

# Cornwall Cricket Board Ltd

## Risk Assessment Disability Cricket Super 1s/9s



This is the Cornwall Cricket Board's Risk Assessment for all disability cricket, including matches and festivals played both in Cornwall and out of the county. This document belongs to David Painter, Cornwall Disability Development Officer. It was compiled with input from Joe Skinner, Managing Director and Jane Law, County Safeguarding Officer.

**Outline details of Activity:** Softball or hardball cricket played in a variety of venues. **Venue:** Various **Date:** 4th August 2023

HAZARD IDENTIFIED	LIKELIHOOD 4. Very Likely 3. Likely 2. Unlikely 1. Very Unlikely	CONSEQUENCE 4. Fatality 3. Major Injuries 2. Minor Injuries 1. Negligible Injuries	RISK RATING High Medium Low	ACTION REQUIRED	CONTROL ACTION			PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROL ACTION
					1. Initiated	2. Implemented	3. Reviewed	
					1. Date	2. Date	3 Date	
<b>GENERAL</b>								
Party member lost or separated from group.	1	1	Low	Plan supervision before date.  Ensure all staff are competent and understand their roles.  Plan and use suitable group control measures.  Discuss itinerary and arrangements with the group.  Briefing to all on what to do if separated from the group.  Head counts by coaches particularly at arrival/departure points.  Main contact phone numbers known to all group members.	6/8/2023			D Painter

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People participating are not eligible or medically fit	1	1	Low	<p>Ensure participants are eligible to participate.</p> <p>Ensure participants are medically fit to participate (enquire with sensitivity).</p> <p>Check through Upshot and official documentation/process.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
Bullying within the group, from another group or from parents	1	1	Low	<p>Everyone to be aware of the safeguarding policy.</p> <p>Everyone knows how to report a concern .</p> <p>L2YP QR codes to be used by Super 9s to communicate any issues.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
Staff qualifications and suitability - safety and safeguarding risk	1	1	Low	<p>All coaches will be qualified.</p> <p>Current DBS checks and safeguarding qualifications in place for all staff.</p> <p>Existing relationships of trust with participants enabling sharing of concerns.</p> <p>Last minute changes to staffing to be checked appropriately.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
General illness or injury, (not cricket related), pre-existing medical conditions requiring medication or	2	2	Medium	<p>Coaches must hold current first aid certificates.</p> <p>Coaches know how to call emergency services and have phone</p>				D Painter

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otherwise, people participating who are not medically fit				<p>to hand at all times.</p> <p>Parents are required to confirm their children are medically fit and list any required medication.</p> <p>Participants are reminded to bring individual medication and this is kept securely.</p> <p>First aid equipment carried at all times.</p> <p>Emergency contacts with parents arranged.</p> <p>Check first aid certificates are current.</p> <p>Parental form to issue, collect and store securely</p> <p>Remind parents about medication.</p>				
Emergencies (Unforeseen events of a major nature)	1	1	Low	<p>Contact details of parents are held by the Lead Coach.</p> <p>Ensure all coaches understand emergency plans and their role.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
<b>CRICKET</b>								
<p>Poor condition of playing area – dusty, wet, slippery.</p> <p>Slips, trips and falls.</p>	1	1	Low	<p>Inspection of pitches to ensure safe sessions to go ahead.</p> <p>Access to qualified first aider, first aid kit and phone.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter

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				Request sawdust, towels, brooms and other equipment necessary.				
Obstructions – benches, bags, equipment, people	1	1	Low	<p>Removal of items to a safe distance from the playing area.</p> <p>Access to qualified first aider, first aid kit and phone.</p> <p>Request large items be removed.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
Stumps and wicket - Collisions causing cuts or other injury	1	1	Low	<p>Equipment meets required ECB standards.</p> <p>All equipment and positioning of equipment to be checked prior to use.</p> <p>Inform match or venue officials of any concerns.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
Strains and injuries during and after play	2	2	Medium	<p>Recognised coaching methods used by experienced coaches with this group.</p> <p>Adequate warm up and warm down.</p> <p>Participants wear suitable clothing and footwear.</p> <p>Access to qualified first aider, first aid kit and phone.</p> <p>Coaches to remind players to take care.</p> <p>Coaches to be prepared to deal with</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter

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				incidents.				
Protective equipment check	1	1	Low	<p>Appropriate protective equipment to be worn during hard ball sessions.</p> <p>Coach to check equipment proactively on a regular basis.</p>				D Painter
Hit by bat or ball	2	2	Medium	<p>Recognised coaching methods used by coaches experienced with this group.</p> <p>Good supervision and control.</p> <p>Access to qualified first aider, first aid kit and phone.</p> <p>Ensure good group discipline.</p> <p>Briefing to highlight the importance of listening to coaches and following instructions.</p> <p>Coaches to be prepared to deal with accidents.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter
Heat exhaustion	2	2	Medium	<p>Regular breaks and reminders, especially in hot weather.</p> <p>Access to drinking water.</p> <p>Application of sunscreen and wearing of hats to be recommended where appropriate.</p> <p>Access to first aid.</p>	6/8/2023			D Painter

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				Structured coaching/break.				
Hygiene	1	1	Low	Visual inspection of washing facilities, lighting, heating, ventilation, catering on arrival.	6/8/2023			D Painter
Special needs - injury as a result of specific participant needs	2	2	High	Venue meets specific needs of anyone in the group - check on arrival.	6/8/2023			D Painter

<p><b>LIKELIHOOD</b> (The chance of the hazard or event actually occurring during the activity)</p> <p><b>Very Likely</b> - Could happen frequently  <b>Likely</b> – Could happen occasionally  <b>Unlikely</b> – Could happen, but only rarely  <b>Very Unlikely</b> – Could happen, but probably never will</p>	<p><b>CONSEQUENCE</b> (The extent of the harm (injury or ill health) should it actually occur)</p> <p>Fatality  <b>Major Injuries</b> – Normally irreversible injury or damage to health  <b>Minor Injuries</b> – Normally reversible injury or damage to health requiring several days of work  <b>Negligible Injuries</b> – Injuries requiring first aid only</p>	<p><b>RISK RATING</b> (once the likelihood and consequence of each hazardous event or situation has been decided, the risk is to be rated using the following table)</p> <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th colspan="5">LIKELIHOOD</th> </tr> <tr> <th>CONSEQUENCE</th> <th>Very Likely</th> <th>Likely</th> <th>Unlikely</th> <th>Very Unlikely</th> <th></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Fatality</td> <td>High</td> <td>High</td> <td>High</td> <td>Medium</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Major Injuries</td> <td>High</td> <td>High</td> <td>Medium</td> <td>Medium</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Minor Injuries</td> <td>High</td> <td>Medium</td> <td>Medium</td> <td>Low</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Negligible Injuries</td> <td>Medium</td> <td>Medium</td> <td>Low</td> <td>Low</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		LIKELIHOOD					CONSEQUENCE	Very Likely	Likely	Unlikely	Very Unlikely		Fatality	High	High	High	Medium		Major Injuries	High	High	Medium	Medium		Minor Injuries	High	Medium	Medium	Low		Negligible Injuries	Medium	Medium	Low	Low	
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