



## Risk Assessment

Equipment / activity: Red Carpet and Poles  
Date: 05/01/2023

| 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? |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|---|
| <b>Product tipping over</b> | Participants, spectators        | Injury caused by poles tipping over  | Low                            | <p>Equipment should be set up on even ground.</p> <p>Weather forecasts should be checked for high winds. If high winds are forecast and the equipment is outdoors, it should not be set up, or equipment closed if a sudden bout of bad weather arises.</p> | Low                                     | Yes   |
| <b>Fire</b>                 | Staff, participants, spectators | Risk of burns to staff, participants and spectators and also risk of damage to the slide | Low                            | No smoking or naked flames to be near the equipment.  | Low                                     | Yes   |

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------|---|-----|--|-----|-----|
| <b>Tripping</b>                | Participants, spectators | Risk of injury from tripping over equipment due to equipment being set up incorrectly, or misuse by participants. | Low | <p>All adults and participants should take care on or around the equipment and all equipment should be left in the designated area where it was originally set up.</p> <p>All participants should act responsibly whilst using the equipment. No running or pushing other users.</p> <p>If anyone is spotted acting irresponsibly, they should be asked to leave the equipment area.</p> | Low | Yes |
| <b>Personal items / debris</b> | Participants             | Risk of damage to equipment and other participants  | Low | <p>No loose items should be left on the ground within the equipment area.</p> <p>Any debris spotted should be removed immediately</p>  | Low | 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.