

# COMPLIANCE

## PCI Software Security Framework

The Payment Card Industry (PCI) Software Security Framework (SSF) provides software vendors with standards for designing, developing, and maintaining secure payment software. First published in January 2019, PCI SSF fully replaces the PCI Payment Application Data Security Standard (PA-DSS) in October 2022.

The new PCI SSF standards extend and improve upon PA-DSS by addressing recent advancements in payment technologies, platforms, and software development practices. ▲

### PCI SSF Components

PCI SSF has two fundamental components. The Secure Software Lifecycle (Secure SLC) Standard applies to the software development lifecycle. The Secure Software Standard covers the security of payment software.

### Preparation and Assessment Services

Tevora's experienced team of payment security experts can partner with you to help you make the changes needed to comply with PCI SSF. And as a PCI-approved SSF Assessor, we can also do a formal assessment to validate your compliance with the new standards.

Once we've successfully validated your compliance with the Secure SLC Standard, your company will be listed on the PCI website as a Secure SLC Qualified Vendor. As each of your payment software products is validated for compliance with the Secure Software Standard, it will be listed on the PCI website as a Validated Payment Software product. These listings let your customers know that your development process and software products meet the industry gold standard for security.

## The Road to PCI SSF Compliance

Tevora's process for helping clients comply with PCI SSF leverages our extensive experience helping some of the world's leading companies comply with payments industry standards.

Tactical and precise, the road to PCI SSF certification with Tevora is a simple three-step process.



### Gap Analysis

A tactical gap analysis goes a long way toward outlining strategies for a cost-effective road to compliance. In addition to scope reduction, we perform control validations early on so remediation efforts can be direct and focused.



### Remediation

Whether it's writing security policies or implementing security controls, working hand-in-hand with the Tevora team ensures direct and efficient ROI.



### Certification

True partners are with you until the end, and Tevora will be there to walk you through the certification process. From application review to documentation to submission—Tevora handles all validation and reporting requirements so you can get back to focusing on what you do best: selling your payment software!



## Company Overview

Tevora is a specialized management consultancy focused on cyber security, risk, and compliance services. Our combination of collaborative strategic planning and skillful execution make us a trusted partner to some of the most famous brands in the world.

### Go forward. We've got your back.

We live in a digital world, and your customers trust you to keep their information safe. We make it our responsibility to equip you with the information, tools, and guidance you need to stay out of the headlines and get back to business.

### Eyes on the future.

Tevora takes a long-term outlook and proactive approach to every engagement. We combine our technical knowledge with practical business acumen to produce and execute strategies that fortify your organization's assets and build a foundation for the future.

### Audit Standards

Our MBAs and CISSPs can help your organization assess and test against PCI DSS, PADSS, HITRUST, ISO 27001, STAR, SOC I, SOC II, MPAA, NIST CSF/ 800-171 and CMMC.



Tevora offers a full range of services designed to anticipate and meet the changing needs of your enterprise

#### Compliance

We assess, audit, and certify compliance across a comprehensive portfolio of cybersecurity standards.

#### Enterprise Risk Management

We speak the language of cyber risk and translate it into business impact - giving you rich data to make meaningful decisions.

#### Data Privacy

We help you craft strategies and plans that work; allowing you to meet the growing demands of domestic and international privacy regulations.

#### Security Solutions

We help you plan, implement, and integrate cybersecurity products that reduce your risk profile: on-prem, mobile, and in the cloud.

#### Threat Management

We test your systems, processes, and security with a world class team of certified hackers and security researchers.

#### Incident Response

We are a team of first responders, threat hunters, and incident containment specialists working with the latest tools and techniques; ready to serve when your business needs it most.