

Partner app set up

We're excited to welcome you on board the ProtectBox family. This document helps you finalize your Partner app installation and provide some pointers towards customizing it to better suit your brand.

Required steps to start selling

Configure payment methods in WooCommerce
Set up and validate emailing
Switch to a pretty domain name (i.e., vanity URL)

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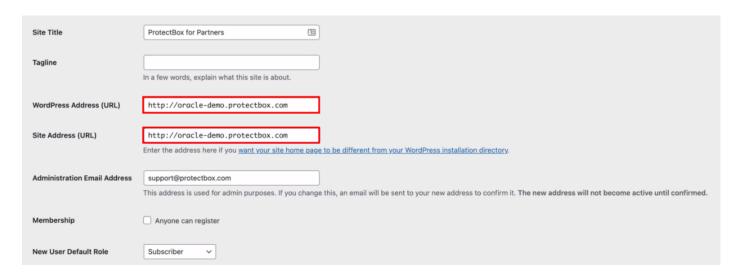
Certificate and Domain

SSL Certificate

A SSL certificate is essential to add an extra security layer to your site and keep all the users' information encrypted during the data transmission.

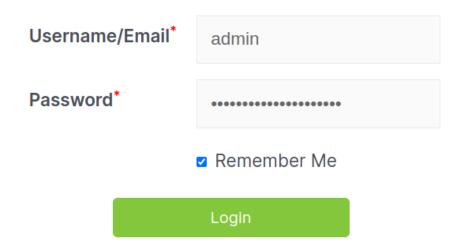
To activate your SSL certificate, you must first change your site's URL to a valid domain:

1. Inside the admin dashboard, go to "Settings" -> "General", change both highlighted fields with your own domain, and hit the "Save Changes" button at the end of the page:

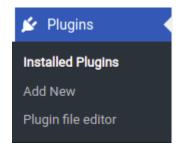


2. After updating the domain, you will be required to log in again:

Already Registered?



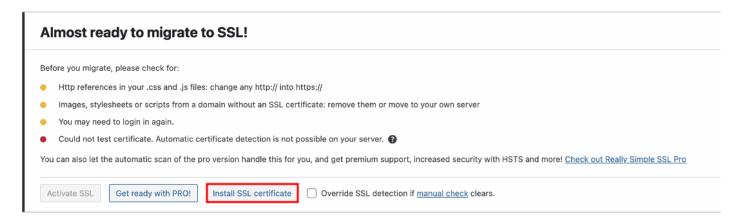
3. You need to enable the Really Simple SSL plugin if you haven't done it yet. Go to the Installed plugins page:



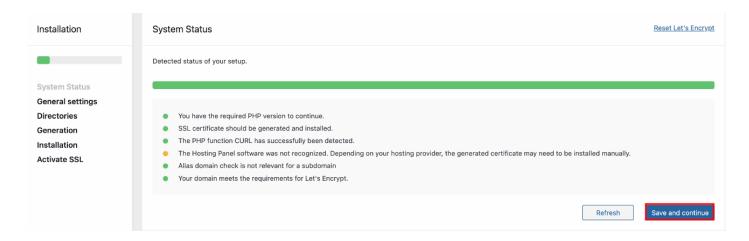
4. Activate the Really Simple SSL plugin:



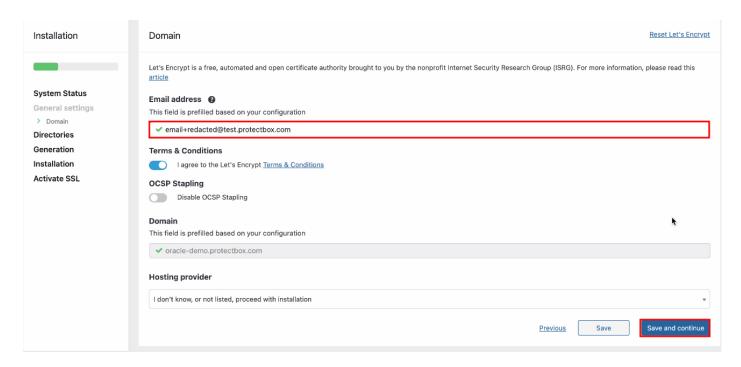
5. A new message will appear. You need to click on the "Install SSL certificate" button:



