

SAFECONTRACTOR



EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT ALCUMUS SAFECONTRACTOR

Here to help you make your business
create better workplaces

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 **Alcumus**[®]
Safer, Healthier, Stronger

INTRODUCING ALCUMUS SAFECONTRACTOR

We are Alcumus SafeContractor. We are building a better working world for everyone; one that's safer, healthier and stronger.

SafeContractor delivers a SSIP and PAS91 aligned contractor accreditation, allowing suppliers to demonstrate that they meet the necessary requirements around health and safety, equal opportunities, diversity and environmental management practices. To gain your health and safety accreditation you submit your details on one online platform and complete an assessment once a year, promoting your business to hundreds of organisations.

Join a community of likeminded suppliers and use the SafeContractor badge to enhance your business profile and demonstrate compliance.

What is health and safety accreditation?

Health and safety accreditation allows businesses to show that their health and safety documentation is up to date and meets recognised industry standards.



The benefits of achieving accreditation

Gain peace of mind that your business has the relevant health and safety paperwork in place to meet industry standards to work on site.

Stay ahead of the competition when tendering for more work opportunities.

Promote your commitment to health and safety best practice by displaying the approved seal. It's the sign of a professional and credible supplier business.



WHY CHOOSE SAFECONTRACTOR ACCREDITATION?



Take the hassle out of health and safety with SafeContractor accreditation!



Technical support

The largest UK-based, in-house team of technical experts, dedicated to ensuring you are fit for audit by providing guidance every step of the way throughout your journey to accreditation.



Grow your business

UK organisations recognise SafeContractor as their chosen health and safety partner and will only work with accredited suppliers, opening members up to more work opportunities.



Personal support

You will have 100% designated support throughout a jargon-free online assessment which you can complete anywhere, any time.



Savings & discounts

Access to member benefits that can help you with the everyday running of your business. These include trade discounts and free help and advice lines for health and safety, legal and HR support.

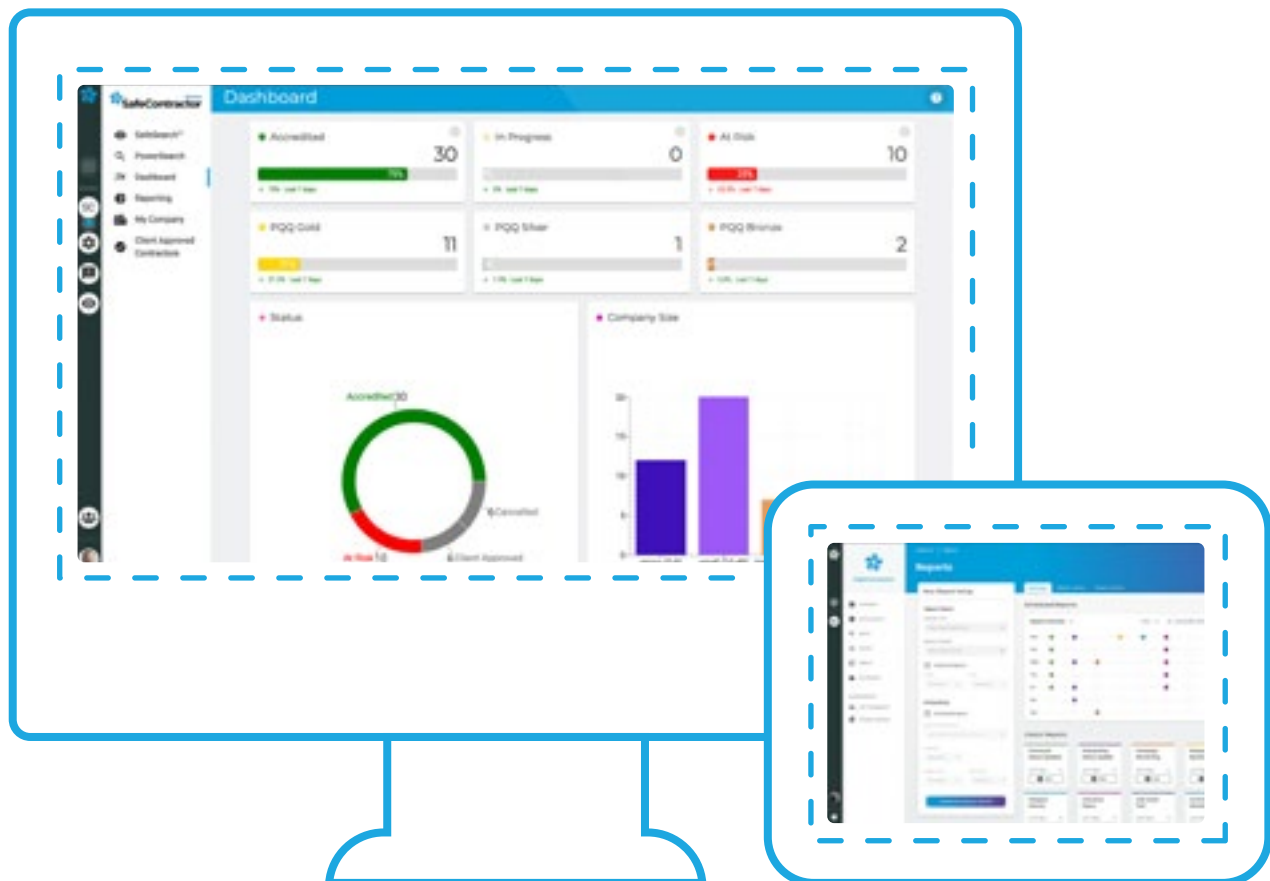
Also, you will have access to the exclusive discounts on other products provided by the Alcumus Group including ISO certification, health and safety training courses and COSHH.



