## **Guildford Borough Councils Fire Safety in HMOs Criteria**

	1-4 Storeys	1-4 Storeys	1-2 Storeys	3+ Storeys
	Subject to Size, Layout & Design	Subject to Size, Layout & Design		
Location of Fire Safety Controls	Shared House	Non-Shared House	Bedsit	Bedsit
		See non-shared house criteria		
	Shared cooking facilities	Shared cooking facilities	Cooking facilities inside lettings	Cooking facilities inside lettings
Doors to Escape Route	Solid Doors to Bedrooms & Risk Rooms opening to escape route  (Recommend FD30 to kitchen)	Solid Doors to Bedrooms & Risk Rooms opening to the escape route  (Recommend FD30 to kitchen)	FD30(s) to Bedrooms, Risk Rooms and Kitchen(s)	FD30(s) to Bedrooms, Risk Rooms and Kitchen(s)
	Grade D, LD2	Grade D, LD2	Grade D, LD2	Grade A, LD2
Detection	(Smoke Detection to communal risk rooms & Heat Detector to kitchen)	(Smoke Detection to communal risk rooms & Heat Detector to kitchen)	+ Standalone Smoke Detector extended to bedsits.	+ Standalone Smoke Detector extended to bedsits.
		+ Lithium powered smoke detector (tamperproof battery) with wireless interconnection extended to bedrooms	+ Heat Detector mains wired & interconnected extended to bedsits	+  Heat Detector mains wired &  interconnected extended to bedsits

## Appendix 1 – Fire Safety HMO Criteria Matrix

	1-4 Storeys	1-4 Storeys	1-2 Storeys	3+ Storeys
	Subject to Size, Layout & Design	Subject to Size, Layout & Design		
Location of Fire Safety Controls	Shared House	Non-Shared House See non-shared house criteria	Bedsit	Bedsit
	Shared cooking facilities	Shared cooking facilities	Cooking facilities inside lettings	Cooking facilities inside lettings

Doors to Escape Route	Solid Doors to Bedrooms & Risk Rooms opening to escape route  (Recommend FD30 to kitchen)	Solid Doors to Bedrooms & Risk Rooms opening to the escape route  (Recommend FD30 to kitchen)	FD30(s) to Bedrooms, Risk Rooms and Kitchen(s)	FD30(s) to Bedrooms, Risk Rooms and Kitchen(s)
Detection	Grade D, LD2	Grade D, LD2	Grade D, LD2	Grade A, LD2
	(Smoke Detection to communal risk rooms & Heat Detector to kitchen)	(Smoke Detection to communal risk rooms & Heat Detector to kitchen)  + Lithium powered smoke detector (tamperproof battery) with wireless interconnection extended to bedrooms	+ Standalone Smoke Detector extended to bedsits. + Heat Detector mains wired & interconnected extended to bedsits	+ Standalone Smoke Detector extended to bedsits. + Heat Detector mains wired & interconnected extended to bedsits