

Physical security assessments



Bridge the gap in your physical security

Effective risk management means addressing both digital and physical threats. In today's digital age where cyber security strategy is, rightly, a high priority, the physical elements of security measures are often overlooked, leaving crucial gaps.

Our assessments are designed for organisations that:



Want a comprehensive understanding of both cyber and physical security risks



Are unsure about the strength of their current physical security measures



Operate in shared or externally managed environments



Store or handle high value assets, sensitive data, or confidential materials onsite

Our services

We provide two flexible services based on your organisation's maturity and individual business needs. Our services are targeted and collaborative to give you clear, actionable insights to improve your physical security.

1 Physical Control Assessment (PCA)

In this approach, you tell us where you want the spotlight. We test your existing security controls that you want evaluated, work with you to determine how effective they are at protecting critical areas, and help you close any gaps.

Benefits of our PCA service:

- Targeted evaluation of your existing physical security controls
- Cost-effective alternative to full-scope penetration testing (black teaming)
- An ideal first step in identifying weaknesses and strengthening physical security

2 Physical Assessment (PA)

This service is ideal for mature organisations who are seeking a true, unbiased evaluation of their physical security posture.

Using a black-box approach, we use Open-Source Intelligence (OSINT) to gather information externally, then attempt to physically access the environment without any prior knowledge of your systems or processes – just like a real attacker would.

Benefits of our PA service:

- Comprehensive black-box assessment
- Simulates a real-world attack scenario
- Vulnerability reporting based on no prior knowledge
- Deeper insight into your actual risk exposure and security posture
- Cost-effective alternative to full-scope penetration testing (black teaming)

Why choose PGI?

- **Human-led approach:** We study how real attackers think, behave and manipulate people to effectively simulate real-world scenarios.
- **Holistic insight:** We give you a complete view of your risk posture across both domains, enabling informed decisions.
- **In-depth expertise:** Our knowledge of threat actor methodologies means you leverage detailed and actionable recommendations beyond surface level.
- **Compliance alignment:** We ensure you meet and exceed the robust physical requirements of ISO 27001, PCI DSS, and GDPR.
- **Board-level assurance:** You can confidently demonstrate to leadership a holistic risk posture that covers the hybrid threat landscape.
- **Cost-effective risk reduction:** Avoid the expense of full-scope black teaming while gaining actionable intelligence.