



# ScreenSafeUK

A common reaction to the topic of workplace screening is "Why do we need this? Surely what a person does for recreation in their own time is of no business to anyone else, including their employer and fellow employees".

**However, the use of excess alcohol or illicit drugs can seriously affect an individual's performance at work, causing reduced reaction times, impaired perception and poor decision-making.**

Alcohol and drug induced impairment can last long after intake has ceased. Successfully tackling drug and alcohol misuse can be an enormous benefit to both employer and employee. British businesses incur massive financial losses every day due to this growing problem.

Studies have shown that recreational drug use is associated with far-reaching health and safety implications, which must be addressed, and a robust Drugs and Alcohol Policy goes a long way in preventing this area of increasing cost.

A Drug and Alcohol policy in the workplace is about inappropriate use of substances and, in addition to banned substances of abuse, also includes prescription medicines.

At ScreenSafe UK we offer a professional support mechanism to those organisations committed to achieving the highest standards of safety and quality.



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*Testing Standards in the Workplace*



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