

## Participant Emergency and Disaster Management Plan

Participant Details	
Participant Name	
Parent/Guardian / Carer	Contact No.
Email	Next Review
Date Prepared	Prepared By

Participant Emergency Contact Details			
Contact 1		Phone	
Contact 2		Phone	
Additional Info			

Emergency Services	
Police	000
Fire	000
Ambulance	000
Poison Emergency	13 11 26

## **Emergency Procedures**

It may be useful, if applicable, to attach a copy of detailed emergency procedures and floor plan with the location of emergency exits, emergency kit and safety equipment clearly marked. Your emergency procedures may also include a map of evacuation locations for all emergencies.





Personal Medical	Injury
What to do	<ul> <li>In the event of a personal medical injury which may result from instances such as assault or other violent crime or a traffic accident, workers and participants should: <ul> <li>notify the nearest first aid officer</li> <li>seek medical treatment if required</li> <li>if the medical injury is an emergency situation, call emergency services on 000</li> <li>advise the Director</li> <li>leave scene untouched for investigation purposes</li> <li>photograph any evidence</li> <li>complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Evacuation Location	
Where to find the full policy/procedures	<ul> <li>Incident Management Reporting Procedure</li> <li>Infection Prevention Procedure</li> <li>Emergency and Disaster Management Procedure</li> </ul>
Staff Responsibilities	<ul> <li>Ensure participant safety and wellbeing at all times</li> <li>Correspond with Director to provide updates</li> <li>Complete applicable paperwork</li> <li>Phone participant/ emergency contact a week after event to ensure they are ok</li> <li>Attempt to contact participant three times via phone before initiating a welfare check</li> </ul>



Personal Threat from Acts of Terrorism or Riots		
What to do	<ul> <li>In the event of a personal threat from an act of terrorism, the worker/Warden shall:</li> <li>Notify the Police by dialling 000 and requesting assistance</li> <li>Ensure the Director is notified immediately of the location and describe situation</li> <li>Initiate action to confine or isolate the threat from building occupants; and</li> <li>Report to the Director regularly regarding the status of disturbance</li> <li>Complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul>	
Evacuation Location		
Where to find the full policy/procedures	<ul> <li>Incident Management Reporting Procedure</li> <li>Evacuation Map</li> <li>Emergency and Disaster Management Procedure</li> </ul>	
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Fire	
What to do	<ul> <li>Call emergency services on 000 and provide details of the fire</li> <li>Ensure the Director is notified immediately of the location</li> <li>Assist any person in immediate danger (only if safe to do so)</li> <li>If safe to do so, close doors to minimise spread of the fire</li> <li>Contact nearest warden and follow their directions (if applicable)</li> <li>Assist with the evacuation of participants</li> <li>Move to the assembly point as per the Evacuation Plan and stay there until further direction</li> <li>Follow closely the instructions of emergency services personnel and wardens</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form</i></li> </ul>
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Earthquake	
What to do	<ul> <li>Ensure the Director is notified immediately of the situation</li> <li>Call emergency services on 000 if assistance required</li> <li>Remain in the building, move to a lower floor and keep well clear of windows</li> <li>Shelter under structures that offer protection e.g., desk or table</li> <li>Follow the instructions of Wardens or relevant Emergency Services</li> <li>Assist with the evacuation of participants</li> <li>Evacuate the building to the nominated assembly area only if instructed to do so by Emergency Services or Warden personnel</li> <li>Do not leave the assembly area until advised to do so</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form</i></li> </ul>
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Storms/Lighting S	trikes
What to do       Evacuation Location	<ul> <li>Stay away from metal poles, fences, or tall metal structures</li> <li>Minimise use of telephones/mobiles</li> <li>If undertaking water activities, leave the water immediately</li> <li>Never shelter under tree/s</li> <li>Discard all metal objects</li> <li>Stay away from high and low points</li> <li>Make sure participants are aware of the Lightning Safe Position. This involves: <ul> <li>Squatting or crouching with knees drawn up and feet together</li> <li>Keeping hands off the ground</li> </ul> </li> <li>Ensure the Director is notified where applicable</li> <li>Call emergency services on 000 if assistance required</li> <li>Follow the instructions of Wardens or relevant Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form if required</i></li> </ul>
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Dust Storms	
What to do Evacuation Location	<ul> <li>If driving reduce speed and turn on driving lights</li> <li>If a severe dust storm carefully pull off the roadway and turn off vehicle lights</li> <li>If on a freeway, leave the freeway at an exit ramp, if possible</li> <li>Wait until visibility is at least 100 metres before re-entering the roadway</li> <li>If symptoms of breathing distress, seek medical advice</li> <li>If at a residence, encourage the participant to close all windows and doors to minimise air particles impacting their breathing</li> <li>Ensure the Director is notified where applicable</li> <li>Call emergency services on 000 if assistance required</li> <li>Follow the instructions of Wardens or relevant Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form if required</i></li> </ul>
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Flooding	
Flooding         What to do         Evacuation Location	In the event of a Flood: Indoors • Keep well clear of building access points • Switch off any electrical equipment and gas that could be affected by water • Move any chemicals, documents, equipment and valuables to a safe area • Ensure the Director is notified where applicable • Call emergency services on 000 if assistance required • assist with the evacuation of participants • Evacuate the building to the nominated assembly area only if instructed to do so by Emergency Services or Warden personnel • Do not leave the assembly area until advised to do so • Complete Incident Report Form Outdoors • Obtain information around any road closures prior to any travel • Do not attempt to walk or drive through flooded roadways • If route is blocked by floodwaters or barricades, turn around and seek an alternative route • Ensure the Director is notified where applicable • Call emergency services on 000 if assistance required • Complete Incident Report Form
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Pandemic	
What to do	<ul> <li>Follow the instructions of both the World Health Organisation and Australian Federal Government</li> <li>Contact the applicable Public Health Unit (such as Department of Health Queensland) for advice and direction</li> <li>Ensure where applicable workers have the appropriate immunisations</li> <li>Communicate regularly with participants and workers</li> <li>Wear PPE as required</li> <li>Practice good hand hygiene</li> </ul>
Evacuation Location	N/A
Where to find the full policy/procedures	<ul> <li>Incident Management Reporting Procedure</li> <li>Emergency and Disaster Management Procedure</li> <li>Pandemic Management Policy</li> </ul>
Staff Responsibilities	<ul> <li>Ensure participant safety and wellbeing at all times</li> <li>Correspond with Director to provide updates</li> <li>Complete applicable paperwork</li> </ul>



