

Occupational Health & Safety Matrix

To be used with the Log Cabin Camp Risk Management Assessment Forms.

	RISK CALCULATION	Likelihood					
MATRIX		Almost Certain 5	Likely 4	Possible 3	Unlikely 2	Rare 1	
Co	Catastrophic 16	80	64	48	32	16	
ns eq ue	Major 8	40	32	24	16	8	
nc es	Moderate 4	20	16	12	8	4	
	Minor 2	10	8	6	4	2	
	Insignificant 1	5	4	3	2	1	

DESCRIPTORS

Likelihood						
5	Almost Certain	Experience shows we can be sure it will happen				
4	Likely	Experience shows there is a good chance it will happen				
3	Possible	Experience shows that is it possible it will happen				
		sometimes				
2	Unlikely	Could happen under normal conditions but it would be				
		unusual				
1	Rare	Could happen in exceptional circumstances but probably				
		never will occur				

Consequence					
16	Catastrophic	Person is killed or totally disabled			
8	Major	Very serious injury or long term illness			
4	Moderate	Quite serious injury/illness involving some days off work.			
2	Minor	Some first aid or minor medical attention, but no lost time			
1	Insignificant	Some discomfort but no medical attention needed			

Risk Ranking

HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW
20-80	10-16	1-8
Unacceptable risk which requires immediate action to reduce or remove the hazard. Senior Management must be notified. Item should be TAKEN OFF LINE till risk reduced	Conditionally acceptable, requires short term controls and continuous monitoring.	Acceptable risk, however monitoring required ensuring risk does not escalate. Review in 12 months or if situation changes.