

Church fire risk assessment form

Name and address of Church	
Assessment undertaken by	Date
Area assessed (eg ringing chamber)	

Hazards/Risks/Persons (note here the existing situation)	Additional Controls (note here the additional measures that are needed to reduce the risk to an acceptable level)
What are the fire risks? (note details of any flammable liquids, combustible materials, ignition sources and persons at risk)	
Can a fire be detected in a reasonable time and people warned? (note details of any automatic fire detection system or other means by which a fire can be detected)	
Can people in the building get out safely? (note details of fire exit doors, escape routes, emergency lighting and signage)	

<p>Is there adequate fire fighting equipment? (note details of existing fire extinguishers, hose reels, etc)</p>	
<p>Do people know what to do if there is a fire? (note details of any written evacuation procedures)</p>	
<p>Is a regular check made that fire-fighting equipment is in place, are people trained in its use and is it regularly maintained? (note details of existing procedure for checking and maintaining fire-fighting equipment and training)</p>	
<p>What effect would a fire have on our neighbours? (note risks of fire spreading to other premises)</p>	

<p>What to do now</p> <p>Implement the additional controls identified above and record this in the PCC minutes</p>	
<p>Date controls completed</p>	<p>Completed by</p>
<p>Date due for review</p>	