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BUILDING TOMORROW'S ACCESS CONTROL INFRASTRUCTURE TODAY WITH OSDP

Discover how OSDP is modernizing access control systems, from overcoming installation challenges to maximizing security and efficiency, paving the way for more secure and streamlined implementations.

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The transition from traditional Wiegand communication protocols to the more advanced Open Supervised Device Protocol (OSDP) represents a critical step forward for security integrators and end-user organizations alike. Wiegand, a longstanding access control standard in the industry, has served its purpose admirably over the years but is increasingly being surpassed by the capabilities offered by OSDP.

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Farpointe's mobile, contactless smartcard and proximity readers have earned the Security Industry Association's (SIA's) OSDP Verified mark.

OSDP—an IEC global standard—brings enhanced security, interoperability, and reliability to modern access control systems.

According to SIA, the OSDP Verified mark boosts confidence in devices that have been tested and verified to meet stringent SIA OSDP standards.

Download a copy of our [OSDP Guide](#) for details on why integrators should be implementing OSDP now.

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