

Federation Mountain Rescue. - Hazard and Risk Management Plan

Walk Name

Date

Grading

**Leader
Reviewer**

Potential Risks Common or Specific to this Activity			Assessment			Treatment	Residual Risk
No.	Description	Possible Consequence	LO 1-5 ¹	Con 1-5 ²	Sev ³		Sev
	River Crossings	Slip and injury	1	2	A	Ensure participants experienced	A
	Flooded Streams	Washed away when attempting to cross or delay until water level falls	1	4	U	Do not undertake activity	P
	Snake Bite	Loss of consciousness possible death	1	3	P	First Aid & evacuation plan	P
	Fall risk from cliff or ridge	Disabling injury	1	5	U	Ensure safe procedures followed	P
	Walkers not fit enough for activity	Delay	4	3	U	Assess adequate fitness with pre-outing or vouched for by FMR member	P
	Heavy Rain	Track slippery, creeks uncrossable	1	3	P	Do not undertake activity if threat of rain	P
	Bush Fire	Trapped, burns	1	3	P	Do not undertake activity	P
	Extreme Temperature	Dehydration or hypothermia	1	4	U	Ensure participants carry waterproofed adequate dry clothing, space blanket and wear wetsuit	P
	Isolation of Walk	Delays in notifying rescue organisations can increase consequence	5	3	U	Radio equipment to be carried and property owner aware	A

¹ Likelihood of Occurrence 1 = least likely, 5 = most likely

² Consequence if Risk does occur 1 = least severe 5 = most severe

³ Risk Severity UA = Unacceptable, UD = Undesirable, AC = Acceptable, P = Preferred (Refer to Redlands Bushwalking Inc Risk Tolerance Standard)

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	Water Availability	Unable to get supplies during walk	1	3	P	Ensure water carried if creek dry	P
	Rock fall	Injury, death, delay	1	5	U	Wear helmets, extra care in danger areas	A
	Abseil failure	Injury, death, delay	1	5	U	Compulsory gear check before each abseil, ensure participants experienced and use FMR endorsed abseil procedure	A