

Market Harborough Basketball Club Risk Assessment (including Covid risk assessment)

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Possible hazard	Who might be affected?	Action	Action by:
Inadequate lighting/lighting fails	Players/officials	Stop playing until problem can be resolved. Approach LC duty officer for resolution.	Duty coach/referee
Inadequate floor surface – wet or covered with objects	Players/ officials	Ensure playing surface is safe to begin session. Approach LC duty officer to clean/clear.	Duty coach/referee
Collision with protruding objects	Players/officials	Ensure objects are out of the way at start of session. Ensure score table is located in the correct place. Approach LC duty officer for resolution.	Duty coach/referee
Collision between people on court resulting in injury	Players/officials	Stop play, assess the situation, call for first aid from LC duty officer if required.	Duty coach/referee
Violence between players (highly unlikely to happen)	Players/officials	Stop play, calm everyone down. In a match situation, possibly remove offending players.	Referee if it's a match. All senior members.
Spectator hit by ball/player. NB: LC rules mean spectators not allowed during Covid restrictions (see below)	Spectator/player	Stop play, assess the situation, call for first aid from LC duty officer if required.	Duty coach/referee
Damaged rings/backboard	Player	Assess the danger (e.g. likely to fall?). Call for LC duty officer to help resolve if necessary.	Duty coach/referee

Market Harborough Basketball Club Risk Assessment: Covid risk assessment

Possible hazard	Who might be affected?	Action	Action by:
Transmission of Covid	Players, officials and anyone else involved in some way with a particular activity (e.g. leisure centre staff).	If you feel unwell or exhibit any symptoms of Covid , do not come to play/practise. Take a test and if positive, self-isolate – this is the law.	Duty coach, club officers, match officials
		A record of attendance is kept for each match/practice, so people can be contacted if anyone reports positive following a match/practice.	Duty coach/club officers
		Maintain Covid awareness at all times; physical contact can't be avoided while playing, but there are dispensers in the sports hall for cleaning hands, basketballs and other surfaces.	Everyone
		A maximum of 30 people allowed into the sports hall at any one time (including players, coaches and officials). The Leisure Centre is not currently allowing spectators.	Duty coach, match officials
		As far as possible, participants should socially distance while not actively playing basketball.	Everyone
		Adhere to any further Basketball England or Leisure Centre advice as and when it is issued.	Everyone
		When travelling to away matches, check on Covid restrictions at the venue prior to leaving home. Consider the risk of travelling in the same vehicle as others team members and avoid doing so if possible.	Team coach/players