Bushfire	
What to do         Evacuation Location	<ul> <li>Keep calm</li> <li>Drink as much as possible and carry water</li> <li>Saturate and cover up with clothing including the head region</li> <li>If you are with a participant stay together;</li> <li>Avoid dense undergrowth</li> <li>Look for open or already burnt ground</li> <li>Keep to tracks if possible</li> <li>Conserve as much energy as possible and take rests, if viable</li> <li>Keep low</li> <li>Shield the body from radiated heat by lying or crouching</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form</i></li> <li>If trapped by fire in a vehicle</li> <li>Position car in a clearing or away from dense fuels loads</li> <li>Where possible, minimise exposure to radiant heat</li> <li>Park the car off the roadway to avoid collisions</li> <li>Leave the engine running</li> <li>Turn headlights and hazard warning lights on to make the car as visible as possible</li> <li>Tightly close all windows and doors</li> <li>Shut all the air vents and turn the air conditioning on to full and recirculate</li> <li>If possible, stay in the car until the fire front has passed and the temperature has dropped outside</li> <li>Complete <i>Incident Report Form</i></li> </ul>
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Gas Leakage	
What to do	<ul> <li>Contact Emergency Services</li> <li>Contact the Director to advise of the gas leak</li> <li>Isolate the gas supply at the source (if safe to do so)</li> <li>Remove all ignition sources (if safe to do so)</li> <li>Turn off the electrical supply</li> <li>Evacuate participants as per Evacuation Plan</li> <li>Remain at the Evacuation Assembly Area until further advised by Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul>
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Structural Collapse		
What to do	<ul> <li>Alert all persons nearby and request assistance</li> <li>Call emergency services on 000 describing the situation</li> <li>Notify the Director</li> <li>Assist any participants or colleagues in immediate danger</li> <li>Evacuate as per the Evacuation Plan</li> <li>Remain at the Evacuation Assembly Area until further advised by Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul>	
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<b>Electrical Incident</b>	t
What to do	<ul> <li>Call emergency services on 000 describing the situation</li> <li>Notify Director</li> <li>Ensure the safety of participants and yourself</li> <li>If power lines are involved contact the relevant electricity entity immediately</li> <li>Isolate the power supply if safe to do so</li> <li>Evacuate as per the Evacuation Plan</li> <li>Remain at the Evacuation Assembly Area until further advised by Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul>
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Bomb Threats	
What to do	<ul> <li>Gather as much information from the person making the threat as possible</li> <li>Call emergency services on 000</li> <li>Clear the area</li> <li>Notify the Director and/or Warden immediately</li> <li>Follow the instructions and directions of Wardens or relevant Emergency Services</li> <li>Prevent all persons from entering the area where the device is located</li> <li>If safe to do so evacuate as per the Evacuation Plan</li> <li>Remain at the Evacuation Assembly Area until further advised by Emergency Services</li> <li>Complete Incident Report Form</li> </ul>
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policy/procedures	Emergency and Disaster Management Procedure
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Signatures	
Participant / Substitute Decision Maker	
Name	
Signature	
Date	
Provider Representative Name	
Signature	
Date	

Implementation Checklist		
Team Members Trained (Names)		
Team Member training Date		
Participant Plan Tested with Participant Date		
Team Member providing Participant Testing		
Reviewed by Management		
Plan Implementation Completed Date		

