

## RISK ASSESSMENT



**HAZARD OR WORK ACTIVITY ASSESSED:** Girls / Ladies Rugby

**SITE /LOCATION:** Rochdale RUFC

**DATE:** 08/12/2017

### Severity

- 5** Fatality, Major injury or illness causing long term disability
- 4** Minor injury or illness causing long term disability
- 3** Minor injury or illness causing short term disability
- 1-2** Other injury or illness

### Likelihood

- 5** Certain to occur
- 4** Near certain to occur
- 3** Reasonably certain to occur
- 1-2** Very seldom or never occurs

Severity	5	5	10	15	20	25
	4	4	8	12	16	20
	3	3	6	9	12	15
	2	2	4	6	8	10
	1	1	2	3	4	5
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Likelihood</b>						

**High 15-25**

**Medium 6-12**

**Low 1-5**

HAZARDS	RISK AFFECTS	PERSONS AT RISK	INITIAL RISK RATING S x L			MEASURES TO CONTROL SIGNIFICANT HAZARDS	FINAL RISK RATING S x L		
			S	L	SxL		S	L	SxL
Mixed changing facility	Mental distress	Female Players	4	2	8	The main corridor of the changing rooms to remain open for free access and as a fire escape. Each changing room door to remain closed before and after the game during dressing and showering. Each team to have a segregated changing room complete with shower area. Team managers and referees (male/female) to be made aware of the need for segregation on arrival. Physios will also have a segregated changing area. Male and Female toilets are available. Changing room allocation notice to identify which changing room to be utilised by each team. The changing rooms will be locked to prevent access during the game. However the security of valuables is down to the players. RRUFc will accept no responsibility for stolen items.	4	1	<u>4</u>
Playing and training times clashing with male participants	Mental distress	Female players	4	2	8	Training will take place on a Friday evening. Games will take place on a Sunday afternoon avoiding clashes with male colts rugby by alternating the Sundays.	4	1	<u>4</u>
Criminal Record	Abuse	Female players	4	2	8	DBR checks will be undertaken on all coaches and helpers to ensure full certification is in place.	4	1	<u>4</u>

Injuries	Full range of injuries that could be suffered through playing the game	Female players	5	4	20	Rugby is a highly physical sport and the probability of suffering an injury is likely. Physios are always in place during the playing of the game who are also first aid trained. A stretcher is available and a defibrillator is on hand. The players are insured under the RFU scheme. All players who participate must be registered as full playing members as per the juniors section arrangements. Players to be coached correctly in the playing of the game by qualified coaches and games to be officiated by qualified referees. No wearing of jewellery, piercings or long finger nails. There is no difference as to how the game should be played from male to female. Players play at their own risk.	5	3	<b><u>15</u></b>

**Assessment Completed By:**

RG Fitton CMIOSH

**Job Title**

Safety Advisor

**Signature**

*R G Fitton*

**Date:**

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**SITE BASED SAFETY, HEALTH &  
ENVIRONMENTAL (S.H.E.) RISK  
ASSESSMENT FORM**

**WE THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED, READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE RISKS AND THE SITE SPECIFIC PRECAUTIONS LISTED OVERLEAF:**

<b>NAME (Print)</b>	<b>COMPANY IF OTHER EMPLOYEES AFFECTED</b>	<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

**PLEASE NOTE**

If there is a requirement to alter the work/task/process etc this risk assessment must be amended to incorporate any changes. The changed must be brought to all involved and they must countersign to acknowledge changes.