

<b>What are the hazards?</b> What can cause harm?	<b>Who might be harmed</b>	<b>What are you already doing?</b> What are you doing to control hazards and the chance of someone getting hurt?	<b>Do you need to do anything else to control this risk?</b> By following this risk assessment, are the hazards & chances of someone being harmed adequately controlled?
		<b>See 'Generic Site Risk Assessment'</b>	
Moving hold spinning leading to a fall.	Group & Instructor	Visual inspection done and tightened where required. Periodic inspections to be completed by suitable person.	<b>Trivial</b> <i>if controls are followed</i>
Slips and falls whilst off the ground	Group & Instructor	Clients are to be spotted at all times, by instructor or other clients (as appropriate for group). Suitable footwear	<b>Trivial</b> <i>if controls are followed</i>
Head injuries from contact with wall or falls	Group & Instructor	Appropriate instruction and "spotting" Helmets are not required.	<b>Trivial</b> <i>if controls are followed</i>
Jewellery	Group & Instructor	Jewellery should not be worn on this activity.	<b>Trivial</b> <i>if controls are followed</i>
Contact with posts	Group & Instructor	Group to spot each other whilst on the wall. The posts have also been padded to reduce risk.	<b>Trivial</b> <i>if controls are followed</i>

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		Potential severity of harm		
		Slightly Harmful 1	Harmful 2	Extremely Harmful 3
Likelihood of harm occurring	Highly unlikely 1	Trivial 1	Tolerable 2	Moderate 3
	Unlikely 2	Tolerable 2	Moderate 4	Substantial 6
	Likely 3	Moderate 3	Substantial 6	Intolerable 9

**Slightly harmful:** Superficial injuries; minor cuts and bruises; eye irritation from dust, nuisance and irritation (e.g. headaches); ill-health leading to temporary discomfort.

**Harmful:** Lacerations; burns; concussion; serious sprains; minor fractures, deafness; dermatitis; asthma; work related upper limb disorders; ill-health leading to permanent minor disability.

**Extremely harmful:** Amputations; major fractures; poisonings; multiple injuries; fatal injuries, occupational cancer; other severely life shortening diseases; acute fatal diseases