

Tool N: Child Protection Risk Management Matrix

Activities	Risk Factor identified & description of the risk features	Risk Rating (low, medium & high)	Strategies to reduce risk	Risk Monitoring – who is responsible & timeframe

HOW TO USE THIS TOOL: This tool can be used by researchers to pre-determine any potential risks when working with children and young people, and the likelihood of them occurring during the research process. For each potential risky activity, researchers need to plan a strategy to reduce this risk and be certain of who is responsible and when.

		Impact		
		L	M	H
Likelihood	H - 3	M	H	H
	M - 2	L	M	H
	L - 1	L	L	M