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Risk Priority Chart

Likelihood How likely is it to happen?	Consequences: How severely it hurts someone (if it happens)?				
	Insignificant	Minor	Moderate	Major	Catastrophic
Almost certain – expected in most circumstances	3 H	3 H	4 A	4 A	4 A
Likely – will probably occur in most circumstances	2 M	3 H	3 H	4 A	4 A
Possible – might occur at some time	1 L	2 M	3 H	4 A	4 A
Unlikely – could occur at some time	1 L	1 L	2 M	3 H	4 A
Rare – may occur, only in exceptional circumstances	1 L	1 L	2 M	3 H	3 H

Risk score and statement

Score and statement	Action
4 A: Acute	ACT NOW – Immediate action is required to control the hazard(s) that is causing this level of risk.
3 H: High	Requires a planned approach to controlling the hazard further. Apply temporary measures if required.
2 M: Moderate	Frequently review the hazard control measures and apply further controls if at all possible.
1 L: Low	A risk identified as low may be considered OK for now. Review periodically or if any equipment/ people/ materials/ work processes change.