

Safe schools have

Safety Reps!



Help us keep our schools safe: become a safety rep








Now more than ever we need to ensure our schools are safe, “COVID secure” places for children and staff alike. The safety and health of school staff needs all of us to play our part identifying the hazards, managing the risks and ensuring changes are made where changes are needed. Schools are safer places if we all get involved.

We need more health and safety reps in schools to work alongside school leaders if we are to help make our schools safe. If there is no safety rep in your school make sure you speak to your colleagues now.

Our safety reps will not be alone. There is training, support, time and resources to help them.

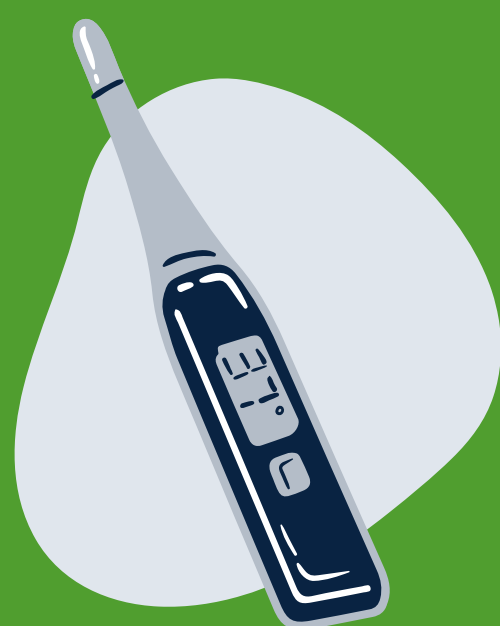
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Your employer must:

-  Identify hazards that may harm their staff, pupils & visitors.
-  Identify those who might be harmed.
-  Assess how likely the harm is to occur. Evaluate the risks.
-  Identify ways to avoid or reduce the risk.
-  Make changes where changes are needed.
-  Record its findings - the hazards, the people who might be harmed, and the measures it has put in place to control the risk.
-  Regularly review its findings with staff and their unions.

A safety rep tackles important issues:

- Social distancing rules
- Any new working arrangements
- PPE
- Reasonable adjustments



How to raise a concern?

If you have concerns about what is happening in your workplace or would like to become a H&S rep, please contact your branch. You can find branch details on our website.

