



# Watching the Detectors

A guideline for the selection, spacing and siting of particular detectors in all types of buildings.

**Duration - Approx. 90 minutes**

**Who should attend** - M&E Consultants, End Users, Architects or those involved in the process of providing or maintaining an automatic fire detection system

**External Approval** - CPD Service

## Course details

This presentation looks at why the correct choice of fire detector is important in protecting life and property from fire. It concentrates on the types and selection of particular detectors as well as the spacing and siting of them within all types of building. It looks specifically at Sections 21 & 22 of the revised British Standard BS 5839-1:2017 and is therefore suitable for anyone involved with the design of a system as well as the ongoing servicing. It provides some practical advice on where detectors should be sited and gives some examples of where this has gone wrong in the past. Finally it reminds the designer of their responsibilities and whom they should consult before completing the design process.

Certificates of completion are awarded to attendees completing the course.

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