

## **Building Self-Inspection**

## Checklist

Building

Regular loss prevention inspections are a key element of a comprehensive property risk management programme.	This form should
be completed during physical site inspections and a copy retained for reference.	

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1.	Fire Life Safety						
1.1	Is emergency lighting operational?						
1.2	Are fire exits/doors in good condition, operable, unobstructed and not held open?						
1.3	Are fire door automatic closing devices operational?						
1.4	Are fire stairs free of obstructions?						
1.5	Are emergency exits appropriately signposted?						
1.6	Are written emergency procedures posted and clearly visible to occupants?						
2.	Fire Extinguishers, Hose Reels And Hydrants	Extinguishers, Hose Reels And Hydrants					
2.1	Are all extinguishers in place?						
2.2	Are extinguishers, hose reels and hydrants accessible and signposted?						
2.3	Do all extinguishers, hose reels and hydrants have inspection tags, which have been stamped in the last six months?						
2.4	Do all hydrant outlets have secure caps?						

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3. Fire System Isolations and Faults							
3.1	Are the fire indicator panel (FIP) and/or EWIS panels free of isolations and faults?						
3.2	Are the fire pumps (sprinklers and hydrants) free of isolations/ faults and in auto start mode?						
3.3	Are all fire pump suction and discharge valves open?						
3.4	Are the fire pump, FIP, EWIS and sprinkler system logbooks up to date?						
3.5	Are all reported faults being actioned?						
Note	: Use the Chubb Insurance Fire Protection Impairment Notificat	ion Forn	ı to repo	ort faults	s and isolations where applicable.		
4.	Sprinkler System						
4.1	Are sprinkler system stop valves secured in an open position?						
4.2	Is a stock of replacement sprinklers available on site?						
4.3	Are sprinkler heads throughout the building free of corrosion, mechanical damage or paint?						
4.4	In storage areas, is there at least a 500mm vertical gap between sprinkler heads and storage?						
5.	Automatic Fire Detection						
5.1	Are all smoke detectors and fire alarms operational?						
5.2	Are all smoke detectors and fire alarms free of obstructions?						
6.	Housekeeping						
6.1	Are all areas free of trip hazards (cables, hoses, unmarked steps etc.)?						
6.2	Are all floors, steps and stairs in good condition?						
6.3	Are cleaners utilising wet floor signage when cleaning?						
6.4	Are entrances provided with wet weather mats?						
6.5	Are electrical cupboards/rooms free of combustible storage?						
6.6	Are all electrical cable penetrations in electrical cupboards/rooms/risers sealed with appropriate fire retardant materials (not foam)?						
6.7	Are all plant areas free of combustible storage and locked?						
6.8	Is the fire control room free of storage and locked?						
6.9	Are common areas free of accumulated garbage?						
6.10	Are all internal lights working correctly?						
6.11	Are all external lights working correctly?				1		

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7.	Electrical Safety						
7.1	Are portable electrical equipment test tags current?						
7.2	Are all electrical outlets, junction boxes and other electrical boxes properly covered?						
7.3	Are all electrical cupboards/rooms/risers locked?						
7.4	Are any extension cords being used instead of fixed building wiring?						
8.	Smoking			_			
8.1	Are designated smoking areas kept clear of flammable/combustible materials?						
8.1	Is there evidence of smoking in 'non-smoking' areas?						
9.	Carparks			_			
9.1	Is speed restriction signage clearly visible?						
9.2	Are traffic direction markings clearly visible?						
9.3	Is carpark clearance height clearly signposted?						
9.4	Are wheel stops highlighted?						
9.5	Are bollards and columns highlighted?						
9.6	Are pedestrian crossing signage and markings clearly visible?						
9.7	Is carpark lighting operational?						
9.8	Are carpark surfaces free of potholes?						
9.9	Are carpark surfaces free of oil spills?						
10.	Garbage Rooms						
10.1	Is an operational fusible link fitted to the closure at the base of the garbage chute?						
10.2	Are appropriate fire extinguishers readily available?						
10.3	Is the garbage room clean and tidy?						
11.	Commercial Kitchens						
11.1	Are kitchen range hoods, ductwork and filters clean?						
11.2	Are sprinkler heads in range hoods free of grease build-up?						
11.3	Are appropriate fire extinguishers and fire blankets readily available?						
11.4	Are gas shut-off valves for kitchen appliances readily accessible and labelled?						

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12.	Dangerous Goods Storage				
12.1	Are pool chemicals securely stored?				
12.2	Are flammable liquids (paints, fuel etc.) appropriately stored?				
13.	Swimming Pool and Spa Areas				
13.1	Are any climbable objects located near the pool fence?				
13.2	Is the pool gate handle operating correctly?				
13.3	Does the pool gate fully close and latch automatically?				
13.4	Has the pool water been tested within the last week?				
13.5	Are pool rules and CPR signage clearly visible?				
13.6	Are water depth markings clearly visible?				
13.7	Are pool/spa suction fittings and plumbing grates/covers securely in place and in good condition?				
13.8	Does the spa emergency shut-off operate correctly?				
14.	Gymnasiums				
14.1	Is gym equipment instructional signage clearly visible?				
14.2	Is any gym equipment defective?				
14.3	Is an operational emergency call point installed?				
14.4	Is the area free of trip hazards (e.g. free weights, power leads)?				
15.	Balustrades and Handrails				
15.1	Is there any damage to balustrades and handrails?				
15.2	Are any climbable objects located near balustrades or handrails?				
16.	General				
16.1	Are there any indications of overcrowding?				
16.2	Are any contractors working on site?				
16.3	If so are appropriate management procedures (eg. Hot work) being followed?				
16.4	Is there any evidence of forced entry or malicious damage?				
16.5	Are all CCTV cameras operational?				

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17. Actions

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