

# Beach Games

## Generic Risk Assessment



Hazard	Risk	Who is Affected?	Action Taken	Risk After			Risk Rating
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Faulty Equipment	Injury due to equipment breaking and hitting participant e.g. bruises, cuts and abrasions	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check equipment prior to and during the session.</li> </ul>	2	1	2	Low
Equipment	Misuse of equipment leading to injuries due to being hit e.g. bruises, cuts and abrasions	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brief participants on the correct usage of the equipment.</li> <li>Remain vigilant to ensure participants are using equipment as briefed.</li> <li>Participants to be adequately spaced out before using equipment.</li> </ul>	2	1	2	Low
Activity equipment	Collisions causing bruises, cuts & abrasion	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Place any equipment not in use in a safe area.</li> <li>Brief participants to be careful of the volleyball net.</li> </ul>	2	1	2	Low
The sea	Drowning	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Set boundaries and to ensure activity is not conducted near the sea.</li> <li>Remain vigilant and keep good group control at all times.</li> </ul>	4	1	4	Low
Participants	Collisions with other participants causing concussion, bruises or abrasions	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ensure participants are spaced apart when activity takes place.</li> <li>Ensure there is good participant control during the session.</li> </ul>	2	1	2	Low
Surfaces	Hard, uneven or slippery surfaces causing slips, trips and falls	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check area checked for hazards before session.</li> <li>Check participants are wearing suitable footwear.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low

Sand	Ingestion leading to sickness	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remain vigilant and brief participants to wash their hands when they finish the activity.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low
	Foreign objects in the sand leading to cuts and bruises	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ground to be checked and where needed raked prior to each session.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low
Jewellery/Objects in Pockets	Injuries due to falling onto objects or entrapment of jewellery	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check participants have removed jewellery and objects from pockets.</li> </ul>	2	1	2	Low
Over-exertion	Muscle strains	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ensure a thorough warm-up is carried out prior to the activity starting.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low
Weather	Risk of sunburn, heat exhaustion and dehydration; or hyperthermia during activity	Participants, In2action Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ensure regular water breaks are taken.</li> <li>If it is hot, ensure participants wear sun cream and hats and there is a shaded area available.</li> <li>If it is cold, ensure participants are wearing suitable clothing to keep warm.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low
Insufficient warm up	Muscle sprain or strain	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carry out a thorough and appropriate warm up prior to playing volleyball.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low
Lost Child	Lack of supervision leading to injuries	Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>During a signed in activity, the Generic Kids Club Operating Policy to be followed for signing in and out, and walkabouts.</li> <li>Carry out regular head counts and remain vigilant at all times.</li> </ul>	3	1	3	Low