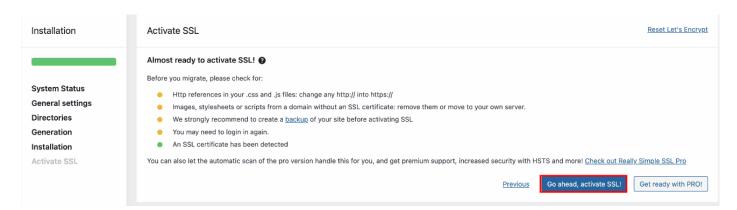
6. Wait for the steps to be completed, and click the "Save and Continue" button when ready:



7. On the next page, fill the text field with a valid email address and hit the "Save and Continue" button:



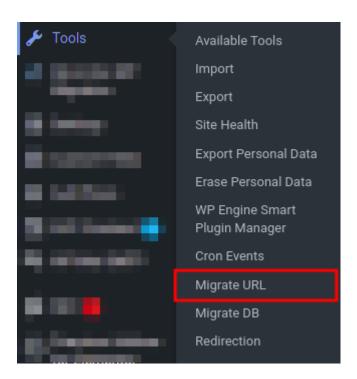
8. Follow all the next steps by clicking on the "Save and Continue" button until you get on the page below, where you need to hit the "Go ahead, activate SSL!" button:



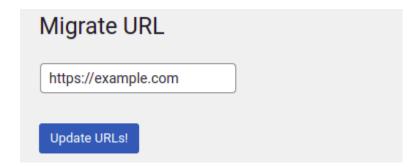
With all the steps followed correctly, you should now have your site configured with a valid and working SSL certificate.

URL Migration Tool

Changing your site's domain is easy, you just need to access the Admin Dashboard and then "Tools" -> "Migrate URL":



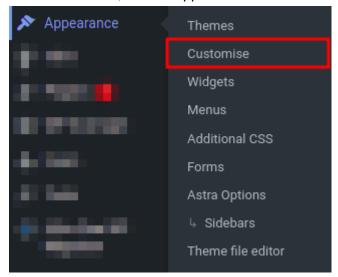
Then, enter your new URL and click on the button:

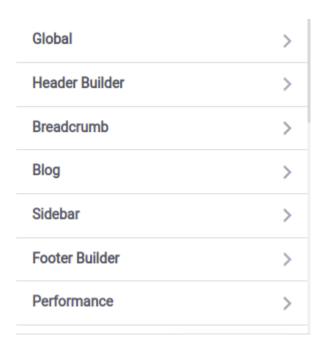


It will update your database with the provided URL and flush the WordPress cache and some update some common cache plugins.

Visual Identity

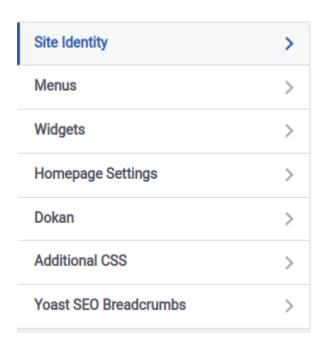
You can easily update common visual items with your own identity through Admin Dashboard, using the "Customise" item, inside "Appearance":



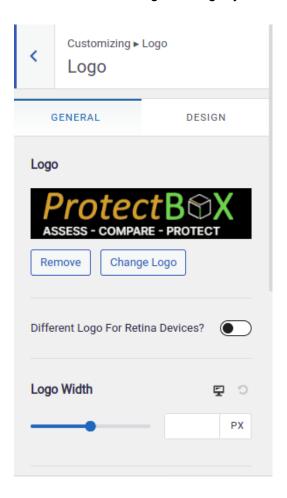


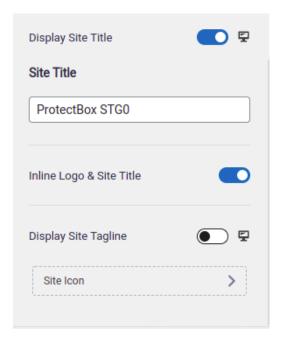
Site Logo and Title

To change the site's Logo and Title, scroll down to the "Site Identity" Item:



