

Canal River Trust Asbestos Surveys



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Client	Vinci Facilities
Location	Various Sites Throughout the UK
Project Description	Asbestos Surveys
Value	£600k per annum
Start / Finish Date	2011- Ongoing

Project Description

We have been carrying out asbestos surveys, re-inspections and management advice for Canal River Trust (CRT) since 2011, including ongoing development of their asbestos management plan. The contract is nationwide, with locations throughout the UK, and of a widely-dispersed nature.

Stringent health and safety procedures are in place and must be adhered to at all times, due to our surveyors working near the water. This includes, at mobilisation stage an all-encompassing project risk assessment that identifies all possible risks by ensuring an appropriate level of control is enforced, monitored and audited. Specific equipment, RPE/PPE such as life jackets, rescue boats and walkie talkies, which must be used. In some instances, our surveyors are escorted around site by CRT staff. All staff allocated to the contract have confined spaces training, as this is relevant to some sites within the contract portfolio. Awareness training is carried out with all surveyors to cover the risks associated with the working environment, on a continual basis.

Thorough planning of any works on any site is required, with a fully developed risk assessment, that requires agreement by the client in advance and throughout the works.