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**Useful links**

**Time to carry out the Health and Safety Rep role**

* [Allow paid time off (hse.gov.uk)](https://www.hse.gov.uk/involvement/paidtimeoff.htm)
* [Consulting workers on health and safety (hse.gov.uk)](https://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/books/l146.htm)
* [IR-statement-September.pdf (socialpartnershipforum.org)](https://www.socialpartnershipforum.org/media/173880/IR-statement-September.pdf)

**Workplace inspections**

* [The-importance-of-effective-partnership-working-final-for-website-22-May.pdf (nhsemployers.org)](https://www.nhsemployers.org/-/media/Employers/Documents/Retain-and-improve/The-importance-of-effective-partnership-working-final-for-website-22-May.pdf?la=en&hash=84B1F461DBFED2042F966653D32CA66FF9F0DFF4)
* [Inspections of the workplace (hse.gov.uk)](https://www.hse.gov.uk/involvement/inspections.htm)
* [workplace-health-safety-standards.pdf (nhsemployers.org)](https://www.nhsemployers.org/-/media/Employers/Publications/workplace-health-safety-standards.pdf)

**Ventilation**

* [Ventilation and air conditioning during the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic - HSE news](https://www.hse.gov.uk/coronavirus/equipment-and-machinery/air-conditioning-and-ventilation.htm)
* [S0789\_EMG\_Role\_of\_Ventilation\_in\_Controlling\_SARS-CoV-2\_Transmission.pdf (publishing.service.gov.uk)](https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/928720/S0789_EMG_Role_of_Ventilation_in_Controlling_SARS-CoV-2_Transmission.pdf)

**Lone worker guidance**

* <https://www.rcm.org.uk/media/3137/rcm-lone-worker-guidance.pdf>

**PPE know your rights**

* [ppe-know-your-rights-nov-2020.pdf (rcm.org.uk)](https://www.rcm.org.uk/media/4410/ppe-know-your-rights-nov-2020.pdf)