

PROMPT[®]

Register

REGISTERING **EXCELLENCE** IN PEST MANAGEMENT



THE UK'S **NUMBER 1**
CPD SCHEME

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GOVERNMENT

RECOGNISING
EXCELLENCE

ESTABLISHED

INDEPENDENT



THE MARK OF A **TRUE PROFESSIONAL**

What is BASIS PROMPT?

BASIS PROMPT is an independent industry/government recognised **register of professional pest controllers** who have achieved the required level of competence and have invested time in keeping their knowledge and skills up-to-date.

Why join BASIS PROMPT?

BASIS PROMPT registration certifies that you, as an individual, have received a high standard of training. This allows you to portray a truly professional image and a progressive approach to customers, colleagues and employers alike. The number of members is increasing rapidly as the scheme is now recognised industry wide.

How do you become BASIS PROMPT registered?

- BASIS PROMPT is open to all qualified individuals who sell or provide advice on public health pesticides or who provide a pest control service and are prepared to spend time keeping up-to-date through Continuing Professional Development (CPD).
 - Full Membership is open to all RSPH Level 2 qualified operators. Associate Membership is open to those operators working towards their level 2 qualification. If in doubt please enquire.
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Advantages of membership

- Membership is confirmation that a pest controller has attained or is studying to achieve a recognised professional level of training and competence. This is important in two ways – firstly in promoting the business and winning new contracts and secondly on a personal level for career progression and development.
 - Employees having an industry registered qualification and regularly undertaking CPD which can be independently verified by a recognised organisation such as BASIS PROMPT.
 - The success of the register is also helping to establish a better definition of a professional pest controller, which is much needed in the UK and may be required by future legislation.
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What does it cost?

An initial registration cost of £10 + VAT per applicant and an annual renewal fee of £32 + VAT. £26.50 + VAT for members of the BPCA, NPTA and Local Authorities. However, applicants who undertake training for the RSPH Level 2 in Pest Control examination will qualify automatically for entry onto the register free of charge in the year that they pass their examination and will not need to pay a membership fee for the rest of that year.

Full Members

Full Members are Professional Pest Controllers who have achieved a recognised level of competence and continue to keep up to date through regular CPD activity.

Successful applicants must show that they have achieved one of the following:

- The RSPH/BPCA Level 2 Award or Level 2 Certificate in Pest Control/Management
- The Royal Society of Health Pest Control Certificate
- The British Pest Control Association (BPCA) Diploma, Part I or II
- A certificate issued by a recognised national body as being of similar standing
- Irish PMU Number

Associate Members

Associate Members are Professional Pest Controllers of long standing or new entrants to the industry who have committed to annual updating and CPD. There are other associate categories available eg. Associate Bird Specialist or the Associate Rodent Specific Category.

Associate – Rodent Specific Category

The HSE have authorised the use of Second Generation Anticoagulant Rodenticide (SGAR) products outdoors but applicants of the products must provide assurance through certification that their use will be in accordance with the standards established by stewardship guidance and the CRRU Code. Point of sale checks will be made to ensure people are certificated.

New training courses and certificates have been written and introduced specifically for rodenticide use enabling the certificate holder to purchase commercial use rodenticides.

The training certificates accepted for membership include:

- BPCA Using Rodenticides Safely
- LANTRA: Responsible and Effective Control of Commensal Rodents (2015 onwards)
- City & Guilds NPTC Level 2 Certificate of Competence in Vertebrate Pest Control for Rats and Mice
- Killgerm Principles of Rodent Control
- RSPH Level 2 Award in the Safe Use of Rodenticides

HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR SUPPORTERS:



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Attended events and can't find your points?



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