The Institute of Healthcare Engineering and Estate Management

Introduction
IHEEM is an international professional engineering institute and is the UK’s largest specialist Institute for the Healthcare Estates Sector. IHEEM is a membership organisation and offers a variety of membership packages for individuals and affiliates such as NHS Trusts, Universities and Companies working within the sector.

As a professional development organisation, IHEEM helps to keep members up to date with developing technology and changing regulations.

IHEEM is licensed by the Engineering Council to register engineers as EngTech, IEng and CEng.

The Institute is also at the forefront of informing and implementing government policy such as the Lord Carter Productivity and Efficiency Programme and Health Technical Memorandums (HTMs).

IHEEM delivers a range of CPD accredited technical seminars and conferences providing the opportunity for attendees to broaden their knowledge, upskill, debate key issues and share best practice.

IHEEM maintains ‘Registers of Authorising Engineers’ for the following disciplines: Decontamination, Electrical, Medical Gases and Water.

The IHEEM Technical Platforms provide technical expertise and guidance for members, industry professionals and stakeholders. They also help to inform, shape and implement government guidelines and polices and provide technical guidance and subject matter for the IHEEM CPD programme.

IHEEM has a network of 12 regional branches in the UK, and 2 overseas in the Republic of Ireland and Hong Kong and was a founding member of the International Federation of Hospital Engineering (IFHE) developing partnerships across the world.

Lord Carter of Coles is the Honorary Patron of the Institute, building upon the close partnership with the Department of Health.

IHEEM’s Health Estate Journal (HEJ) is the leading expert voice for the healthcare estates sector.

How IHEEM Membership can benefit you and your organisation

Who can join?
• Employees from public and private sector healthcare providers
• Engineering and consultancy firms
• Individuals and organisations
• Those working in the healthcare estates sector
• Companies involved in supplying to the NHS and private healthcare sector

What types of membership packages are available?
• Individual – personal, student, apprentice, skilled person
• Affiliate – NHS Trust, University, Company, Organisation

Membership benefits
• Receive professional development and mentoring
• Gain internationally recognised engineering qualifications
• Use of designated letters after your name
• Receive copies of the Health Estate Journal (HEJ), the leading voice for the sector
• Discounted rates to attend CPD accredited technical seminars, workshops, conferences and exhibitions
• Support at a local level with your regional branch
• Various grades of membership reflective of your experience and qualifications
• Access to the members’ only area on the IHEEM website including the online CPD recording IHEEM mycareerpath
• Support of the IHEEM Technical Platforms which provide technical expertise and guidance for members
• ‘IHEEM Extras’ – new additional membership benefits
• Networking opportunities and sharing best practice with peers
• Additional benefits for Affiliates:
  • Use of the IHEEM logo
  • Company Affiliate directory listing

How do I join IHEEM?
• Submit your application online or by contacting the office
• Your application will then be peer reviewed by the Membership and Registration Committee who will then make a decision on the most appropriate grade of membership
CPD Seminars and Events

The IHEEM events programme offers a great opportunity for you to further broaden your knowledge, upskill, network and also challenge your understanding of the subject matter.

They are a key part of your Continuing Professional Development (CPD) and offers a platform for you to debate key themes and share best practice with your peers.

Our events are open for both IHEEM members (who receive a discounted delegate rate) and non-members.

Topics covered include: Water HTM04, Decontamination, Electrical Systems, Lord Carter Productivity and Efficiency Programme, Building Information Modelling (BIM), Fire Safety, Medical Gases, Ventilation, Waste Management.

In addition to the range of seminars organised by IHEEM, the regional branches also host events throughout the year on a range of subjects.

Key benefits of attending

- Discounted rates for IHEEM Members
- Super early bird and early bird rates available
- Various locations throughout UK
- Receive valuable CPD credits
- Develop your skills and understanding
- Networking opportunities
- Exhibition opportunities
- Open forums for discussions
- Expert speakers from across the sector
- Share best practice
- Delegate packs

Interested in joining us? Then don’t delay, join today

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