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Request:

1. Please can you advise me of how many salons/establishments operate in your borough with sunbeds.

No information held.

2. How they are licenced

We do not have a licensing scheme for sunbed salons.

3. What process is involved, for a salon to be registered with yourselves

A salon is not required to be registered.

4. How they are checked for compliance

They are checked for compliance of the appropriate Regulations.

5. How often they are checked for compliance

Monitoring of sunbed salons is undertaken following complaint or specific project.

6. What are the measurements taken for rays omitted

The strength of the UV radiation is measured to check compliance with the Regulations.

7. Who completes the checks

This is a joint exercise between Trading Standards and Environmental Health.

8. How do you check that staff are fully trained to advise of the dangers of sunbed use

Environmental Health, as part of the inspection, will check the procedure that is in place for the safe use of the equipment.

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