



Maintaining the Register 2021

Aim

To outline the steps electoral registration officers (EROs) are required to take to make sure they maintain a complete and accurate register, including the legislative framework and areas of good practice.

Objectives

1. Examine options for maximising registration, including using local data.
2. Examine options for ensuring only those eligible citizens are registered.
3. Highlight specific considerations at election and canvass time.
4. Learn from each other's experiences

Who is this course for?

This course is designed for anyone involved in maintaining the electoral register who wants a comprehensive understanding of requirements or who is considering how to improve their own processes.

Course overview

You will focus on approaches and processes for effectively maintaining the register throughout the year, including during the canvass and in the run-up to an election.

Key topics will include using local data; ways to reach under-registered or difficult-to-reach groups; the effective use of canvassers; reviews of registration and deletions; considerations at election time.

The course will be delivered online using a mixture of presentation material, practical exercises, with reference to example documentation and official guidance.

Group discussion will take place during the day to enable you to exchange knowledge, experience and ideas.

You will be provided with a course pack prior to the course.

Each course runs from 10:00 until 16:00 with breaks for lunch and for tea and coffee.

Dates and venues

21 October 2020

Online – via Microsoft Teams

Cost

First delegate	AEA member – £296 (plus vat) With member support fund discount £200 (plus vat)
Second delegate from the same authority	AEA member – £149 (plus vat) With member support fund discount £100 (plus vat)
Subsequent delegates from the same authority*	AEA member – £149 (plus vat) With member support fund discount £50 (plus vat)
Non-member	Non-member – £386 (plus vat)

Non-members who would like to join the Association can apply for membership online at www.aea-elections.co.uk/join

*If delegates from the same authority would like to attend this course on different dates/at different venues please clearly indicate this on the booking form.

Cancellation

If you cannot attend you may send a substitute in your place, otherwise the following cancellation charges apply:

- Less than two weeks before the event 100%.
- Less than four weeks before the event 60%.
- More than four weeks before the event £20.

If a course is cancelled for any reason within the AEA's control, a full refund or credit will be made.

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