RING ZERO DEPLOYMENT

FROM WORKSPACEDNA

Real users shouldn't be your patch test.

User Zero Tested.
Proven Application Readiness.

Ring ZERO verifies that Intune installs the app and the app runs successfully on a persistent Windows 365 Cloud PC configured with your policies and apps, before rollout to employee rings.

Put User Zero ahead of your first rollout ring.

Pilot rings still involve real people. Add application validation before they get the update.

Publish to Intune
After clean VM testing

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Ring 0 / User Zero
Intune install + app test

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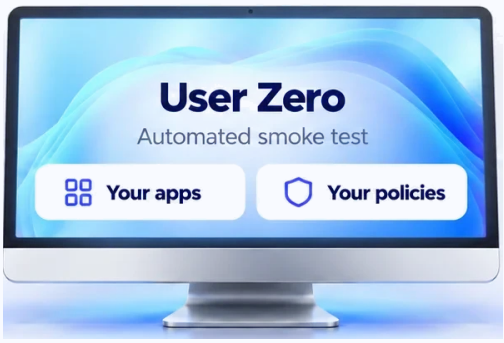
Rollout decision
Automated or approved

→

Employee rings
Ring 1+



Meet User Zero.

Your dedicated Windows 365 Cloud PC for automated application smoke testing.

Your configuration. Microsoft Entra joined and Intune enrolled, with the policies and apps you assign.

Persistent context. Retains its environment between tests, helping surface issues a clean machine may miss.

Catch failures earlier

Find application issues before they disrupt your pilot users.

Reduce repeat work

Automate recurring update detection, packaging and smoke tests.

Decide with evidence

Use test results to control rollout to your employee rings.

FROM APPLICATION UPDATE TO INFORMED ROLLOUT

Automate the checks. Own the decision.

Validate Intune installation and app readiness before rollout to users.

1 **Import the patch**
Import a new patch into WorkspaceDNA.

2 **Test on a clean VM**
Test the patch on a clean, unmanaged Azure VM.

3 **Publish to Intune**
Publish the app update to Microsoft Intune.

4 **Assign to Ring 0**
Target a Windows 365 Cloud PC managed by Intune.

5 **Test with User Zero**
Verify Intune installs the app and the app runs successfully.

AFTER RING ZERO PASSES

Automated
Assign to Ring 1+

Semi-automated
Approve, then assign to Ring 1+

Subscribe to future patches to repeat the workflow.

What you need

Microsoft Intune
Manage the target environment and receive published application updates.

WorkspaceDNA Patch Catalog subscription
Supply application updates for the workflow.

A Windows 365 Cloud PC
Microsoft Entra joined, Intune enrolled and configured with the policies and apps relevant to your users.

Three checks. Your configured environment.

01 / Install
Does Intune install the update?

02 / Launch
Does the updated application open?

03 / Uninstall
Can the application be removed?

Ring ZERO provides application smoke testing. Results apply to the version and Cloud PC configuration tested. Use them alongside your deployment controls and any additional testing your environment requires.

Know before you deploy.

See Ring ZERO in your environment. Start with the apps you patch regularly and a Cloud PC configured for your users.

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