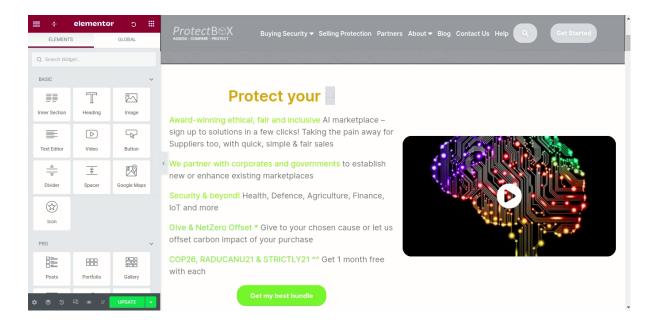
Inside "Site Title & Logo Settings" you can access change whatever you want:





Elementor

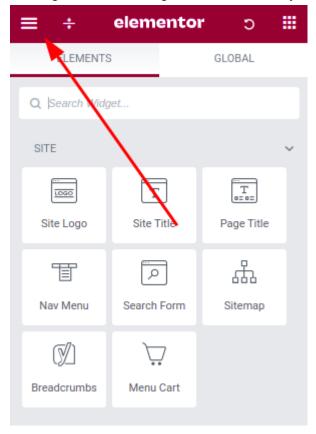
To provide an easy way to customize your site, the <u>Elementor PRO</u> plugin is installed and can be used to edit and create pages, headers, and many other elements.

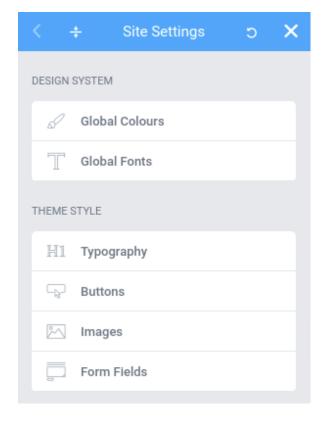


You can access the Elementor Knowledge base here.

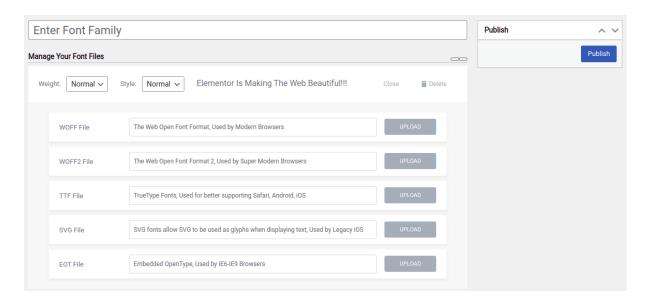
Colors and Fonts

Clicking on the Hamburger menu will show you some Elementor options to edit the site's colors and fonts:



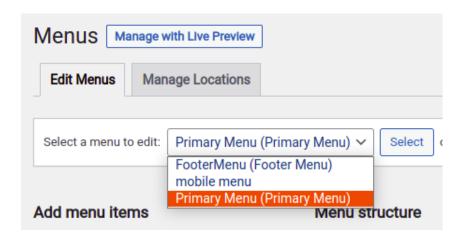


On the Admin Dashboard, you can also add your own fonts by going to "Elementor" -> "Custom Fonts":



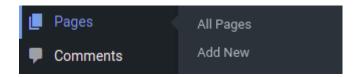
Menus

Menus can be accessed on the "Appearance" -> "Menus" item, and you are able to edit each one individually by using the dropdown menu to choose the corresponding item:

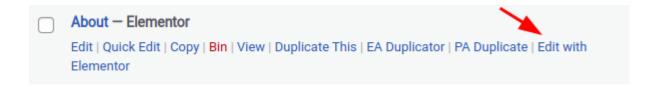


Pages

All pages can be accessed by using the "Pages" menu item:

