

## Introducing the Plant Healthy Self Assessment Tool

Help protect your business and our industry against potential losses and disruption caused by plant pests and diseases.

Overall a really useful tool to help identify or confirm weaknesses in a business's biosecurity, this then gives a great structure to work from to fulfil the missing documentation.

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Take the free assessment at **planthealthy.org.uk** 



## What is Plant Healthy?

If you are a grower, garden retailer or landscaper you can visit the Plant Healthy website to find useful information about plant health and a self-assessment tool to help you assess how 'Plant Healthy' your business is.

There are pointers on how your business can improve based on the Plant Health Management Standard - a set of practical requirements for businesses to help protect the horticultural supply chain. It's free, quick & easy to do.

## How?

- 1 Create an online account at planthealthy.org.uk
- 2 Complete a short set of questions that are based on the requirements of the Plant Health Management Standard.
- 3 Receive a score and downloadable summary report with pointers to help you improve.

**Disclaimer** - The sole purpose of the report is to help you assess your business or organisation against the Plant Health Management Standard. The report is not to be used to demonstrate compliance with any plant health regulations or standards.

It was very easy and straight forward to fill in. From our point of view, you've got to be 100% sure that what you're sending out is pest and disease free. That's why we're keen on anything that will help with this. I would definitely recommend taking this self-assessment if you haven't already.

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