Defender

The **Defender** tab shows information about the status of Windows Defender Antivirus on selected computers.

- Defender Protection (Enabled/Disabled)

- Real-time Protection (Enabled/Disabled)

- Installed antivirus Signature Version

- Installed Defender Client Version

- Installed Defender Engine Version

- Number of Devices in this selection

Expand a section to display the following information for each device selected when running Remote Windows Security.

- Date and time of Last Signature Update

- Date and time of Last Full Scan completion

- Date and time of Last Quick Scan completion
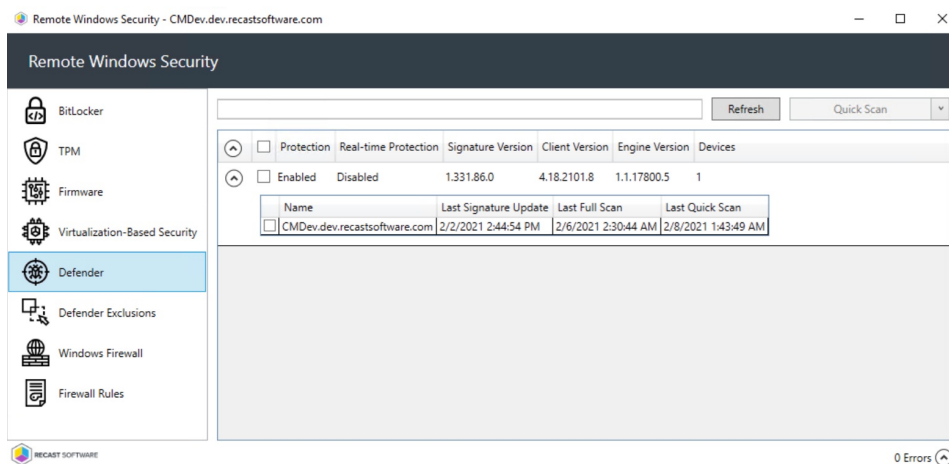
Defender Actions

- **Quick Scan** (recommended): Scans the locations where malware might be registered to start with the system, such as registry keys and knows Windows startup folders.

- **Full Scan**: Starts with a Quick Scan, then extends the search with a sequential file scan of mounted fixed disks and network drives. A full scan can take hours or days to complete, depending on the amount and type of data included in the scan. If new security intelligence update become available during a full scan, the scan should be repeated to include new threat detections contained in the update.

- **Update Definitions**: Downloads updates to the definition files used to identify malware and other potentially unwanted software.