

total care programme

Breathe have produced a package designed to fulfil the requirements of current legislation for maintenance and care of Respiratory Protective Equipment (R.P.E.) on a monthly basis.

The Total Care Programme provides a bespoke service which can be integrated into a site's already existing equipment or set up in conjunction with the purchase of new equipment. The client is relieved of peripheral maintenance duties, allowing them to concentrate cost effectively on their core activities.



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SAFETY SERVICES



Breathe undertake monthly test, inspection and record keeping providing the following advantages:

1. **total Compliance with CoSHH on RPE.** CoSHH states that all respiratory equipment must be maintained at least monthly, by a competent person in accordance with the manufacturers' requirements.
2. **total Guaranteed consistency of inspections and testing.** Where operators carry out maintenance on RPE, it is often neglected - subsequent audits by the HSE could reveal a lack of record keeping.
3. **total Quality of inspection.** Our work is our profession - we ensure it is done properly, rather than RPE maintenance being tagged onto the operators main task. Faults that may get overlooked month to month, are rectified immediately if Breathe undertake work.
4. **total Workshop Facility.** Free repair work from our fully equipped workshop. Repair work that would otherwise be costly, is undertaken at the cost of parts only.
5. **total Packages.** Special rates on other services - training, face fit testing and new equipment are provided at preferential rates if a client has a total care programme in operation.
5. **total Peace of mind.** We take care of all your service requirements on RPE properly, allowing you to concentrate on your core activity.

EXTRACTS FROM COSHH REGULATIONS ON RESPIRATORY PROTECTION EQUIPMENT

176 The maintenance, examination and tests should be in accordance with the manufacturers' instructions. Examinations should comprise a thorough visual examination of all parts of the respirator or breathing apparatus, to ensure that all parts are present, correctly fitted, and the equipment is in good working order. In particular, the examination should ensure that the straps, facepieces, filters and valves are sound and in good working condition.



EXTRACTS FROM COSHH REGULATIONS ON RESPIRATORY PROTECTION EQUIPMENT

178 The quality of the air supplied to breathing apparatus should be tested at least once every three months and more frequently when the quality of the air supplied cannot be assured.



EXTRACTS FROM COSHH REGULATIONS ON RESPIRATORY PROTECTION EQUIPMENT

179 Thorough maintenance examinations and, where appropriate, tests of items of RPE, other than one-shift disposable respirators, should be made at least once every month, and more frequently where the health risks and conditions of exposure are particularly severe.



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