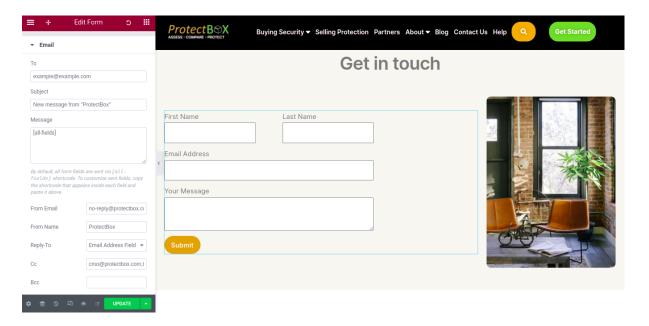


To get a visual edit, you need to keep the mouse above the desired page and click the "Edit with Elementor" link:



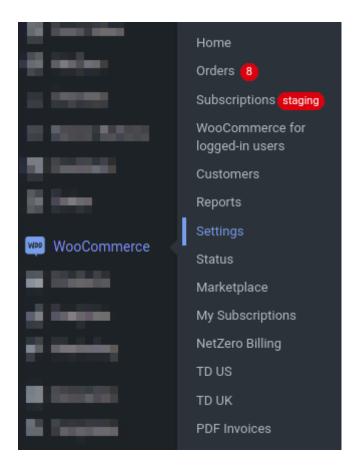
Contact Us

The "Contact Us" page consists in a form that sends an email to a selected address with the user's provided information. You can edit it using Elementor by clicking on the form:



WooCommerce

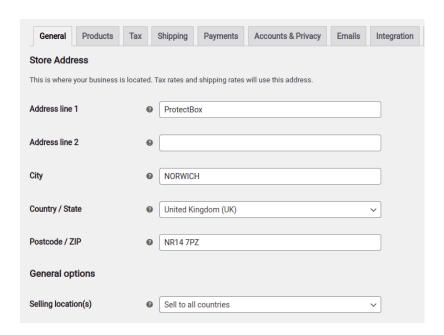
ProtectBox store integrates the plugin WooCommerce to create orders and synchronize products. You can access useful Settings through "WooCommerce" -> "Settings":



You can refer to the official WooCommerce Documentation to find many useful resources.

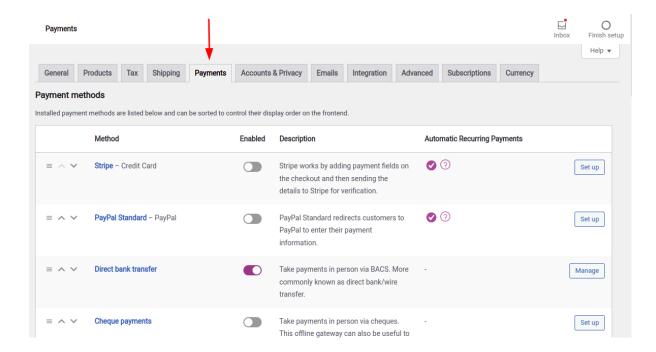
Store Details

Inside the WooCommerce General tab you need to add your own information:



Payment Gateways

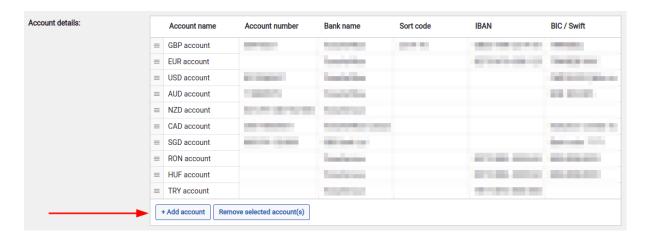
You can access the Payment Gateways options through the "Payments" tab:



Direct Transfer

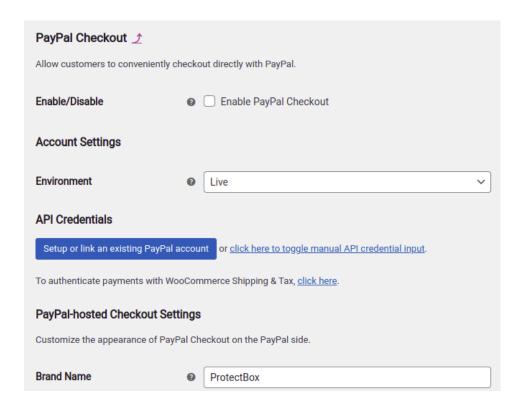
Take payments in person via BACS. More commonly known as direct bank/wire transfer.