CONNECTING CONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS TO LEADING ORGANISATIONS

Achieving accreditation makes you visible on our database to more than 480 major organisations who only work with accredited suppliers - including leading manufacturing, property, and construction companies, as well as public sector organisations such as councils and the NHS.

As a leader provider of Safety Schemes in Procurement (SSIP) our accredited suppliers work with an average of 3 of our big-brand clients, rising to 5 with our sustainability verification.



Trusted by the world's most respected organisations to make them safer, healthier and stronger

Carter Jonas

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AVISON
YOUNG

Wincanton

Lambert
Smith
Hampton

Weetabix

Bristol Airport
Amazing journeys start here

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Arnold
Clark

COMPASS
GROUP

YOUR LONDON AIRPORT
Gatwick

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97.5% of members who have completed their accreditation said our system was **easy to use**



SSIP approved member - accrediting UK suppliers for over **20 years**



Accredited members **promote** their **health and safety compliance** with the SafeContractor approved seal



Our accredited members work with at least 3 of our **big brand clients** and 5 with **Sustainability Verification**



UK's largest in-house team of **50+ dedicated technical experts**



Access to our **guidance** notes and templates **24/7**

Alcumus SafeContractor helps organisations be safer, healthier and stronger

YOUR HEALTH AND SAFETY PAPERWORK CHECKLIST

As a supplier working on site, legally you must be able to demonstrate that you have the skills, knowledge, experience and capability to carry out work safely and without risk to health. Having up-to-date health and safety paperwork shows that you are a competent and compliant supplier and ensures that you are meeting your legal requirements.

Here is a list of core legal health & safety paperwork documents required:

- ❑ Health & Safety Policy
- ❑ Risk Assessments
- ❑ Method Statements
- ❑ Trade Qualifications
- ❑ Training Records
- ❑ Insurances
- ❑ Work Equipment
- ❑ Maintenance Records
- ❑ Construction Phase plan (if CDM applicable)
- ❑ Workplace Inspections
- ❑ Evidence of communication with staff on matters relating to health and safety

Category Related Activities (Where Applicable – An example is shown below):

- ❑ Isolation Procedures (Electrical works)
- ❑ Hot Work Procedures (Welding works)
- ❑ Confined space Procedures (Sewer Cleaning/ Inspection works)
- ❑ Working at Height Procedures
- ❑ Selection & Control of Subcontractors etc

Document requests will vary depending on the work activities selected, and the size of the company etc.

