



# Risk Matrix

Use the risk matrix to determine the Risk Rating for the activity or area being assessed.

		IMPACT				
		Insignificant	Minor	Moderate	Major	Severe
Likelihood	Almost Certain	Medium	High	High	Very High	Very High
	Likely	Medium	Medium	High	High	Very High
	Possible	Low	Medium	High	High	Very High
	Unlikely	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	High
	Rare	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium

Likelihood		Impact	
<b>Almost Certain</b>	Is expected to occur in most circumstances	<b>Insignificant</b>	Injuries not requiring first aid
<b>Likely</b>	Will probably occur in most circumstances	<b>Minor</b>	First aid required
<b>Possible</b>	Could Occur at some time	<b>Moderate</b>	Medical treatment required
<b>Unlikely</b>	Not likely to occur in normal circumstances	<b>Major</b>	Hospital admission required
<b>Rare</b>	May occur only in exceptional circumstances	<b>Severe</b>	Death or permanent disability to one or more persons.