

Gloucestershire Trading Standards Service Costs for Business Advice

Whether you are trading as a small family run business or an international company Gloucestershire Trading Standards can help to ensure you clearly understand the legislative requirements related to your business activity, and can insure you get the right advice to be able to meet those requirements.

We only cover our costs and these are listed below. If you have specific requirements please get in touch and we can arrange a bespoke package for you.

Primary Authority Partnership	
Setting Up the Primary Authority Partnership including application to BEIS, two bespoke visits, named single point of contact within Trading Standards and access to assured business advice.	£250
Assured Business Advice/Services (EG: Civil Advice, Labelling, Weights & Measures, Product Safety)	£70 per hour
Additional Business Services not Primary Authority	
Business Starter Information for Sole Traders includes initial assessment, advice and specific signposting.	£50 + VAT
Advice on an hourly basis	£70 + VAT
Travelling to premises inside Gloucestershire	Free
Travelling to premises outside Gloucestershire	45p/mile
Product analysis e.g. food sample or product safety sample) by our public analyst or test house	Price on Application
Testing and calibration of specialist equipment and provision of test certificates e.g. weights and measures equipment	Please request details for costs of testing specialist equipment
Provision of training e.g. training for up to 12 people on a specific Trading Standards subject area	Example Half day £400 + VAT. Full day £700 + VAT

- We aim to acknowledge your enquiry within 1 working day and to provide advice within 10 working days.
- If you have a Primary Authority Partnership then assured advice will be provided within 5 working days, unless agreed otherwise.
- We can provide you with more specific details and confirm costs once we have discussed your request and identified how we can help you.

To find out more contact
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