

Safeguarding in Sport



Events Held in Public Areas CHECKLIST

Event Risk Assessment					
	Action	Yes/No	Comments/Actions/ Mitigation required	Responsible Person	
1.	Has a site visit been undertaken?				
	Considering actions 3-10 on this checklist				
2.	Has a risk assessment of the venue been completed?				
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3.	Is there mobile phone reception across whole site?				
	If mobile reception is intermittent, outline how this risk will be managed. E.g. Supplying two-way handheld radios				
4.	Is any of the public space required to be cordoned off for the event/activity?				
	If so, include how this will be undertaken.				
5.	Are there available parking facilities?				
	Outline details including distance from venue, and access for emergency vehicles.				
6.	Is the whole facility accessible for disabled participants and spectators?				
	Outline details.				
7.	Are there any other events/activities taking place on the site at the same time?				
	Outline details and how this risk will be managed.				



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8. Will the general public have access to facilities (e.g. toilets, café, changing area etc)? Outline details and how risks (such as sharing changing areas with the general public) will be managed.					
9. Have hospital/doctor facilities near the event been identified?					
10. Are there any additional site-specific risks?Outline details and how risks will be managed.					

Actions to be implemented in the lead up to the event					
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11. Has the required number of volunteers/staff been identified for the event, including supervisory roles?					
12. Have volunteer/staff arrangements been finalised and communicated? E.g. Accreditation, specific clothing/uniforms, distribution of accreditation and clothing/uniforms.					
13. Have site maps been developed and distributed?					
14. Is there signage required for the site? Outline details including accommodating culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds if required.					



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15. Have first aid facilities been organised for the site?					
E.g. First aid tent, first aid officer, ice.					
16. Have supervision arrangements for children/young people been agreed?					
Who is responsible for supervising the children/young people on the day? Are consent forms required?					
17. Have lost/found children and young people arrangements been developed and clarified?					
18. Have duty of care drop-off and pick-up (handover) arrangements been agreed and communicated?					
19. Have extreme weather plans been developed and available at the venue?					
20. Have arrangements to identify children and young people who have not consented to being photographed or filmed been agreed and communicated?					
E.g. Wearing a particular coloured wristband.					
21. Has pre-event information been communicated to parents/carers, staff and volunteers?					
22. Have participants, parents/carers, and spectators been notified of the risk that photographs can be taken without prior consent at the event due to its location in a public area?					
23. Has the event site been set up appropriate to the risk assessment?					
E.g. Cordoning off, signage, shade, etc					

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