# System opportunity Benchmarking

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# The Benchmarking Cycle



### ALG - Benchmarking Cycle

- Benchmarking Identification:
  - Clear categories i.e. Borough; Number FTE staff; Top five primary causes etc.
- Data Collection:
  - How will the data be collected?
    - Details through a dedicated system
    - Health and Safety Networks site

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#### Benchmarking Actions:

- Once the data is collected how will it be used?
- Necessary to ensure it is not just a paper based exercise.
- Allowing for transfer of knowledge between Borough's

#### Monitoring:

- Ensuring that the new process is working and
- Dependent upon the actions required, regular reviews within the ALG Network meetings to identify any improvements or further benchmarking opportunities
- Focus groups

## How might it Look?

		No. Of				Near		
Organisation	No. Of FTE	Incidents	Minor	Major	Fatality	Miss/DO	Over 3-day	Total
RBKC	3128	365	328	0	0	30	6	364
LBHF	3339	296	270	0	0	15	11	296
Brent	5123	435	350	0	0	55	6	411
Richmond	3129	612	320	0	0	280	12	612
Islington	2898	189	101	0	0	72	16	189
Borough's Total	17617	1897	1369	0	0	452	51	

This is not a true representation of data, data is randomly used for the purpose of this example

### What will benchmarking enable?

- Continuous knowledge of other Borough's top issues
- It allows for discussions to take place around top issues and what others are doing that some are not
- Allow for consolidation of better working practices throughout

### Next Steps

- Decide on the way forward at the ALG network meetings
- Set up benchmarking focus group for those interested;
  - Agree benchmarking data (Easy to measure and offers comparisons)
  - Agree how data will be collected (Through ALG source or dedicated system)
  - Agree on how data will be used
- Analysis (Organise and present data, Develop and agree topics of discussion whereby improvements can be made)
- Keep the ALG members updated

### Conclusion

Successful benchmarking will required 3 basic elements:

- 1. Real data to allow observations to be made
- 2. Commitment from Councils to take part in the benchmarking process
- 3. Dedicated members to carry out analysis and provide outcomes to the rest of the group.