

Kudos Athletics COVID-19 Risk Assessment

Applicable to all school and club settings

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This Risk Assessment is devised in order to conduct a controlled and safe return for all Kudos coaches and children/pupils and provide a safe coaching environment environment with no exceptions throughout each phase.

No	Identified hazards	Assessing the risk	Before control			Steps in place to control the risk	Further steps to control the risk	After control		
			L	S	R			L	S	R
1	Close proximity to others	Risk of infection due to being in close proximity to others.	4	3	12	Social distancing to be upheld in line with government guidelines.	1) line marking in class, 2) smaller number in group	2	5	10
2	Equipment ie shot puts	Risk of infection due to using the equipment	3	2	6	1.All athletes to wash hands at the start of the session. 2.All equipment cleaned at the start of the session and at the end.	Not using any equipment	1	1	1
3	Personal hygiene	Irregular hand-washing and sanitising.	4	5	20	Provision of hand sanitiser.	1) provide gloves, 2) provide anti-bacterial wipes, 3) ensure soap and sanitiser stocks maintained, 4) encourage hand washing and sanitising via regular email updates to parents.	2	5	10
4	Toilets	Risk of infection due to contaminated surfaces.	4	5	20	Single use instead of attending in pairs.	1) Ensuring children use sanitiser after attending toilet.	2	5	10
5	Cold or flu symptoms	Risk of infection due to being in close proximity to others.	5	5	25	Children strictly not permitted to attend the group. Coaches isolate for 7 days or longer if still unwell.	School is closed.	1	1	1
6	Vulnerable	Risk of infection due to being in close proximity to others.	5	5	25	Currently require a medical certificate to attend the session.	Unable to attend a Kudos club.	1	1	1

The risk rating system used for this Risk Assessment is as follows:-

Likelihood of accident (L)	Score	x	Severity of accident (S)	Score	Risk (R) = L x S	Score
Very unlikely	1	x	First aid injury	1	Low	1-4
Unlikely	2	x	Minor injury	2	Medium	5-14
Likely	3	x	3 day + injury	3	High	14-25
Very likely	4	x	Major injury	4		
Certain	5	x	Fatality/disability	5		