

Generic Risk Assessment: Off Ground

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Where Hazards have been identified as Generic to all activities the controls are specified within the Generic Delivery Standards

Hazards (please specify)	Existing Control Measures (please specify if present)	Residual Risk Level (Insert values and multiple score : see key)		
		Low	Med	High
Extreme Weather	Instructor to be aware, guests to wear appropriate clothing & where required appropriate procedures carried out in line with site specific training	2 x 2 = 4		
Equipment Failure	Regular periodic inspection of elements, venues and PPE by appropriate person. Instructor to check PPE each session.	5 x 1 = 5		
Injury due to incorrect rigging and operation / belay	Instructor assessed by external technical advisor. Observations carried out by appropriate person in line with company policy. Instructors to ensure guests are monitored throughout session and all operation/belaying is operated to the Minimum Operating Standards.	4 x 1 = 4		
Danger from falling objects and contact with equipment / people	Helmets must be worn at all times while at the venue, instructors to ensure they are correctly fitted. Over head hazards monitored throughout session. Instructor supervision to prevent pendulums.	4 x 1 = 4		
Entrapment of hair, fingers or loose clothing in equipment	Hair tied / tucked back. Loose clothing removed or made safe. Guests instructed on hand positioning away from devices when in use. Instructor awareness and supervision. Guests briefed on hazards.	4 x 1 = 4		
Tear / de-gloving injury from rings and other jewellery	All jewellery, including rings and piercings, to be removed. If impossible to remove, then made safe using tape / plasters.	3 x 1 = 3		
Slips / trips	Instructor to remain vigilant and make guests aware of any specific hazards	3 x 2 = 6		

(Key: 1-7 = Low Risk; 8-15 = Medium Risk; 16-25 = High Risk)

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