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Accident Policy

It is the responsibility of all instructors, and also that of volunteers and all participants, to ensure the safety of all persons involved with Adventures Unlimited Scotland.

The activities we provide are potentially hazardous, and so we must ensure that all possible safety precautions are taken at all times. These are detailed elsewhere and all participants should be aware of the relevant policies and risk assessments as appropriate to each activity.

Where groups are undertaking journeys away from normal facilities, ie sea or river trips, mountain or coastal activities, a detailed route plan, and estimated time of return, should be left with a responsible person, who should be notified of the safe return of the group, and contacted in the first instance if there are any problems or delays as soon as possible.

Should an accident occur it is important that the correct actions are taken. In the first instance this is the responsibility of the instructor or other accompanying adult. If required, First Aid should be administered by a suitably qualified person. Further medical treatment should be sought if necessary. Wherever possible volunteers should refer to the Instructor in charge before calling an ambulance or referring to a doctor, but in all cases the adults present should act in the best interests of the patient first.

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Medical forms are carried for all participants and these should be made available to the medical authorities. Instructors and Volunteers should always be aware of any prevailing medical conditions for the young people attending the event.

The Directors must be informed of any accident requiring medical intervention as soon as possible. Parents should not be contacted by any person other than the Directors.

If an accident occurs, the Adventures Unlimited Scotland Accident Form should be completed as soon as possible by the person who witnessed the accident or was first on the scene. The Accident Form should then be handed to a Director as soon as possible. The Directors will decide if an accident is reportable under the Health and Safety Executive RIDDOR procedures.

If any volunteer or instructor becomes aware of any dangerous practice or incident they should immediately bring this to the attention of a Director, even if no accident has taken place.

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