

University of Bradford Basketball Tournament Risk Assessment

Tournament held on May Day Weekend at University of Bradford Sports Centre						
Hazard	Control Measure in Place	Risk Factor	Likely	Severity	Risk Factor	Further Control Measures
Projections from sports hall walls, e.g. football goals, hall curtains	Ensure curtains are firmly secured and all other projections are folded flat or removed from hall	Low	2	2	4	Checked by Sports Centre Staff and also basketball tournament officials before matches begin
Fire Procedures and Emergency exit doors leading directly onto playing area	Ensure Fire doors are closed in Sports Hall Ensure Fire Doors are not blocked	Low	2	4	8	Make sure all teams have a fire & evacuation map on arrival If fire alarm goes off sports centre staff to make sure everyone meets at point 6 near 'Unipol'
Slippy Flooring	Sweep floor at the start of each day and check after each match	High	4	4	16	Check by officials and referees before every match Floor to be swept each morning by basketball helpers. Sports centre staff to help with sweeping floor if necessary
Baskets suspended from ceiling	Baskets should be raised/lowered only by Basketball club officials	Low	2	2	4	
Unpadded corners on secondary baskets	Baskets should only be used for shooting practice when no other match is on the main court	Low	2	2	4	Referees to make sure rings are not used during matches

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Conduct of Players	All matches to be played according to EBBA guidelines. All Referees to be qualified	Low	2	2	4	Make sure every team has a programme with the rules of the game and player conduct in, responsibility of basketball tournament officials
Inappropriate Footwear	Warn players of the dangers of wearing inappropriate footwear	Low	2	2	4	Referee to make visual check before matches
Personal effects adjacent to court	Ensure all bags and belongings are placed by the wall before matches begin in the morning	Low	2	2	4	Do regular checks throughout the day to make sure personal effects are not near the court Sports centre staff, basketball officials and referees responsibility
Jewellery worn by players	Insist all jewellery is taped over or removed	Medium	3	4	12	Referees check starting players pre match
Improper storage of basketballs in the court area during training	Ensure all basketballs are placed at the side of the court when not being used and are stationary	Low	2	4	7	Referees and officials to check
Building Faults	If anyone has concerns regarding faulty lighting, slippery floors, defective equipment then please report to club officials and also the sports centre staff	Medium	2	5	10	Everyone responsible for reporting faults

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Injuries to players as a result of physical contact, slipping or falling from a height	First Aid assistance can be obtained from the sports centre reception desk or the venue receptions. There is also a first aid box provided for less serious injuries	Medium	3	4	12	Make sure First Aid box is available at each venue Sports centre staff responsibility
Injuries are of a variable nature, from minor e.g. bruising to major e.g. broken bones etc	The sports centre reception will assist in either contacting the Emergency Services, provide first aid themselves and complete an accident report form. No players are to hang from Basketball rings. This will prevent potential injuries to players and damage to the ring and backboard. This also applies to the three other venues used for the tournament	Medium	3	4	12	Sports centre staff responsibility