



RISK ASSESSMENT – MUSICIAN

Description of Activity

This Risk Assessment and arrangements cover the operations of Musicians (*including pianists, string quartets and harpists*) provided by Big Al Entertainments. This Risk Assessment must be read in conjunction with the Task Instruction.

Persons at Risk

The people especially at risk from most hazards are the musician and the General Public.

Hazards

The hazards associated with this activity are: - See risk assessment for details

Risk Evaluation

The following arrangements should eliminate or reduce the risk of all hazards to an acceptable level. The analysis of the likelihood and severity of the main hazards causing harm, considering existing and planned preventative and protective measures (included in the following arrangements), is shown on the risk assessment form.

ARRANGEMENTS

Planning and Organising – The musician shall be provided with the relevant Information, Instruction and Training necessary to complete the task. This will be detailed in the relevant Task Instruction.

Training and Instruction

The musician shall be instructed in the following: -

Correct use of all equipment and the Task Instructions

Management Control

Big Al Entertainments will ensure that, as appropriate the musician will have Disclosure Scotland clearance, have been instructed and are competent, and will check that instructions are being followed on an occasional basis. No other people than those trained on the equipment are allowed to use this equipment. Any defect or incident discovered in the equipment must be removed from the act immediately.

Procedures for Serious and Imminent Danger

All procedures regarding Incident & Accident Reporting, Emergency Evacuation Procedure will be the responsibility of the Organiser from the Client.

Monitoring and Review Inspections

The musician shall inspect all equipment for suitability prior to taking the contract on.

Accident/Incident Investigation

The Health and Safety Manager shall liaise with the client to investigate any accident or incident occurring with the operation.

Risk Assessment Review

This Risk Assessment shall be reviewed at intervals of 2 Years or after any modification, complaint, incident or accident.

RISK ASSESSMENT

Activity/Plant/Materials etc.	Hazard	Severity 1 - 10	Likelihood 1 - 10	Rate	Preventative/Risk Reduction Measure	Result
Pianist	Use of and carrying instruments, music stands etc in/around venue. Noise levels	2	1	Low	Musicians will be alert and vigilant of any potential risk and will report any concerns to management on duty. Noise levels will be closely monitored by musicians	L
Harpist	Use of and carrying instruments, music stands etc in/around venue Noise levels	2	1	Low	Musicians will always be alert and vigilant of any potential risk and will report any concerns to management on duty. Noise levels will be closely monitored by musicians	L
String Quartet	Use of and carrying instruments, music stands etc in/around venue Noise levels	2	1	Low	Musicians will always be alert and vigilant of any potential risk and will report any concerns to management on duty. Noise levels will be closely monitored by musicians	L

KEY TO RESULT

L = LOW RISK M = MEDIUM RISK H = HIGH RISK U = UNSURE (SEEK ASSISTANCE)