

Whenever health risks are high, or the consequences serious – such as cancer or chronic disease, then there is legislation requiring regular specialist medical intervention. WellWork Limited maintain HSE approval for a wide range of occupational health services.

Ionising Radiation Regulations 1999

The 1985 regulations are now superseded, medical examinations are now required to take account of fitness for all aspects of the work, rather than simply Ionising Radiation. At WellWork, the content of the medical examination is tailored to meet each businesses needs. Our approach includes:

- Review of dose histories.
- Skin examination for radiography source use.
- Tests of respiratory function if breathing apparatus is worn in emergency.
- Eyesight tests to meet visual acuity and colour vision requirements of quality control standards.
- Physical fitness testing for situations involving heat stress.
- Block bookings for start of sub-contract work on power station outages.

The IRR 1999 requires all appointed Doctors to have attended a prescribed training course every 5 years, WellWork Limited are one of the providers of these training courses. All of our staff are versed in the procedures required to satisfy the health and safety executive and exacting quality control standards from clients.

The Control of Asbestos at work Regulations 1987

WellWork Limited are appointed for these examinations, which take place every 2 years. We will conduct the whole examination, arranging and interpreting the chest x-ray.

We have [considerable experience](#) about the health effects of Asbestos and deal with employee questions as individuals, or can [host discussion groups for workers](#) who may have been at risk, but are not subject to medical examination.

The Control of Lead at work Regulations 1998

Recent changes to these regulations have dramatically lowered the action levels at which workers must be suspended. Regular surveillance is specified by the new regulations and this must include a clinical assessment at least once per year, not just periodic blood or urine testing. WellWork can:

- Conduct assessments at your premises or site.
- Assess results of a full range of blood and urine tests.
- Give expert opinion on possible lead poisoning.

Work in Compressed Air Regulations 1996

WellWork Limited can be appointed as the [contract medical adviser](#) under these regulations. We can also carry out the required medical surveillance.

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 1999

WellWork Limited can carry out the specified high level surveillance for the specified hazards of vinyl chloride, monomer, phenol and benzene. We have a full range of health surveillance.

UKOOA Offshore Medical Examinations

These are not statutory, but it is impossible to get offshore without having one!!! The recent changes to the standards have started an approved Doctor list, in which WellWork Limited is included. We have approved facilities from UKOOA's medical advisory panel to carry out these medicals.

