

FAIRPLAY OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTRE RISK ASSESSMENT WATER INVERTEBRATE STUDY

HAZARD	AT RISK	DEGREE OF RISK	ACTION TO CONTROL RISK	COMMENTS
WATERDrowningHypothermia	INSTRUCTOR	LOW	 Emphasise risk during introduction to session and again on arrival at site. Advise young people of emergency procedure. Buoyancy aids to be worn at the discretion of FPH senior staff First aider with first aid kit. 	
MINOR INJURY/ILLNESS	INSTRUCTOR	LOW	 First aid carried by centre staff. Qualified first aider present. General regard for hygiene. Ensure any cuts/abrasions are covered to minimise risk of Weil's disease. Mobile phone to be carried by FPH staff 	
Appropriate clothing	CLIENT	LOW	 Assess group's reliability and adapt session accordingly. Brief group of expectations in behaviour. Count young people on leaving the site and in the minibus. Ensure all young people are suitably and comfortably dressed. 	



CHILD PROTECTION	INSTRUCTOR		Avoid being alone with a young person.
		LOW	Advise young people to be cautious towards
	CLIENT		strangers.
			Arrange for young people to work in small
			groups.
			Care taken that conduct towards a young
			person cannot be misinterpreted.

This risk assessment is reviewed annually or earlier if necessary