

HAZARD SHEET 1 – What could cause harm?

Electrical	Noise	Mechanical	Vibration	Gravity (Slips, Trips & Falls)	Hazardous Manual Tasks/Ergonomics	Pressure	Chemicals	Fire	Extreme Temps.	Radiation	Psychosocial	Biological
Damaged cords	Plant / machinery	Unguarded plant / machinery	Brush cutters	Uneven pavers	Lifting	Gas cylinders	Liquids	Candles	Exposure to heat and cold sources	UV	Workload	Infections
Equipment not tested	Gyms	Plant / machinery not being maintained	Blower Vacs	Exposed tree roots	Pushing	Compressors	Fumes	Electrical short		Fire (radiant heat)	Bullying	Bacteria
Faulty plugs	Classrooms	Parts disintegrating and/or being ejected	Chainsaws	Inappropriate footwear	Pulling	Hydraulic hoses (Cracked or damaged)	Vapours	Spontaneous combustion		Infra-red	Harassment	Virus
Damaged power outlets	Music	Rotating shafts, pulleys, chains, sprockets and gears	Hand held tools	Slippery surfaces	Holding	Boilers	Mists	Students playing with matches or lighters		Lasers	Aggression	
Cords over the ground	Office noise	Hardened surfaces coming into contact with one and other	Mowers	Uneven ground	Restraining	High pressure systems	Gases	Laboratory experiments		x-rays	Unrealistic expectations on people	
Use of equipment in the rain	Pumps	Scissor or shearing action of moving parts	Plant / machinery	Working at heights	Incorrect storage	Pressure vessels (Licencing)	Dusts	Welding/oxy acetylene		Welders	Excluding & ostracising people	
Overhead power lines	Compressors	Sharp edge – moving or stationary		Falling off ladders	Repetitive tasks	Uncontrolled release of compressed air	Inhalation	Flammable liquids			Death of family member or work colleague	
Stored energy in an uninterrupted power supply (ups)	Spray booths			Collapse of a scaffold	Inappropriate seating	Uncontrolled release of steam	Absorption	Gas leak			Relationship breakdowns	
Stored energy in capacitors				Collapse of a wall/ceiling	Work stations incorrectly set up		Ingestion	Obstructing emergency exits			Job insecurity	
Live wires				Collapse of playground equipment	Workflow		Incorrect labelling				Work injury	
Damaged power boards					Lighting		Incorrect storage (incompatible)					