

## Customer Success Story

# Breathe Life Deploys StackHawk and Snyk for a Dev-Centric Application Security Program

**Use Case**

Combining security tools for faster remediation

**Industry**

Internet Software and Services

**Employees**

50

**Location**

Montreal, Quebec

To scale securely and efficiently, Breathe Life sought developer-centric security tooling that could integrate directly into existing workflows. “We’re not trying to come up with a new way of working; we’re pulling on industry best practices,” said François Allard, Director of Engineering for Platform Teams. “We can see the value it provides by knowing upfront that our product is secure. Waiting until production becomes a lot more costly and also introduces the potential for a breach.” This proactive approach empowered developers to take ownership of the security of their code, embedding protection into every stage of development and reducing risk before applications reached production

The StackHawk scan with the Open API showed us that the real application was being tested and it’s not just checking the box to meet some compliance requirement that we have.

**The Problem**

As a highly regulated organization, Breathe Life had a need to prioritize finding and fixing security vulnerabilities earlier in the development lifecycle.

**The Solution**

Dev-centric approach to security testing with Snyk and StackHawk giving individual developers the ability to take ownership of the code they were creating.

**The Result**

Security as a shared responsibility across the organization with best in class solutions to easily manage findings while eliminating noise was key to scaling the team’s application security program.