

Risk Assessment Policy

Power2Inspire (P2I / The Charity) was established to ensure “Nobody is left on the bench” and in order to embed inclusive sport in community, sporting and educational landscapes. We encourage individuals from all backgrounds to access or participate fully in inclusive sport. Therefore a proper assessment of the risks involved is very much a part of what we offer and implementing any recommendations, key to the delivery of our events.

Principle Statement

It would be impossible or unwieldy to set out all the risks that might occur at the Charity’s events, given that they differ widely, and the participants can come with any impairment, concern, or background. Therefore, this policy sets out a requirement for management to undertake a separate Risk Assessment for each event that P2I leads, hosts or is in any other way engaged in.

P2I recognises it has a duty, and is committed to making reasonable adjustments for disabled people. This may include the removal, adaptation or alteration of physical features, if the physical features make it impossible or unreasonably difficult for disabled people to participate in our activities or undertake their roles and responsibilities. Each of these adjustments will entail separate risk assessments.

The Charity also commits to setting up an ad hoc committee to review any complaints about the organisation of events run by the Charity, or by the behaviour of any member of the Power2Inspire team.

The Charity’s responsibilities

The Charity will ensure that a risk assessment is undertaken for each event it leads, hosts, or is in any way engaged in, including seeking risk assessments from partners for areas of activity or venue that the partner may be responsible for. The assessment must cover

- the risks posed by each activity
- the risks posed by the venue (if not covered by a partner organisation)
- any mitigation to be applied
- a reporting process on the day and to the directors of any incidents that occur
- what to do in the event of personal injury, especially a head injury, and how First Aid can be sought
- the split of responsibilities (for risk) between organisations where the Charity is not the sole organisation involved in delivering the event.

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