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Dynamic Risk Assessment – Walking

Walk Leader "On-the-Day Checklist"

The following are some checks to be considered as part of planning and leading a walk. It supports real-time decision making and should be reviewed before and during the event.

Requirement	Checked – Yes/No	Comments
Weather & Environment		
Weather forecast checked on the day		
Wind chill and temperature suitable for group		
Snow, ice and visibility assessed at start		
Route & Terrain		
Route and escape options reviewed		
Terrain suitable for group and conditions		
Daylight hours sufficient		
Group & Individuals		
Group size manageable		
Experience and fitness appropriate		
Clothing and equipment checked		

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Equipment & Communication		
Navigation equipment available		
Emergency shelter/blanket carried		
First aid kit available		
Mobile phones charged		
Ongoing Monitoring		
Conditions monitored continuously		
Pace adjusted as required		
Decision to turn back if risk increases		
Other Considerations		