



DSE Assessments

IPRS Health offer bespoke DSE assessments based on the requirements of the client. All our assessments comply with the Health & Safety (Display Screen Equipment) Regulations (1992, 2002).

All IPRS Health's qualified Chartered Physiotherapists undertaking the assessments are members of Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (CSP) and The Association of Chartered Physiotherapists in Occupational Health and Ergonomics (ACPOHE) and all the reports go through an audit process before being released to the client.

Our standard DSE assessments include:

1. Basic Display Screen Equipment (DSE) assessments based on the individual and their immediate work area including desk, computer equipment, telephone and chair
2. Reasonable Adjustment Assessment (RAA) in which the environment can be taken into account as well as other non-observable issues e.g. dyslexia, visual disturbances or other disabilities
3. Work Place Assessments (WPA) which will encompass other work areas and environments. Often they are not necessarily desk based, e.g. part of their day is spent on more manual tasks.

More Info?

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Case Study 1

IPRS Health were requested to visit a London based office to assess a female employee who was several months pregnant. This assessment was to ensure all immediate work facilities were provided for, whether needed now, or in the future. DSE education was provided, therefore the member of staff would know why any changes would be needed in order to promote ideal posture and prevent as much as possible

In this instance, smaller changes were made to the equipment on the desk i.e. ensure the mouse, keyboard and screen were in the correct position.

Recommendations were also written into the report for future issues that could arise such as a possible provision of a cushion with a cut out, a foot rest which is on a constant rocker and a further lumbar cushion to be provided should the curve of the lower back accentuate more.

IPRS Health have since been asked to provide such DSE assessments for other members of staff for this company.

Case Study 2

Over the past 3-years, IPRS Health have been commissioned to undertake a large 4-week DSE project by an Independent Occupational Health Company for their client.

On average, over 300 DSE assessments have been undertaken each year during the 4-weeks. These have been undertaken by two IPRS Health Chartered Physiotherapists who have used an innovative template and technology to undertake the assessments and ensure the recommendations and reports were submitted in a timely manner.