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# The future of pest management

Driving excellence in pest management

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# UK Pest Control Market

£425M

Sector Revenue per annum

4.3%

Growth rate of 4.3% per annum

1000+

Pest Control Companies

25

New 'companies' each year



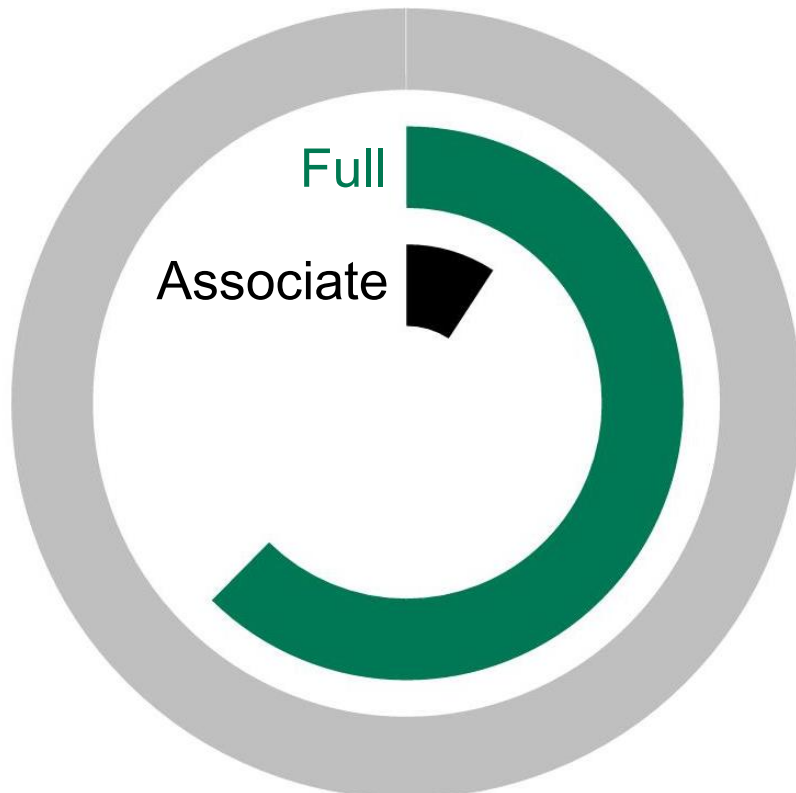
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Source: Ibisworld 2016

# BPCA at a glance



Potential Members (1000)



14 Board Members



14 Staff Members



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## So you want to be a pest controller ?

Are you fully trained and certified to use rodenticides safely? If you purchase, use, intend to use or store rodenticide, you will need to hold a current CRRU approved training certificate to purchase or use rodenticides.

- **Classroom Programme-** A one-day BPCA classroom course and take the RSPH Level 2 Award in Safe Use of Rodenticides written exam at the end of the day
- **Online Programme** - a 6-hour BPCA online learning course and take the BPCA/BASIS Using Rodenticides Safely exam online at the end
- **Exam-Only Programme** - If you are fully up-to-date and ready to take the exam without additional study, take the RSPH Level 2 Award in Safe Use of Rodenticides exam



## Is this enough in the current climate?

Level 2 Award in Pest Management (or equivalent) is the recognised industry standard qualification required to work as a Pest Control Technician in public health pest control.

As a pest controller, you should ensure you're qualified to at least this level.

- **Residential Classroom Programme** - A one-week residential course and exam. You will be expected to study the online learning for a minimum of 6 weeks before studying the classroom element Sunday to Friday
- **Online Programme** - You have up to 12 months to study the online General Pest Control (GPC) learning course. The study takes at least 60 hours. You then book and pay for RSPH Level 2 Award in Pest Management exam separately when ready
- **Exam-Only Programme** - You carry out self-study or study through your employer, then take the RSPH Level 2 Award in Pest Management exam





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# UnBugged - unravelled

- The idea for UnBugged first arose in 2016 when, due to the state of public finances, the council began to consider commercialising some of its services
- Pest control was an obvious choice as it was very highly-valued by the public and politicians alike and already had an excellent reputation throughout the north-west.
- Pest control is not a statutory function for local authorities, therefore increasing income generation to cover the cost of the services provided would help to safeguard its future.
- The plan was simple. Take on more, higher value commercial contracts, increase the size of the team, and offer more pest control services, thereby increasing income and protecting the services provided to residents.





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# Questions?



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