

Fire Risk

Assessment

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General Fire Risk Assessment for Heroes Centre LTD

Premises address and contact number: Heroes Centre LTD, Bentley Lane, Walsall, WS2 8TL

Assessment date: 03/03/24 Review date: 03/03/25

Identification of Fire Hazards:

- Electrical appliances: Although electrics are PAT tested, there remains a risk of electrical fires due to malfunction or overloading.
- Smoking materials: If smoking is permitted in designated areas, there is a risk of fire from discarded cigarettes.
- Kitchen area: While there is no gas supply, there is still a risk of fire from cooking appliances or electrical faults.

2. Persons at Risk:

- Staff members, Visitors, Children & Contractors.

3. Evaluation of Fire Risks:

- Likelihood of fire: Low to moderate due to regular PAT testing of electrical equipment and absence of gas supply.
- Potential severity: Moderate to high depending on the extent of the fire and evacuation procedures.

4. Fire Safety Measures in Place:

- Smoke alarms: Installed throughout the premises to provide early detection of fires.
- Regular PAT testing: Helps mitigate the risk of electrical fires.
- Absence of gas supply: Reduces the risk of fire in the kitchen area.
- Fire evacuation plan: Detailed plan in place to ensure safe evacuation in the event of a fire.
- Fire extinguishers: Available on-site for trained staff to use in case of small fires.

5. Additional Recommendations:

- Regular review of fire evacuation procedures to ensure effectiveness.
- Conduct fire drills periodically to familiarise staff with evacuation routes and procedures.
- Provide fire safety training to all staff members, including proper use of fire extinguishers and evacuation procedures.
- Ensure smoking materials are properly disposed of in designated areas.

6. Conclusion:

Based on the assessment, the risk of fire at Heroes Centre LTD is relatively low due to the presence of fire safety measures such as smoke alarms, regular PAT testing, and absence of gas supply. However, it is essential to maintain vigilance and regularly review fire safety procedures to minimise the risk of fire and ensure the safety of occupants.

This fire risk assessment will be reviewed annually or as necessary to ensure it remains accurate and up to date.