Some of the above documentation may not be applicable to your business.

If you do not hold some of the above requirements, guidance documentation can be provided to ensure that you are able to work towards achieving accredited status with SafeContractor.

We also have an in-house audit team to assist with any queries you may have with regards to the assessment process.

PAS91 ALIGNED STANDARD

PUBLICLY AVAILABLE SPECIFICATION

PAS91:2013+A1:2017 is a standard question set that buyers of your products or services may use to assess your business capability across a range of topics. The question set is designed to assist the buyer to determine if your business is capable of generally being compliant with relevant standards and legislation. The main aims of PAS91 are to reduce bureaucracy and prevent duplication. Buyers recognise that SafeContractor meets all the requirements of PAS91.

Topics covered:

- Finance
- Environment
- Quality assurance
- Equality
- Modern slavery
- Anti-bribery
- GDPR
- Right to work
- Building information modelling
- References

YOUR CLIENTS WANT TO MINIMISE RISKS TO THEIR BUSINESS.

This includes eradicating modern slavery in their supply chains, complying to environmental obligations, meeting social value and ensuring their contractors and suppliers are financially secure.

For these reasons and more, our sustainability questionnaire (aligned to PAS91) is now part of the standard SafeContractor question set.

That means you get everything you need to show SSIP and PAS91 compliance to your clients – in one place.



A contractor's sustainability badge and status is displayed on our new client portal as Gold, Silver or Bronze, enabling our client organisations to make informed decisions about who they work with.

CHOOSING THE RIGHT ROUTE TO ACCREDITATION FOR YOU

We understand that you are busy and sometimes need more support to navigate through your health and safety paperwork, so we have created four packages to suit the needs of every customer.

Each package has been designed to provide members with as much speed and support through the accreditation as they require. When choosing your package, think about how quickly you want to become accredited, and how much support you need through your accreditation journey.

The fastest and most supported way to achieve health and safety accreditation on the market.



Premier Package

- Do you need your accreditation quickly?
- Do you require one to one support through the assessment?



A call from a technical support officer within 1 working day.



A response within 2 working days after submission of the assessment by a member of the technical team.

If so, our Premier Package is for you!

Assisted Package



- Are you a busy supplier who doesn't have time to complete the health and safety assessment alone?
- Do you require one to one support through the assessment?



A call from a technical support officer within 5 working days.



A response within 5 working days after submission of the assessment by a member of the technical team.

If so, our Assisted Package is for you!

Express Package

- Do you require accreditation quickly?
- Do you have good health and safety knowledge?
- Do you have dedicated health and safety support in your business to work with us to achieve accreditation?



A call from a technical support officer within 2 working days.



A response within 2 working days after submission of the assessment by a member of the technical team.

If so, our Express package is for you!

Standard Package

- Do you have good health and safety knowledge?
- Do you have dedicated health and safety support in your organisation to work with us to achieve accreditation?



A call from a technical support officer within 5 working days.



A response within 20 working days after submission of the assessment by a member of the technical team.

If so, our Standard Package is for you!

WHAT OUR ACCREDITED MEMBERS SAY ABOUT US

Suppliers just like you, partner with SafeContractor to achieve health and safety accreditation every day. We understand how busy you are and that health and safety paperwork sometimes falls to the back of your mind so we've built our accreditation service around your needs.

Don't just take our word for it, here's what our members have to say about their experience and the business benefits of achieving SafeContractor accreditation.

Customer Testimonials

We have been members of Alcumus SafeContractor for many years and we have found that promoting the SafeContractor seal of approval logo has opened up many doors for our company.

