



What is Portable Appliance Testing (PAT)?

Portable Appliance Testing (PAT) is a routine procedure that involves inspecting and or testing electrical appliances to ensure they are safe for use. It's a key part of any workplace safety strategy and helps businesses comply with health and safety regulations.

At Foresight Safety, we provide comprehensive inspection and testing management services tailored to your operational needs — ensuring compliance, improving safety, and reducing unnecessary testing costs.

Why Inspection & Testing matters

Scheduled inspection and or testing helps prevent:

- Electric shocks
- Fire risks from faulty equipment
- Equipment failure and business downtime
- Legal liabilities and non-compliance with regulations

Tailored Inspection & Testing Based on Risk Assessment

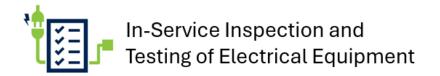
The **frequency of inspection and or testing** depends on the:

- Type of equipment and construction
- Environment in which it's used (e.g., office, workshop, construction site)
- Level of usage and likelihood of damage

To ensure compliance with best practices — including guidance from the **HSE's HSG107** — we begin every project with **a thorough site risk assessment**.

This allows us to:

- Identify what requires inspection and or testing
- Determine how often it should be tested
- Avoid unnecessary blanket testing
- ✓ Result: A more efficient, compliant, and cost-effective testing strategy.





Fully Compliant Testing Standards

All inspections and tests are carried out in accordance with the **latest (5th edition) IET Code of Practice** and **HSE Approved Codes of practice (ACOP)**, ensuring full legal compliance and technical accuracy by fully trained competent staff.

Our inspection and or testing process includes:

- Visual inspection of equipment and cables
- Earth continuity and insulation resistance tests
- Functional checks where appropriate

Detailed Reporting & Documentation

Every appliance we inspect and or test:

- Is assigned a unique identification code
- Is labelled with a PASS or FAIL status
- Is included in a comprehensive test report

You'll receive a detailed record of every item inspected and or tested — ideal for **health and** safety audits, insurance purposes, and internal compliance tracking.

Why Choose Foresight Safety for Inspection and Testing?

- ✓ Risk-based, cost-saving approach
- ✓ Fully trained, qualified safety professionals
- ✓ Up to date with IET and HSE Codes of Practice
- ✓ Fast, minimal disruption to service
- ✓ Clear reporting for your peace of mind

Contact us today

Ready to ensure your electrical equipment is safe, compliant, and professionally documented? **Contact Foresight Safety** today to schedule your PAT testing service — and let us help you build a smarter, safer workplace.

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