



Risk Assessment

Equipment / activity: Candy Floss Machine

Date: 01/01/2025 - 31/12/2025

Hazard	Who is at risk?	Possible effects/harm	Likelihood (high, medium, low)	Evaluation & Control Measures	Revised risk rating (high, medium, low)	Are there adequate control measures in place?
Product ingredients spillage	Staff, customers	Risk of injury through slips/trips	Low	Any spills must be cleaned up immediately, with a bin to be placed nearby. Working areas to be kept clean and organised.	Low	Yes
Loading, handling and set up of equipment	Staff	Injuries caused by incorrect lifting/handling	Medium	All staff to be trained in manual handling.	Low	Yes, manual handling to be reduced by use of trolleys and lifts.
Electric shock	Staff, customers	Risk of electric shock causing injury or possible death.	Medium	All electrical equipment should be PAT tested	Low	Yes
Wires/cables	Staff, customers, public	Injuries caused by tripping over unsecured wires/cables	Low	All wires/cables should preferably, not be placed across public walkways. In the event that they have to, they should be properly covered and clearly identifiable	Low	Yes

Fire	Staff, customers	Risk of burns from fire due to inappropriate behaviour.	Medium	No smoking or naked flames allowed near the products.	Low	Yes
Food poisoning	Customers	Risk of illness due to poor food hygiene practices .	Low	Food hygiene/ handling practices should be followed at all times. Machines and surfaces to be kept clean at all times	Low	Yes
Food Allergies/ intolerances	Customers	Risk of serous illness to customers with food allergies/ intolerances	High	A list of ingredients to be available on request. Children to be supervised by adults at all times.	Medium	Yes

Risk rating

High

For example:

- fatality possible to one or more individuals however infrequent
- major injury to few individuals occurring frequently
- likelihood of long term muscular-skeletal problems affecting significant numbers of staff

Immediate action required

Medium

For example:

- major injury to one/few individuals occurring infrequently
- likelihood of long term muscular-skeletal problems affecting some staff. Requires attention as soon as possible

Low

For example:

- minor injury occurring infrequently to few staff.
Not a priority, may need attention if not as low as reasonably practicable.