

Making a Water Filter Risk Assessment

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Hazard	What are the Risks	Who is at risk?	What are you going to do about it?	Review & revise
A hazard is something that may cause harm or damage.	The risk is the harm that may occur from the hazard	For example: young people, adult volunteers, visitors	How are the risks already controlled? What extra controls are needed? How will they be communicated to participants?	Keep checking throughout the activity in case you need to change what you're doing or even stop the activity.
Terrain	Risk of slips and tripp	All Participants	Ensure participants are aware of uneven terrain around site including incline and chance of rabbit holes and exposed tree roots. Make sure participants are wearing appropriate footwear.	
Rocks, Leaves, Sticks	Risk of injury	All Participants	Ensure participants have something to collect natural materials in. Remind participants to be carefull when picking up rocks, leaves and sticks. Participants to wear gloves when collecting materials if they have them.	
Water	Risk of illness from bugs, bacteria and viruses	All Participants	The water that has been filtered should not be drunk.	