

WLSAR – RNZPC SAREX 05

Hazard Identification/Controls Sheet

Group: WLSAR team members _____ Activity: **SAREX** _____ Location: RNZPC GROUNDS

Number of participants: 30-45 _____ Date: 19/05/05 _____ Control Method: E=Eliminate, I=Isolate, M=Minimise

Hazard	Potential harm	Significant hazard? Yes/No	Control method	Action proposed	Completion date/signed	Frequency of monitoring
Inadequate briefing	Physical injury Confusion	Y	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear direct instructions. Clear start/stop signals from scenario managers. 		Constant - before and during
Inadequate participant control	Physical injury	N	E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clear start/stop timetable. Emergency stop. Clear rules and boundaries. 		Constant
Traffic / vehicle collisions.	Death, GBH.	N	M / I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing to cover safe crossing locations and hazards. 		Before, during and after each scenario
Dehydration.	Death, unconsciousness (collapse), fatigue.	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advised to hydrate prior to, during and after event. Maximum duration 1 hour. 		Before, during and after each event
Course confusion	Getting lost, tripping and falling.	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants given maps. 		Before and during
Pot holes and uneven ground. Slippery surfaces.	Broken/sprained ankles.	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants warned of hazard. Suitable footwear to be worn. 		Before and during event
Cold, raise, wind chill.	Death. Hypothermia.	Y	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suitable clothing worn for activity, including scenario managers and aids. Participants to have full storm gear in packs 		Before, during and after each event
Heat and sun (UV).	Sun burn, heat exhaustion, heat stroke.	Y	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hydration and good nutrition advice. Participants to provide sunscreen 		Before, during and after each event

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Carried out at night	Getting lost, confusion, physical injury	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Informed to use torch. 		Before and during
Stretcher carry and ropes	Back and knee Injuries sustained during stretcher carry Stretcher being dropped with patient	Y	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Previous team training • Team members to operate under direct instructions • Scenario manager to oversee exercise. • Rope work to be constantly monitored by ropes instructor 		Before and during
Campsite observation with firearm	Firearm	Y	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sworn Police officer to oversee exercise • Firearm to be rendered inoperable • Team members not permitted to touch items 		Before, during and after each exercise
Track and Clue awareness	Physical injury from terrain hazards	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants warned of any hazards. • Suitable footwear to be worn. 		
Navigation	Physical injury from terrain hazards, getting lost	N	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants warned of any hazards. • Suitable footwear to be worn • Teams provided with GPS and maps 		

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