



Legionella compliance during COVID-19 downtime

Maintaining good water quality to control the risks from legionella bacteria is essential for all responsible businesses.

The bacteria that causes Legionnaires' disease is a potentially fatal form of pneumonia. It is imperative that the bacteria is controlled and minimised, not only due to its seriousness, but as it also forms part of the safety regulations, and is considered to be preventable, under the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974.

Outbreaks of the illness occur from exposure to legionella bacteria where water quality is poorly maintained allowing the bacteria to grow to dangerous levels in water systems including cooling towers, evaporative condensers, hot and cold-water systems, spas and pools. The danger comes from intermittent usage and "stagnant" water.

As the outbreak of a Coronavirus (COVID-19) is spreading across the United Kingdom, OCS Compliance Services would like to ensure that the same precautions and actions are taken within your organisation as we are taking within ours.

Take advantage of office and building downtime to ensure your business remains compliant with the law and your employees are protected with minimal disruption. OCS Compliance Services can support you by helping those with responsibility for the control of premises to understand their legal responsibilities in relation to water quality and the control of legionella bacteria in the workplace. (HSG 274 and the ACOP).

OCS Compliance Services also perform the required monitoring and control on all water systems.



Get a quote

Contact us for a free no obligation quotation for your specific requirements



Book an appointment

Once you are happy with your quote we will confirm a convenient date and estimated time of arrival for your appointment



Your appointment

An engineer will be with you on your scheduled date and will call one hour prior to arrival to confirm attendance



Report and support

Our team will produce and quality assess your report prior to distribution, offering guidance and additional support where required

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