| Work/Activity: Southampton University Road Cycling Club Track Session |
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| Locations – Velodromes across UK (mainly Calshot, Hampshire)Day – VariesTime – VariesNumber of People – Total participants maximum 30 (including Coach)Activity description - Cycling on a velodrome using track bikes (fixed gear) |
| Group: Southampton University Road Cycling Club | Assessor(s): Finlay Middlemiss (Social and Welfare Secretary) | Contact: surc@soton.ac.uk |
| Guidance/standards/Reference documents  | Competence requirements |
| * http://www.hse.gov.uk/Risk/faq.htm
 | **Role:** [who has what H&S responsibilities for each task e.g. event stewards] | **Skills, experience or qualifications** [what training/experience has this person had to undertake their H&S responsibilities] |
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| Risk assessments linked |
| [Identify areas of your activity which will fall under a different risk assessment. For example, fire risk assessments when using a building will have been covered by the premises operator.]  |

| Aspect | Hazards | Who might be harmed and how | Current control measures | Current risk /9 | Additional control measures | Action by whom? | Residual risk/9 | check SA/DM |
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| Riding at Velodrome | Steep track | Participants could fall/slide when riding on steep banking | Instruction from coach for beginners provides advice on minimum speed required for safe riding of the track. Riders advised to wear long sleeves and gloves to minimise abrasions in a crash. Helmets must be worn at all times whilst riding. | 3 |  |  |   |   |
| Accessing Velodrome | Stairs into velodrome | Participants could trip or slip | Riders advised by coach to change shoes before leaving velodrome, or take suitable care whilst walking | 4 |  |  |   |   |
| Riding at Velodrome | Barriers/bike racks/obstacles on velodrome centre | Participants could trip or crash into the objects | Riders instructed to ride at low speed on floor of velodrome and pay suitable attention to avoid hitting obstacles | 2 |  |  |   |   |
| Riding at Velodrome | Lack of heating/very cold temperature in winter  | Participants could become hypothermic or are more likely to strain muscles | Before session riders are advised by the session organiser to wear winter cycling clothing suitable for equivalent period outside. | 2 |  |  |   |   |
| Riding at Velodrome | Dehydration | Participants | Riders asked to bring plenty to drink and are encouraged to have rests between exercises | 2 |  |  |   |   |
| COVID-19 |  Contracting coronavirus from other members or spreading it to others. | Participants | All measures pertaining to COVID-19 will be formed relative to guidance from the government, SUSU and British Cycling and will therefore be *subject to change:*When not on the track riders should maintain social distancing and avoid from congregating in groups of more than 6.When travelling to the velodrome there will be a maximum of 4 per car and will be advised to wear masks for their own safety and that of the others in the car.If participants need to hire a bike at the velodrome they will be advised to wash their hands after use and touch as little as possible.If a member does contract coronavirus or are showing symptoms indicative of coronavirus, they will be forbidden from participating in any club activities until they have completed the self-isolation period as dictated by the government/NHS, currently between 10 and 14 days.<https://www.southampton.ac.uk/coronavirus.page> |  |  |  |  |  |

| Reviewed By: | Comments: |
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| Responsible person (SA/DM): Finlay Middlemiss | Date: 17.08.2021 |  |
| SUSU H&S manager (where applicable): | Date: |  |

| Likelihood |
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| Impact | 3 | 6 | 9 |
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| Likelihood |
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| Level | **Description** |
| High (3) | Will probably occur in most circumstances |
| Medium (2) | Might occur at some time |
| Low (1) | May occur only in exceptional circumstances |

| Impact |
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| Level | **Description** |
| High (3)  | Major Injury or Death; Loss of limb or life-threatening conditions. In hospital for more than 3 days, and/or subject to extensive prolonged course of medical treatment and support.  |
| Medium (2) | Serious injury causing hospitalisation, less than 3 days. Rehabilitation could last for several months. |
| Low (1) | Minor/superficial injuries. Local first aid treatment or absence from work for less than 3 days. |