



# National Operational Guidance



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Review safety measures at locations that are regulated and/or licensed SFJFS9

## Overview

This standard is about auditing and advising on the risks associated with locations that are regulated and/or licensed. Individuals will work within their personal level of responsibility and authority in terms of providing advice, information and dealing with regulatory and/or licensing matters. The context of this standard may vary in different Authority areas due to the regulatory requirements therein.

### There are two elements

1. Determine risks in respect of the specific risks
2. Recommend controls to manage the specific risks

## Target group

The standard is recommended for Practitioners, i.e. anyone who is employed or contracted to work with others in an organisation - managers, staff, trade unions, owners and/or occupiers - to ensure that, within the scope of their responsibility, suitable and sufficient fire safety arrangements are made and maintained.

It is also appropriate for Regulators, i.e. anyone who has the responsibility for ensuring the requirements of Fire Safety and associated regulation are being met through cooperation or enforcement.

## NOS Knowledge and understanding

### You need to know and understand:

Review safety measures at locations that are regulated and/or licensed



### You need to know and understand:

K1

1The range, type and possible effects associated with the location's use

K2

The required and recognised signage for the location and where relevant, category and type

K3

The relevant legislative framework and the mechanisms of enforcement of general fire precautions in relation to use of the location

## NOS Performance criteria

### You must be able to:

Determine risks in respect of the specific risk

P1

Determine the nature and type of risk associated with the location

P2

Determine the purpose and use of the location

P3

Establish the frequency of use and the areas which may be affected by untoward incidents

P4

Determine the nature and level of the risks associated with the type and use of the location

P5

Consult with appropriate enforcement agencies to evaluate the effectiveness of the existing risk assessment

P6

Evaluate risk reduction and control measures in respect of the management of the location

P7

Determine the suitability and sufficiency of existing control measures