



OSHCR.org

Occupational Safety & Health Consultants Register

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Who am I?

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What is OSHCR.org?

Occupational Safety and Health Consultants Register (OSHCR)

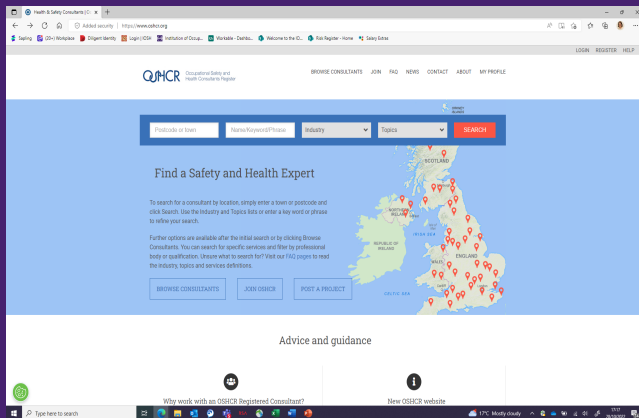
Web-based directory of health and safety consultants.

Established in response to the Government's *Common Sense, Common Safety* report which recommended that all health and safety professionals should be accredited by a professional body at the HSE's request.

It aims to assist businesses in finding advice on general health and safety management.

Created in 2011, and originally owned by a consortium of partner organisations

A subsidiary of IOSH since February 2021.



What are its key features?

- Free to join and use for business users in search of a consultant
- Easy to join and easy to use – consultants can be found by geographical location, industry and specialism at the touch of a button
- Each consultant's record acts as a curriculum of that person's work experience and what makes them unique in their field
- Easy for users to contact consultants directly with enquiries

What are the key benefits for users?

Confidence and peace of mind!

Clients can engage with an OSHCR-registered consultant with the certainty that they are working with a certified professional who holds chartered-level membership with their professional body, has valid PI insurance and is up-to-date on the latest standards and developments.

What are the key benefits for consultants?

- Exposure via a credible platform endorsed by the HSE
- Showcase your professionalism and skills (since it is only open to eligible professionals)
- Easier to reach your target customer audience and you can check how you rank in the website search results
- Low cost to join - £70 annual administration fee only

Lets show you the site – OSHCR.org

The screenshot shows the OSHCR.org website in a browser window. The page features a search bar with four input fields: "Postcode or town", "Name/Keyword/Phrase", "Industry" (a dropdown menu), and "Topics" (a dropdown menu), followed by a red "SEARCH" button. Below the search bar is a map of the United Kingdom and Ireland with numerous red location pins. The text "Find a Safety and Health Expert" is prominently displayed. Below this, there are three buttons: "BROWSE CONSULTANTS", "JOIN OSHCR", and "POST A PROJECT". The website header includes the OSHCR logo and navigation links: "BROWSE CONSULTANTS", "JOIN", "FAQ", "NEWS", "CONTACT", "ABOUT", and "MY PROFILE". The footer contains a search bar and two informational links: "Why work with an OSHCR Registered Consultant?" and "New OSHCR website". The browser's address bar shows "https://www.oshcr.org" and the Windows taskbar at the bottom displays the date "28/10/2022" and time "11:17".

What's next for OSHCR?

- Improved customer support (9am-5pm Monday-Friday)
- Consultant and end user consultation to identify priority areas for added value additions or improvements
- Website improvement programme over the next 12-18 months will see added features and functionality
- Marketing campaign for the register following website relaunch
- Renewed promotion via partner organisations

PARTNERS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE SCHEME



Any questions?

THANK YOU

**Any feedback gratefully received:
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