

## Role profile

Job Title:	Fire Safety Surveyor
Department:	Housing Asset Management
Directorate:	Housing & Environment

Grade:	12
Post no.:	TBC
Location:	Perceval House
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Role reports to:	Fire Safety Manager
Direct reports:	N/a
Indirect	Contractors and consultants
reports:	

### **Job description**

### Purpose of role

- The Fire Surveyor is responsible for ensuring all fire safety works are delivered to the required standards and adhere to council policies and procedures.
- To conduct post-work inspections to verify the quality of workmanship and materials used.
- To ensure compliance with Regulation 10 of the Fire Safety (England)
  Regulations by conducting regular quarterly and annual checks of fire door in
  multi-occupied residential buildings and providing residents with essential fire
  safety information.
- To upload all completed certifications to the Compliance Management System promptly for accurate compliance reporting.
- To identify and apply best practices and emerging legislative changes to provide safe and secure homes for tenants.
- To support the management of internal staff and external contractors to ensure timely and high-quality delivery of fire safety works.

#### Key accountabilities

- 1. To support the management of all operational, regulatory, and statutory compliance for all Fire Safety Systems and Equipment.
- 2. To conduct inspections required under the Fire Safety (England) Regulations and provide oversight.
- 3. To ensure quality control of the Fire Risk Assessment (FRA) Programme delivery.
- 4. To keep the Compliance Management System up to date to produce accurate compliance progress reports.

- 5. To liaise with contractors, consultants, and other relevant departments to ensure all works comply with current regulations and council policies.
- 6. To coordinate with the Fire and Rescue Service, responding to formal notices and requests for information, including building information and service records.
- 7. To perform robust post-inspections on completed remedial works by contractors to ensure quality, financial, and program standards are met or exceeded.
- 8. To provide regular feedback in formal contract performance review meetings to continuously improve service delivery.
- 9. To travel as required to conduct condition inspections, risk assessments, investigate complaints, and report findings for satisfactory resolution.
- 10. To maintain continuous professional development (CPD) and stay informed about current regulations and imminent changes.
- 11. To be available to work outside normal office hours and be on call as needed to address fire safety issues.
- 12. To undertake any duties commensurate with the role to ensure the effective delivery of the team.

#### **Key performance indicators**

- Fire Safety (England) Regulation inspections
- Quality Control Gateway of FRA Programme
- Customer satisfaction
- Health and Safety KPIs
- Monthly progress against programmed work
  - Weekly reports are kept and forwarded to the senior management on a weekly basis.
  - Progress is agreed monthly with the contractor and recorded at the weekly L1 & monthly L2 operational meetings

### Key relationships (internal and external)

- Fire Safety Manager
- Building Safety Officers
- Complaints / ADR
- Contractor(s)
- Residents / Leaseholders

#### **Authority level**

- Adherence to Health and Safety Policies and Procedures
- Day to day management of quality of fire works

## **Person specification**

#### Essential knowledge, skills, and experience

- 1. Demonstrable experience as a Fire Surveyor with a focus on performance management and quality of works.
- 2. Comprehensive knowledge of current and historical fire safety regulations, including legislative and regulatory requirements.
- 3. Ability to ensure compliance with all mandatory KPIs, policies, and procedures, including Health & Safety and environmental management.
- 4. Highly proficient in checking and advising on Building Fire Safety Management Plans and fire risk assessments.
- 5. Skilled in examining and challenging contractor competencies and works, including windows, fire door sets, and fire stopping.
- 6. Knowledge of building materials used in construction, repairs, and maintenance, and the ability to interpret engineering drawings, method statements, and risk analyses.
- Experience in preparing and drafting reports, specifications, tenders, and contract documentation, ensuring compliance with British Standards, Codes of Practice, and Building Regulations.
- 8. Excellent written and verbal communication skills, with the ability to effectively communicate with customers, contractors, and stakeholders.
- 9. Proven ability to coordinate workloads, prioritise tasks, and work successfully as part of a team.
- 10. Proficient in using ICT systems and housing management systems, with the ability to provide technical advice to residents.
- 11. Excellent organisational and time management skills.
- 12. Able to demonstrate a good understanding and commitment to equality, diversity and inclusion.

#### Essential qualification(s) and professional memberships

- Possession of one or more of the following: NEBOSH Certificate in Fire Safety, IFE Membership (preferably with risk assessor accreditation), BM TRADA or FIRAS Certification, a degree in Fire Safety or Building Surveying, Chartered Membership of RICS, IOSH Membership, or CFPS Certification.
- Commitment to continuous professional development
- A clean driving license and possession of a vehicle

# **Values and behaviours**

Improved life for residents	Trustworthy	Collaborative	Innovative	Accountable
<ul> <li>Is passionate about making Ealing a better place</li> <li>Can see and appreciate things from a resident point of view</li> <li>Understands what people want and need</li> <li>Encourages change to tackle underlying causes or issues</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Does what they say they will do on time</li> <li>Is open and honest</li> <li>Treats all people fairly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ambitious and confident in leading partnerships</li> <li>Offers to share knowledge and ideas</li> <li>Challenges constructively and respectfully listens to feedback</li> <li>Overcomes barriers to develop our outcomes for residents</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tries out ways to do things better, faster and for less cost</li> <li>Brings in ideas from outside to improve performance</li> <li>Takes calculated risks to improve outcomes</li> <li>Learns from mistakes and failures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Encourages all stakeholders to participate in decision making</li> <li>Makes things happen</li> <li>Acts on feedback to improve performance</li> <li>Works to high standards</li> </ul>