



*Little Pips Pre-School*  
At the Camden Centre

Care and Education for 2-5 year Olds

## The Little Pips Pre-School at the Camden Centre

### Risk Assessment- Policy Statement

The Little Pips Pre-School believes that the health and safety of the children, staff and visitor is a priority.

#### Aims

We aim our setting a safe and healthy place to be at all times. Risks and hazards are identified, assessed and therefore minimised. Children can thrive in a healthy and safe environment.

#### Responsibility

Is the responsibility of the Management Committee to manage the risk assessment process.

Hazard identification is the responsibility of all staff members.

The process is shared in summary with key stakeholders including staff, volunteers, parents, work experience students and share appropriate children.

#### Risk Assessments Procedures

Little Pips Pre-School uses the following five steps to assess risks as follows:

- Identify the hazards indoors and outside
- Decide who might be harmed
- Evaluate the Risks-High, Medium or Low level

- Put in control s to reduce or eliminate risk
- Monitor and Review the assessment and control measures on a regular basis

All findings are recorded in writing.

### Checks

Daily, weekly, monthly, termly and annual checks are made as appropriate.

Examples are attached to this policy.

Check for hazards can be assessed at any time and in particular if something is new to the setting or changes have been made for the indoor or outdoor environment.

### Legal frame of work

Health and Safety at Work Act (1974)

Management of Health and Safety at Work regulations 1992

Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) order 2005

Disability and Equality Act 2010

Regulation (EC) 852/2004 at the European Parliament and of the Council on the hygiene of foodstuffs

Electricity at work Regulations 1989

Medicines Act (1986)

Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations (1995) (know as RIDDOR)

Care of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002

Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations (1981)

Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992 (as amended)

Health and Safety (Display Screen Equipment) Regulations 1992 (as amended)

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