

The facts about hidden asbestos

Asbestos can be hidden anywhere. Before you start your next demolition or refurbishment project, this is what you need to know.

5000+

The number of building products in which asbestos is present.

...and the estimated number of deaths caused by asbestos-related illnesses in the UK each year.



14 days: The minimum notice time that HSE needs before you start licensable work on a site with asbestos.

...and the amount of standing time you may have to pay your contractors if you don't survey your site first.



1,500,000 buildings

The number of sites in which asbestos is estimated to be present...all of which were built before 1999, the year in which asbestos was banned in the UK.

1999

2023

Insulation, soundproofing, pipework

These are just some of common places you might find asbestos.

...but you won't know where it is unless you check.



4 hours

If you're in an emergency, that's all it takes for AEC to analyse a sample of material from your premises

...all you need to do is leave it in one of our drop boxes in London or Manchester.

Get in touch with AEC today to easily arrange a thorough asbestos survey.

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