



# Health and Safety Risk Assessment Form

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<b>Location of activity</b>	Kennet Leisure Courts	<b>Name of person carrying out activity</b>	Maria Mason/Sharon Eldred Head Coaches
<b>Description of activity/premises</b>	Netball - Outdoor Netball Courts		

Hazards identified & risks posed by them	Who may be affected & how	Severity	Likelihood	Control measures/comments
Performance surface - Twist/sprain/ strain/ blisters/concussion/	Tutors and learners may be injured if they trip over objects or slip on spillages on court.	2	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- outdoor Court inspected prior to activity commencing – check for sharp objects, wet/ surfaces, health hazards.</li> <li>- Only allow activity if area considered suitable.</li> <li>- Participants to be informed about appropriate footwear – Trainers.</li> <li>- Add whole blockers to tennis court courts 1 &amp; 2</li> </ul>
Weather - Rain/Ice/Thunderstorms/Lightning	Participant(s) / Coach(s) / Visitor(s)	3	1	<p>Ensure the court is free from puddles/ice</p> <p>If a storm occurs when players are on court take shelter inbetween buildings/not under trees</p> <p>If lightning occurs do not continue playing with metal posts and fencing.</p>
Equipment- cones/balls/bibs Trips / falls / impact injury	Participant(s) / Coach(s) / Visitor(s)	2	1	- Coach to supervise and instruct effectively / check equipment is in proper state before use and



	Poor technique and use / trips / faulty equipment			continually throughout the session. Make sure any unused equipment is stored safely away.
Dehydration / muscle strains/ colds	Participant(s) in the session when to wear appropriate clothing during weather	1	1	Coach to advise / act accordingly on different temperatures – provide frequent rest breaks/ refreshments/appropriate clothing.
Medical emergencies	Participant(s) / Coach  Health complaint / serious injury / sporting injury	2	1	Coaches will ask all new participants to complete a health questionnaire as part of the registration process and discuss pre-existing medical conditions with those participants who have indicated this on their form.  Coaches have first aid qualifications  First Aid Kit / mobile phone to be available at the session - Kennet Leisure First Aid in Kitchen/Defibrillator Outside front door Coach to have access to all health forms. Coach to revise the Emergency procedure and deliver where necessary.
Fire	Participant(s) / Coach(s) / Visitor(s)  Serious Injury	3	1	- Coach to make participants aware of fire evacuation procedure before session commences.

**Further Action**



	Deadline	Responsibility
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## Risk Assessment Matrix

The likelihood of harm occurring may be rated as follows:

1	Low	Where harm will seldom or is unlikely to occur.
2	Medium	Where harm may rarely occur.
3	High	Where it is certain or near certain that harm will occur.

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**Hazard** the potential to cause **harm**, including ill-health; damage to property, products, services, increased liabilities.

For guidance the severity of the hazard may be rated:

1	Minor	All other injuries or illnesses. Minor injury or ill-health no incapacity.	Minor property damage – no interruption of service.
2	Serious	Significant injury or ill-health causing short-term disability. Medical intervention necessary.	Moderate property damage – minimal interruption of service.
3	Major	Death or major injury (as defined by RIDDOR) or illness causing long-term disability.	Major property damage – loss of the building or department.