Health and Safety Risk Assessment

Reviewed by:

Directorate: Children & Adults Team: Ealing Musi		usic Service (EMS) Location: Schools		Date of	Date for			
Activity or Work Area Assessed: Large-group singing lessons		Assessors: ANONYMOUS					Assessment: 21/09/2020	Review: 21/09/2020
Hazard	Who could be harmed and how?	L – Likelihood (1 – 4)	S – Severity (1 – 4)	Risk rating – Lx S = R (1 – 16)	Date of completion	Control measures already in place	Person responsible for control measure	Date of completion

Singing should not take place in larger groups such as choirs and ensembles, or assemblies unless significant space, natural airflow (at least 10l/s/person for all present, including audiences) and strict social distancing and mitigation as described below can be maintained.

Signed:			
	ANONYMOUS	(Assessor)	21/09/2020
	ANONYMOUS	(Assistant Head)	21/09/2020
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Risk Rating:

Severity					
		1-Trivial	2-Minor	3.Serious	4.Major
	4-Very Likely	4 L	8 M	12 H	16 C
	3-Likely	3 L	6 M	9 H	12 H
Likelihood	2-Possible	2 L	4 L	6 M	8 M

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1-Remote	1 L	2 L	3 L	4 L

Critical (16)	Immediate	Stop. Do not undertake the activity-critical risk, too high and unacceptable. Controls need to be implemented and the risk rating reduced to an acceptable level before the activity can recommence
High (9 -12)	1 week	Require immediate attention to bring the risk down to an acceptable level
Medium (6 - 8)	1 month	Review existing controls and consider additional ones. Regular monitoring required
Low (1 – 4)	3 months	Continue with the existing controls, operations requires monitoring

Hazard: Something that has the potential to cause harm

Likelihood: The likelihood of the hazard causing harm

Risk rating is calculated by multiplying the likelihood by the severity:

e.g.: a likely chance of an accident resulting in a major injury = 3 x 4 = 12

therefore, a medium risk – within 1 month - review existing controls and consider additional ones. Regular monitoring required.