



Risk Assessment

Equipment / activity: Inflatable Hoopla
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?
Inappropriate behaviour	Participants, spectators.	Risk of injury to participants and fellow participants.	Low	<p>Participants should take care when using the equipment and act responsibly.</p> <p>Spectators should not cross the "throwing" area.</p> <p>Anyone seen to be acting in a way that poses a danger to themselves, others or the equipment will be asked to leave the equipment.</p>	Low	Yes.
Choking	Participants	Risk of choking on food or other loose items whilst participating	Low	No food or drink to be consumed whilst using	Low	Yes

Cables / Wires	Participants, staff, spectators	Risk of trip Risk of electric shock	Low	All cables to be adequately covered and laid away from public walkways wherever possible. All electrical equipment to be PAT tested.	Low	Yes
Adverse weather conditions	Staff, participants, public	Danger of equipment collapsing or being blown in the wind. Risk of slipping or falling in wet conditions	Medium	Equipment should not be used in adverse weather conditions. All inflatables to be secured to the ground using pegs, weights or sandbags. Weather forecast to be checked before set up.	Low	Yes
Pre-existing medical conditions	Participants	Danger of injuries/ illnesses' being aggravated or recurring during participation	Medium	Participants are responsible for deciding their own ability to take part. Anyone suffering from pre-existing injuries or illness that could be affected by participation should not take part.	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.