Add your own account details using the "Add account" button:



PayPal Checkout

One of the ways to accept PayPal Payments is by using the preinstalled <u>PayPal Checkout</u> extension. You might also prefer getting the new <u>PayPal Payments</u> extension. Both require a valid <u>PayPal.com</u> account.

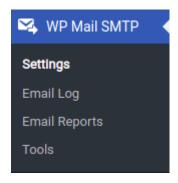


Other Payment Options

If you want to provide a different way for your users to pay for products, you can choose one of the many WooCommerce payment options available <u>here</u>.

Mailing

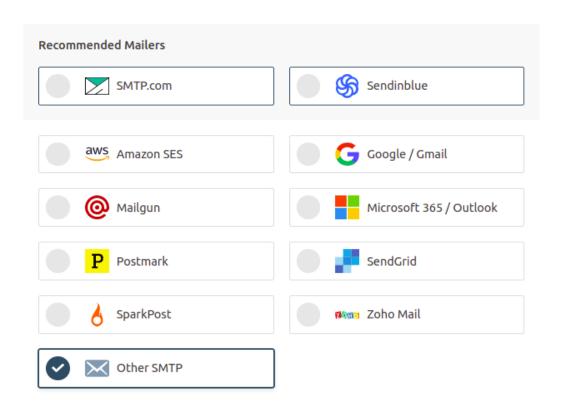
The WP Mall SMTP plugin is installed on the site to give you a straightforward way to configure the SMTP account to send emails:



You can use the Setup Wizard to integrate an email service or manually set your SMTP information:

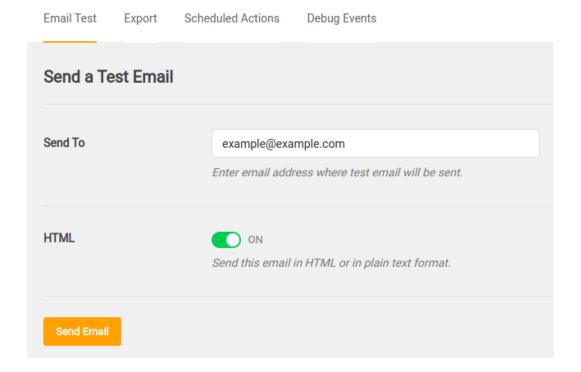
Choose Your SMTP Mailer

Which mailer would you like to use to send emails? Not sure which mailer to choose? Check out our <u>complete mailer guide</u> for details on each option.



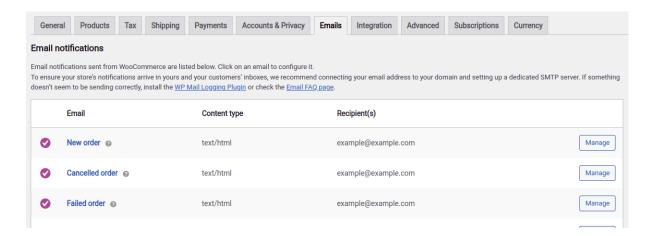
Test Email

Once you have the configured SMTP information, it's recommended to test it through the "Email Test" tab:



WooCommerce Notifications

On WooCommerce settings, "Emails" tab, you can edit the templates and choose what email address will receive each message:



You can refer to this page to see a FAQ regarding WooCommerce emails.

Common Issues

Not Found (404) pages

If you are seeing many 404 pages, go to the URL Migration Tool page and hit the "Migrate URL" plugin, without changing the URL input field.

Internal Server Error/White Screen

To get more details from a white empty screen or the generic "Internal Server Error", enable <u>WordPress</u> <u>Debugging</u> and check if you see any new messages on the page.

Updating your Partner Key

If you need to update your Partner Key, you need to update the PBOX_AUTH_KEY constant inside the wp-config.php file:

define('PBOX_AUTH_KEY', 'YOUR_NEW_PARTNER_KEY');

Access this page to check other common WordPress Errors.