibilities for you, including the ability to:

- Redesign experiences, services and processes
- Create powerful custom apps more quickly and easily
- Collaborate within your favorite business apps

For wherever you are in your workplace journey

You can use Teams best by making it part of a broad strategy. Wherever you are on your workplace journey, there's an approach that's right for you.

Modern platform.

Teams is an essential technology for companies that want the most modern workplace platform and want to remain current with continual upgrades to their workplace tools.

A canvas for collaboration.

Companies that want to move beyond standalone workplace applications can adopt Teams for a connected workplace experience that makes their own teams more effective.

Targeted solutions.

By integrating it into line-of-business and other applications, Teams can help solve specific business problems and becomes a broad canvas for work-process integration and orchestration.

Strategic direction.

Use Teams as an essential contributor to change management, mobile culture, and new services and processes.



Customer Case Study

Teams helps diagnose and treat cancer

Avanade showed clinicians at Ascension Health, a major US healthcare system, how to use Teams and other Office 365 technologies to access, share and comment on cancer case files from wherever they are, and then to track diagnoses and treatments. Teams helps increase clinician participation in virtual cancer boards, improve quality of care, and triple the rate at which patients can be evaluated.

These are some of the customers we work with



How to make Teams work for you

You can adopt one of these approaches or several, one at a time or simultaneously – whatever works for your organization.

You have many options, such as deploying specific components of Teams to add collaboration to an existing Skype for Business environment or deploying Teams entirely to replace that environment.

Microsoft designed Teams to support multiple uses and Avanade has in-depth experience in helping companies to exploit these possibilities, especially for complex interoperability scenarios.

We recommend that companies adopting Teams first do so for a single workload, typically collaboration, and then expand its adoption as they and their employees find additional ways to use it.

Turn to Avanade

Avanade can help you adopt Teams as part of a broader drive to transform the workplace experience. Our end-to-end approach combines strategy, implementation and managed services, augmented by industry expertise, specialist tools and IP. It's an entire solution lifecycle of guidance and support from envisioning and design through development, deployment, change management and ongoing support.

With our unmatched expertise in Teams, we can help you understand your options and what Teams can do for you, whatever your priority and wherever you are on your workplace experience journey. We can also help you navigate around potential challenges, such as building the broadest business case, integrating with third-party tools, and knowing when new features are mature enough to meet your needs.



Why Avanade?



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PARTNER FOR
OFFICE 365
FOR TEN
CONSECUTIVE YEARS**



**MICROSOFT
PARTNER FOR
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DEPLOYMENTS**

To learn more about how Avanade can help you remake your workplace experience with Teams, [get our free Guide to Teams](#).



About Avanade

Avanade is the leading provider of innovative digital and cloud services, business solutions and design-led experiences on the Microsoft ecosystem. Our professionals bring bold, fresh thinking combined with technology, business and industry expertise to help make a human impact on our clients, their customers and their employees. We are the power behind the Accenture Microsoft Business Group which combines the skills of 45,000 professionals around the world, helping companies to engage customers, empower employees, optimize operations and transform products, leveraging the Microsoft platform. Avanade has offices in 24 countries, bringing clients our best thinking through a collaborative culture that honors diversity and reflects the communities in which we operate. Majority owned by Accenture, Avanade was founded in 2000 by Accenture LLP and Microsoft Corporation.

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