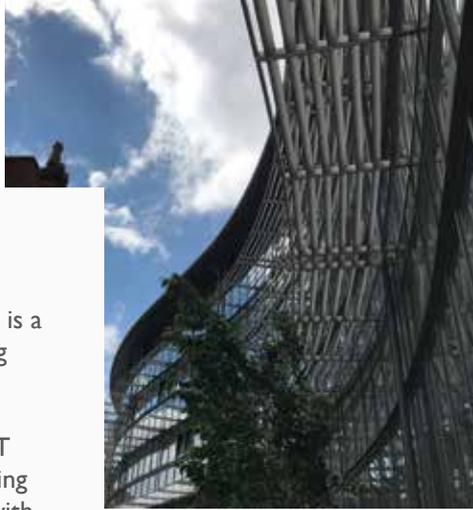


OUR AUTHORISING ENGINEER (AE) HEALTHCARE SERVICE

Green Building Design Consultants (GBD) is a leading UK Mechanical & Electrical Building Services consultancy practice.

In February 2018 Richard Emery IEng MIET MIHEEM joined GBD as a Senior Authorising Engineer with a wealth of AE experience with MITE and Carillion. Richard has worked on critical complex electrical systems in acute hospitals, data centres and other facilities with medium and high risk infrastructures.

In July 2018, Richard was inducted into the IHEEM Authorising Engineers register (Electrical)



OUR AE SERVICES INCLUDE

- Act as an independent professional advisor to healthcare organisations in line with the requirement of HTM06 group of documents. Provide regular monitoring of the performance of the service by annual audits and reviews.
- Sit on the Electrical Safety Group
- Provide regular monitoring of the performance of the service by annual audits and reviews.
- Document actions and provide guidance on compliance with HTMs
- Act as assessor, formalise training plans and site familiarity and make recommendations for the appointment of APs
- Provide Ad-hoc site visits, risk assessments, summary of significant occurrence reports and action plans as required by the organisation
- Provide commissioning support, witness testing and recommendations on the requirements of the HTM's in relation to additional Works
- Provide support and recommendations on dangerous incidents, operational restrictions and improvement notifications.

If you would like an exploratory discussion about how our AE services can help you or you would like us to give a presentation to your staff, please contact Richard at;
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HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK ACT 1974

The Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 provides the legal framework to promote, stimulate and encourage high standards of health and safety in places of work. It protects employees and the public from work activities.

The Department of Health has indicated that correct use of the Health Technical Memorandum guidance would satisfy the estates statute responsibilities in this case.

DESIGNATED PERSONS

In a healthcare organisation the board of directors is responsible for setting overall operational policy, and it is the organisations Designated Person (DP) - as the senior executive - who has responsibility for implementation.

The particular detailed roles and responsibilities will vary between specialist services, and the guidance given in the appropriate HTM should be followed to ensure that the necessary safe systems of working are established and maintained.

HEALTHCARE TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM (HTM) RECOMMENDATIONS

Within the roles and responsibilities described in HTM00-00 an Authorising Engineer (AE-E) shall be appointed by the organisation in accordance with HTM06-02 and HTM06-03

The Authorising Engineer will act as an independent professional advisor to the healthcare organisation. The AE will act as an auditor and make recommendations on the appointment of Authorised Persons, monitor the performance of the service, and provide annual compliance audits to the DP. As such the AE shall remain independent from the operational structure employed by the organisation.