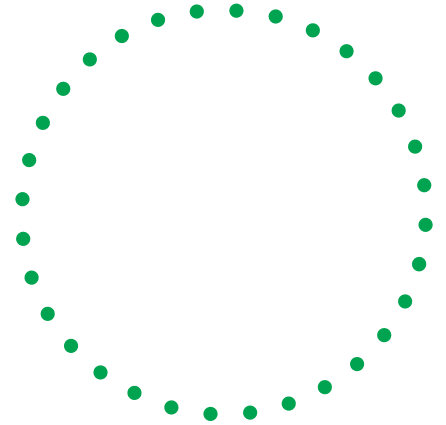


# Standards development for fire safety professionals



## Working for a Safer World

At UL Standards & Engagement, we strive to help make the world safer, more secure and more sustainable through the development of safety standards. From smoke alarms and batteries to firefighting foams, our standards help shape the development of critical products and systems, including those used for fire prevention, detection, containment, suppression and security.

In order to shape these standards, we rely on the input of experts from various stakeholder groups, including fire service and other emergency personnel, who share our passion for protecting the lives of people in our communities.



## Making a Difference, Together

We seek the input of the fire service and other emergency personnel because no one else can provide the same types of insights that you have gained through on-scene experience.

When you participate in our standards development process, your

feedback helps make an impact on the requirements needed for safer equipment, potentially leading to fewer hazards and risks. Together, through our partnership, we can collaborate on a dynamic road map to a safer future.

## Who We Are

UL Standards & Engagement translates scientific discoveries into standards and policies that have the power to make a systemic impact on public safety throughout the world.

Our extensive library of standards helps to make everyday things safer, more secure and more sustainable. It's a mission we pursue across the globe.

## Your Input is Needed

By submitting comments on proposals or sharing concerns based upon your experience, you can influence the development of safety standards for products you rely upon on the fireground. Along with other interest groups, such as manufacturers, academia, government, retail and certification organizations, your voice helps to provide balance to the input we receive. Thanks to stakeholders like you, our standards are equipped with up-to-date and reliable requirements to help address issues you may encounter in the field. With your help, we are creating a dynamic road map to a safer future.

## What We Do

The UL Standards & Engagement Building and Life Safety Technologies (BLST) team needs your input on standards such as the following:



### Fire Prevention

- UL 263, Standard for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials
- UL 723, Standard for Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials
- UL 790, Standard for Test Methods for Fire Tests of Roof Coverings



### Fire Detection

- UL 217, Standard for Smoke Alarms
- UL 864, Standard for Control Units and Accessories for Fire Alarm Systems
- UL 2572, Standard for Mass Notification Systems



### Fire Containment

- UL 10B, Standard for Fire Tests of Door Assemblies
- UL 10D, Standard for Fire Tests of Fire Protective Curtain Assemblies



### Fire Suppression

- UL 19, Standard for Lined Fire Hose and Hose Assemblies
- UL 199, Automatic Sprinklers for Fire-Protection Service
- UL 162, Foam Equipment and Liquid Concentrates



### Security

- UL 72, Standard for Tests for Fire Resistance of Record Protection Equipment
- UL 155, Standard for Tests for Fire Resistance of Vault and File Room Doors

## How to Get Involved

1. Apply to a Technical Committee (TC) as a voting member. [Click here](#)
2. Follow a standard to get updates and notifications on standard activities. [Click here](#)
3. Attend a Technical Committee meeting. [Click here](#)
4. Review and comment on proposals for standards. [Click here](#)

Our Collaborative Standards Development System (CSDS) provides online access for reviewing and submitting information for our standards development process. General access is available for information on TC meetings, submitting proposals and proposals available.