

# RAF UPAVON ASBESTOS SLAB REMOVAL

## AT A GLANCE

### Client

Tier 1 national contractor on behalf of VIVO Defence Services

### Remediation Value

£700,000

### Site Overview

During a planned upgrade of a hangar our client discovered visible asbestos and stopped works. We were called in and given a tight deadline to meet to keep works on programme. The requirement was to sectionally lift the asbestos containing concrete slab, remove all contaminated material from site, and reduce dig to leave a ready to build footprint for the onward construction.



## CHALLENGES

- Unknown and varying quantities of visible and fibrous asbestos.
- Working with large plant within the confines of a structure.
- Meeting a 6 week window of opportunity to keep client on programme.
- Mobilising a full site set up and qualified team within a day of the call to mobilise.
- Obtaining security clearance to access a live RAF base to facilitate the works.



## SOLUTIONS

- Utilising our internal Waste Solutions team to find the most cost-effective disposal options.
- Reliance on our pre-approved trusted suppliers supported our rapid mobilisation efforts.
- Reassurance air monitoring to determine background levels of airborne asbestos.
- Deployment of specialist equipment to facilitate the removal and disposal of asbestos impacted materials.
- Highly experienced in-house team deployed to ensure smooth delivery of service.

## SUCCESSES

- Project completed on schedule and within a set budget.
- Used our trusted long-term supply chain to support the need for rapid mobilisation and completion.
- All works conducted under the strictest H&S controls.
- Multiple haulage contractors engaged to give a constant flow of material off site.
- Remediation plan allowed for streamlined working practices.

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