



Gas Industry Registration Scheme (GIRS) Accreditation Fees 2024-25

The costs of operating the GIRS accreditation scheme is supported by a fee structure for members. The level of fees is agreed by GIRSAP and is as follows:

Fee Structure

Basic Fee [Note – reduced to £2644 for Providers with current NERS or WIRS accreditation] £3566

Plus Scope Fee(s) From Table ¹ below (as applicable)

Plus Scale Fee From Table 2 below (as applicable)

Total fees therefore depend on the scopes required and the size of the Provider being accredited plus the basic fee

Table 1 – Fees relating to scope

Project management [Note – not required when construction accreditation is being sought]	£2320
Design	£2320
Audit	£968
Construction/Commissioning/Connections	£3873
Connections (Non Routine) Basic	£2320
Specialist Iris Stop Connections	£2320
Specialist Stopple Connections	£2320
Specialist Hot Welding Connections	£2320
Specialist Large Diameter PE Branch Connections	£2320
Construction of Multi-Occupancy Buildings (CMOBS)	£1987
Design of Multi-Occupancy Buildings (D-MOB)	£1162

¹ GIRS Accreditation Fees 2024 – 2025 Version 15 (June 2024)

Table 2 – fees relating to size of Provider

[Size is based on the numbers, including support staff, who will be involved in GIRS related activities]

<10 employees (inclusive of subcontractors)	£577
11 – 20 employees (as above)	£960
21 – 50 employees (as above)	£1192
51 – 100 employees (as above)	£1934
>100 employees (as above)	£3873

Notes

1. Where a Provider operates in a number of regions, managed from local depots/regional offices, they may require each operating base to be assessed. The cost of which would be additional to the fees detailed above. Such additional visits would be charged on a day rate basis.
2. The inclusive site rate is currently £1162 per day. This rate is applicable for surveillance visits

3. Fees are subject to revision in June of each year, next revision date June 2025

4. Rate above are exclusive of VAT

5. All fees quoted are subject to LRQA Limited Terms and Conditions

Next steps

To apply to be a GIRS accredited UIP, please [complete the form on the LRQA website](#). If you have any questions, please contact the Utilities Team at utilities@lrqa.com.