DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL MANAGEMENT OF HEALTH & SAFETY AT WORK REGULATIONS CHILDRENS SERVICES



GENERAL HEALTH & SAFETY RISK ASSESSMENT FOR:					Arts and Craft Activities							
PART 1 : ADMINIST	RAT	IVE DETAILS										
Section/Establishment Name: Lea Green Centre								Reviews				
							Review	Reviewed by	Date	Changes Made		
Date of Assessment		16/10/13		Date of Issue	1 January 2014		Date			Υ	N	
							Nov/Dec 2021	IW,GN,DH,PV	10/11/21		N	
Assessment	DS		Signature				Nov 22	IW/GN/DH/PV	3/11/22	N		
carried out by							Nov 23	IW/GN/DH/PV	14/11/23		N	
							Nov/Dec 2018	JP	27/10/18		N	
							Nov/Dec 2019	мс	01/10/19	Y		
							Nov2020	MC	19/11/20		N	
Affected pers	ons	Young People/Clients	∢ St	aff x	Visitors x	Contracto	or	Others (specify)				
Name of Manager	confi	rming and agreeing Assessmen	nt:	IP								
Signature:												

The following sections should be completed by all staff who need to be made aware of and abide by the findings of the Risk Assessment. NB: If, as a result of a review, changes are made to the Risk Assessment the relevant box on the attached page should be completed as appropriate by the staff concerned.

RISK ASSESSMENT

What are the hazards?	Generic Control Measures implemented	✓ X	Person to implement	Additional Control measures needed to reduce risk to an acceptable level	Person to implement	Date to be actioned
Sharp tools.	 Group to be briefed on safe handling and use of craft tools. Groups to be supervised closely and staff to intervene to prevent injury arising. 		Instructor leading the session			
Poisoning from chemicals.	 CoSHH guidelines to be followed where appropriate and all staff to be aware of which substances are harmful. Adequate labelling of containers. Use of protective clothing where appropriate. 					
Burns from hot equipment.	 Staff to brief group on safe handling and use of equipment e.g laminator. Close supervision of group when naked flames are present e.g. candles. 					
Choking	 Group to be briefed on dangers of putting small objects in their mouths, supervision of group during session. Group briefed to remove chewing gum/other food during activity. 					
Scalding from hot water.	 Safety briefing to cover very hot water from taps in Potting Shed (and other areas). 					
Illness	 Information about existing medical conditions known by staff. 			Those with known allergies/conditions to have access to own inhaler, adrenalin autoinjector or appropriate medication		
Injury	Instructor must hold a valid first aid certificate.					
Inappropriate behaviour	 Group briefing and management Use of 'Sin Bin' facility or suspension of activity 					
Safeguarding	Group briefing and management.Staff vigilance.					