

RISK ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT PEDESTAL, TOWER AND DESK FANS

KATH DICKSON FAMILY DAY CARE

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Educator Name:	Date:
Address:	Signature
Date reviewed	Signature:

RISK RATING MATRIX

CONSEQUENCE							
	INSIGNIFICANT	MINOR	MODERATE	MAJOR	CATASTROPHIC		
ALMOST CERTAIN	Moderate	High	High	Extreme	Extreme		
LIKELY	Moderate	Moderate	High	Extreme	Extreme		
POSSIBLE	Low	Moderate	High	High	Extreme		
UNLIKELY	Low	Low	Moderate	High	High		
RARE	Low	Low	Low	Moderate	High		

HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND RISK RATING

A hazard is defined as anything that has potential to cause harm, injury, ill health etc. in some way.

A risk is defined as the actual chance that the hazard will cause harm.

Use the risk rating matrix overleaf to assess the risk's severity by finding the intersection of consequence and likelihood.

□ Supervision	Rating:
Equipment	Rating:
□ Other hazards specific to activity:	Rating:

RISK CONTROL MEASURES

Identify which control measures you will apply to alleviate the relevant risks
SUPERVISION
Children to stay in sight of the Educator at all times
Ensure that children are always supervised when fans are in use
Educator to be actively supervising and engaged in the activities with children
Educators to be responsible for the children at all times, no other adults to be left alone with children
Educators will position themselves to be able to view all children
KDFC POLICIES, PROCEDURES AND REFERENCE MATERIALS
Educators to have read and understand all policies and procedures
Educator complies with all policies and procedures
EQUIPMENT
Discuss with children about the potential risks associated with fans, such as moving parts or the risk of placing objects inside.
Place fans in areas inaccessible to children or out of their reach to prevent them from tampering with the fans or inserting
objects into them.
Secure fans to stable surfaces or utilize fan guards to prevent direct contact with moving parts
Ensure that fans are well-maintained, free from damage, and in proper working condition. Replace any damaged or
malfunctioning fans promptly
Fans are equipped with safety features such as grills or guards that prevent access to the blades. Ensure that these safety
features are intact and functioning correctly.
Other control measures specific to hazard:

RISK BENEFITS

Identify how the children in your care will benefit from this activity and/or exposure to this risk: