

Cairns and Port Trips & Attractions

RISK ASSESSMENT

Information of Activity

Site: Rainforestation Nature Park Location: Wildlife Park

Identified by: Chris Grantham, General Manager Date: 15th March 2022

Identified Hazard / Task: Wildlife Experience

Risk Analysis - level of risk

Identified Hazards	Risk Assessment				Risk Level
	Exposure (E)	Likelihood (L)	Consequence (C)	ExLxC	
Physical Strains & Sprains	1	0.3	2	.06	L
Tip/Fall Hazard – koala enclosure	1	0.1	2	.02	L
Animal Handling – bites and scratches	3	0.3	5	4.5	M

Definitions									
Exposure E	Likelihood	L	Consequence C	Risk Score	Hierarchy of Risk Controls				
Continuously	y Almost Certain	1.0	Catastrophic 20	E >20 H >10	Elimination is a permanent solution and should be attempted in the first instance.				
Frequently 6	Likely	0.6	Major 10	M 3 – 10	Substitution involves replacing the hazard or environmental aspect by one of the lower risk.				
Occasionally 3	Possible	0.3	Moderate 5		Engineering controls involve physical barriers or structural changes to the environment or process.				
Infrequently 2	Unlikely 2	0.1	Minor 2	L <3	Administration controls reduce hazard by altering procedures and providing instructions				
Rarely	Rare	0.05	Insignificant 1		Personal protective equipment last resort or temporary control.				

LEGEND

E: extreme/significant risk; immediate action required; must be managed by senior management with a detailed plan, notify RMO immediately.

H: high risk, senior management attention needed; detailed research and management planning at senior levels.

M: moderate risk; management responsibility must be specified; manage by specific monitoring or response procedures.

L: low risk; manage by routine procedures; unlikely to need specific allocation of resources

Details of Action to be Taken

Actions: (When determining action, refer to Hierarchy of Risk Control.)

Physical Strains & Sprains – Perceived risks minimised by participants given clear instruction and direction prior to entering the enclosure and participants to be under constant supervision.

Trip/Fall Hazard – Koala Enclosure – Perceived risks minimised by induction into enclosure, clear instructions and constant supervision.

Animal Handling – To be done under constant supervision of qualified animal handler. Perceived risk minimised by participants being given clear directions on the correct way to handle animals and given demonstrations by qualified handler prior to handling any animals.

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