

# Accepting Payments via Sage or Stripe?

Even if you don't store or process cardholder data directly, **PCI DSS compliance is still mandatory.**

Why? Because your business **interacts with payment data** and must ensure your systems and processes don't introduce risk.

## Why Is PCI DSS Compliance Important?

- Third-party providers handle the transaction, but **your website and environment must be secure.**
- Non-compliance can lead to **fines, data breaches, and loss of customer trust.**
- You are responsible for **validating your provider's compliance** and securing your own infrastructure.

## What Does PCI DSS Compliance Involve for You?

- Secure your **website and hosting environment** (firewalls, HTTPS, vulnerability scans).
- Implement **strong access controls and encryption** where applicable.
- Maintain **policies and procedures** for handling payment-related data.
- Ensure your **third-party provider is PCI DSS certified.**

## Cyberlab Can Help

We simplify PCI DSS compliance for businesses using third-party payment services by:

- Assessing your **current security posture**
- Helping you **choose the right compliance approach**
- Providing **technical and procedural guidance**
- Supporting you through **documentation and audits**

**Verify compliance today.**

Contact Cyberlab today to ensure your business meets PCI DSS obligations.

## Your Trusted Security Partner

CyberLab is a CREST, CHECK and NCSC accredited cyber consultancy and managed service provider, trusted by over 1,200 organisations. With over 30 years of experience in the industry, we deliver expert-led penetration testing, compliance, and strategic support.

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