



Residential



Public Sector



Leisure



Commercial

Woodlands Court Student Accommodation

Project overview

Installation of Mechanical and Electrical Services within a new 3 block, 8 storey Student Accommodation complex at Woodlands Court Development, Bristol providing 70 apartments with a total of 300 bedrooms. Services installed include site wide power distribution, internal and external lighting, CCTV/access control, smoke ventilation, TV/data systems and FM radio. The project included many special safety features including vibrating pillows for deaf and pagers for partially sighted students, all linked into the door security and fire alarm systems.

Challenges

With high/unusual specifications, repetitive services and a tight deadline the main challenge was to meet the required quality standards on time and on budget.

Solutions

Working in close partnership with the main contractor, Whitehead applied their well proven 'End2End' processes to develop and communicate working methods and practices that ensured the project was completed with efficiency and quality within agreed deadlines.

Project title

- » Woodlands Court Student Accommodation

Project Manager

- » Ray Bird

Sector

- » Public/Residential/Education

Location

- » Bristol

Client name

- » Acton Housing / Sir Robert McAlpine

Start date

- » March 2005

Completion date

- » January 2006

Value

- » £450,000

"The client was extremely pleased with our work which was finished to an extremely high standard; everything was completed in time for the start of the new academic year."

Ray Bird - Project Manager
Whitehead Building Services