

The Payment Card Industry (PCI) Data Security Standard (DSS) applies to any organization that accepts, processes, transmits, or stores credit card and cardholder data (CHD). This industry compliance and cybersecurity framework is governed by the PCI Security Standard Council (SSC)—primarily comprising major card companies—as a protective measure against data breaches and identity theft.

PCI DSS Compliance Challenges

The PCI DSS is a robust and extensive framework, comprising 12 core Requirements and many more sub-requirements. For many organizations, achieving and maintaining compliance is a daunting task.

And the difficulty only continues to increase.

At the same time, organizations must navigate a complex compliance framework and reporting processes, growing cyberthreats, and evolving IT environments (e.g., cloud migrations, app services, Docker containers/Kubernetes).

Expert insight and collaborative guidance thankfully go a long way towards simplifying your PCI DSS efforts. For that, you need a partner like RSI Security.

RSI Security's PCI DSS Journey

PCI-DSS was updated in Q12022. PCI DSS v4.0 was designed with four goals in mind:

- Meeting the rapidly-changing safety requirements of the payment industry
- Promoting continuous improvement with regular, frequent security assessments
- Increasing flexibility in implementation for streamlined compliance accessibility
- Maximizing compliance assurance with formality and uniformity of validation

RSI Security is helping organizations navigate the transition from v3.2.1 to v4.0 before the former is retired in Q12024 with readiness and mapping assessments and staff-wide training.

Companies that trust RSI











"We didn't really have a ton of experience in payments compliance, since this was the first time we were entering this space. But the RSI Security team was always patient with us, explaining what we needed. It really felt like they were along with us at every step to make sure we were successful."

PCI DSS Compliance Challenges

Our compliance advisory services operate on a collaborative model. We work closely with your team to prepare for a clean, smooth audit. That includes full-scale implementation and top-down initiatives like program design and staff training.

The goal is achieving PCI Compliance swiftly, with no issues during or after your assessment.

We help you set up and assess your PCI compliance program for ongoing success:

1. Business understanding comes first

We start by identifying and remediating your most vulnerable cybersecurity areas.

2. Risk-based recommendations

After remediating your highest priority vulnerabilities, we qualitatively and quantitatively assess the risks you face.

3. Systematized Engagement Process

Finally, we collaborate throughout your full-scale PCI DSS implementation to help ensure your ongoing compliance.

QSAs & ASVs

RSI Security has been a Qualified Security Assessor (QSA) and Approved Scanning Vendor (ASV) for over a decade.

 QSA – Performs your compliance reporting assessments required yearly. We cover:

Self-Assessment Questionnaire (SAQ) guidance

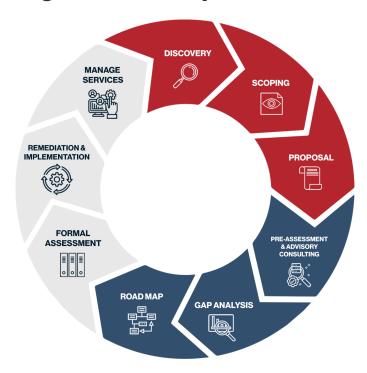
Attestations of Compliance (AOC) to verify SAQs

Reports on Compliance (ROC) for the largest organizations subject to the PCI DSS

 ASV – Performs your security vulnerability scans required quarterly for maintaining compliance.

RSI Security's PCI Compliance services prepare you for a fast, streamlined audit and seamless, long-term maintenance. Any lapse in PCI DSS compliance could result in lost business, in addition to direct fines imposed by PCI SSC stakeholders. Time is of the essence.

Achieving PCI DSS Compliance: The Process



About RSI Security

RSI Security is an expert cybersecurity and compliance services provider, certified by the PCI Security Standards Council as a QSA, ASV, and to provide advisory. Regardless of your current framework maturity, reporting requirements, or IT environment complexities, our team will provide a PCI compliance solution that is best suited for your organization and operations.

Contact us to schedule a consultation and let's rethink your approach to PCI DSS compliance.