A C ELECTRICAL

I appreciate your teams guidance in explaining what evidence we needed to provide for our accreditation this year. We have made a few changes in the way we approach our business recently and it was very reassuring to have someone explain things in plain, working-class language, it really simplified the process for me.

C.D.L STONE LTD

As a sole trader, we are often overlooked and work is given as a priority to larger companies, but having accreditation helps us show we are a professional, capable supplier. I would like to congratulate Alcumus Group for employing such professional and approachable people who have made my accreditation stress-free.

J M BUILDERS

Our customers say **Excellent** ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ **4.44** out of 5 based on **1271** reviews **REVIEWS**

CONTRACTOR MEMBER BENEFITS

As an Alcumus SafeContractor member, you will have access to a range of benefits to help with the everyday running of your business.

SafeContractor member savings



20% off Zurich insurance products for accredited members

Alcumus SafeContractor is delighted to be partnering with Zurich Insurance to offer 20% off their insurance products to our accredited members, whose diligent and professional approach to risk management enables them to manage both anticipated and unanticipated events in the supply chain.



Save 25% off powered access and tool hire with WowNow Hire

Get an exclusive 25% discount on scissor lift, boom lift and other specialist platform lifts, along with the full range of tool hire products.



10% discount with no minimum spend at TradePoint and B&Q

We've improved our partnership with TradePoint to give suppliers even bigger savings than a standard trade card. SafeContractor members benefit from savings of 10% at TradePoint and B&Q with no minimum spend.



Free Checkatrade membership for two months

SafeContractor members can now get a FREE Checkatrade membership for two months. *Terms and conditions apply.*



Preferential commercial law rates with Acuity Law

Acuity Law is a top ranked law firm offering a business to business legal service throughout the UK and internationally.



Save up to 10p a litre for your business fleet with our fuel card

Suppliers can benefit from a free, no-obligation discount fuel card from our exclusive fuel card partner. MyFleetHub provides savings of up to 5p per litre, and up to 10p per litre at motorway pumps at over 7,000 pumps nationwide.



Get up to five months free with RAC Business Breakdown

SafeContractor members can get RAC Business Breakdown Cover for less, with up to 5 months' free. Plus, choose flexible payment options to suit you – including buy now, pay later to help your cashflow.



Earn a £50 Amazon voucher each with our Refer A Friend scheme

If your friend becomes a SafeContractor member as a result of your referral, you'll both receive a £50 Amazon gift card. Good news, you can refer as many friends as you want. Terms and conditions apply.

Alcumus Family



Free 24/7 Health and Safety, HR and Employment Law advice lines from Alcumus PSM

Alcumus PSM have a team of experts with over 28 years' experience assisting SMEs with HR and Health and Safety requirements.



Up to 20% discount on Health and Safety and HR Consultancy

Alcumus PSM has 28 years' experience of providing specialist support for SMEs. We provide advice, guidance and support on HR and HS matters. New PSM customers only.



Up to 20% discount on ISO Certification

Stand out from the crowd and win more business with ISO certification. Save up to £110 per day on certification audits including ISO 9001, ISO 45001, and ISO 27001. New ISOQAR customers only.



10% discount on Alcumus Academy Training Courses

Alcumus Academy offers a range of bespoke training courses, covering a wide range of certification training and auditing solutions.



Free SafeContractor membership when you subscribe to Sypol COSHH Management

Subscribe to Alcumus Sypol's COSHH Management System and qualify for free SafeContractor membership next year. New Sypol customers only.

REGISTER WITH SAFECONTRACTOR TODAY

Kick-start your SafeContractor accreditation today by becoming a member.

It's quick to get started, and to register as a SafeContractor member you can choose from one of three ways:

1



Join online:
safecontractor.com



Call our friendly team:
02920 266 242



Submit a form and we'll call you at a more convenient time:
safecontractor.com/#Enquiry

2



Once your registration is complete, you can begin your accreditation journey. Our dedicated team of in-house technical experts will guide you through the process to ensure you achieve accreditation with the level of speed and support you need.

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