

Aquajets Risk Assessment

September 6th 2025

General

Name of Club:	Aquajets				
Date risk assessment carried out:	06/09/2025	Person:	Julia Murden	Review date:	06/09/2026

What is the Hazard?	Who might be harmed	Risk rating before controls	Controls considered	Risk rating after controls	Actioned by
Facility entrance and reception area Slips Trips and Falls Defective Lighting Walkways or doors blocked	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches • Parents 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entrance to be maintained by Northumbria University, to be clear and safe and well maintained at all times for AJ Team 	Medium	Facility Operator
Changing Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changing area is to be maintained by Northumbria University, to be clear and safe and well maintained at all times for AJ Team • No phones in changing area or poolside 	Medium	Facility Operator/Coaches/Teachers
Someone becomes unwell during session	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches 	Low	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact parent guardian or next of kin and isolate 	Low	Facility officer/Lifeguard/Coach

			individual in first aid room or other suitable area..		
<p>Poolside Slip Trips and Falls Defective Lighting Defective/Slippery floors Pool Depth Signage Injury through inappropriate behaviour Injury through accident</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches • Guardians 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northumbria University to keep the pool area in good condition with regular inspections. • Northumbria University No running or jumping signs • Behaviour guidelines included in code of conduct of members • No equipment on pool edge or blocking emergency exits • First Aider available at all times • 	Medium	Coaches & Lifeguards Facility Provider
<p>During activity Pool Depth Ability level of swimmer Numbers of swimmers in a lane. Diving Known health issues. Entrance to water Exit from water</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All swimmers to adhere to Aquajets welfare protocols issued to all members • Swimmers must remain in a safe depth of water for their ability level at all times – this will be supervised by a qualified teacher or coach. • Learn to swim lessons 121 or 122 	Medium	Coaches/Teachers/Lifeguards/Facility Provider

			<p>ratio only and all children in Konfidence jackets/suits at this level</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diving is only under the instruction of a coach at all times • Numbers of swimmers in a lane will not exceed 8. • Coaches/Teachers will be made aware of any health issues/ disability of swimmers and will have access to appropriate medical support if required. • Swimmers must enter the water in an appropriate and safe manner under the instructions of the coach. • Exiting the water by the swimmer must be done in a safe manner and avoiding any equipment. 		
Hygiene measures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimmers required to shower before and after entry and exit of the pool. 	Medium	Coaches
Swimmers Equipment and club equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication regarding use and sharing is prohibited. 	Medium	Coaches

(Destro and bungy ropes)			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of club equipment is only allowed under the supervision of a coach 		
Exit/ Changing Area/Emergency Evacuation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletes • Coaches • Parents 	High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff have been trained in emergency evacuation procedure and club meeting point. All swimmers must follow coaches instructions in such an instance • All equipment must be removed and safely stored at the end of every session 	Medium	Lead Coaches, Facility Operator

