

**P.E. (Goal Posts) – Risk Assessment Template No. 47 (List additional hazards, risks and controls particular to your school using Template No.74)**

Hazards	Is the hazard present? Y/N	What is the risk?	Risk rating H = High M = Medium L = Low	Control measures	Is this control in place? Y/N	If no, what actions are required to implement the control?	Person responsible	Date action completed
Goalpost		Injury or fatality from misuse/collapse	H	All goal posts in use conform to appropriate Standard <b>See Reference note on Annex A of I.S. 357:2007 at end of Template 47</b>				
			M	Copies of test certificates showing conformity are available				
			H	Replacement parts are purchased from original manufacturer/supplier				
			H	All goal posts contain a “warning label” and written instructions for assembly, installation, use, storage and maintenance				
			M	All those responsible for maintenance, storage etc of goal posts are aware of relevant instructions				
			H	A system for inspection of goal posts is in place that includes routine visual inspections, operational inspections and annual maintenance inspections in accordance with requirements of <b>I.S. 357:2007</b>				
			H	A maintenance schedule is established and implemented				


**P.E. (Goal Posts) – Risk Assessment Template No. 47 – cont’d. (List additional hazards, risks and controls particular to your school using Template No.74)**

Hazards	Is the hazard present? Y/N	What is the risk?	Risk rating H = High M = Medium L = Low	Control measures	Is this control in place? Y/N	If no, what actions are required to implement the control?	Person responsible	Date action completed
Goalpost		Injury or fatality from misuse/ collapse of goal post	H	Portable goal posts are anchored correctly when in use				
			H	Access/use is prevented where goal posts are deemed to be “unsafe” as a result of inspection/ maintenance, e.g. not anchored correctly				
			M	All goal posts are used for intended use only, e.g. indoor goal posts not used outdoors				
			H	All personnel involved in assembling/ dismantling goal posts wears appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), where necessary				
			H	All students are made aware of the dangers of incorrect/misuse of goal posts, e.g. swinging over bars etc.				
			H	When not in use goal posts and all associated parts, e.g. nets, anchors etc., are stored correctly				
			H	Records required by <b>I.S. 357:2007</b> including maintenance records, inspections certs etc. are kept on site				

If there is one or more **High Risk (H)** actions needed, then the risk of injury could be high and immediate action should be taken. **Medium Risk (M)** actions should be dealt with as soon as possible. **Low Risk (L)** actions should be dealt with as soon as practicable.

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-  **Reference**  
 Annex A, I.S. 357:2007 Code of Practice on the Procurement, Installation, Maintenance, Inspection and Storage  
 I.S. 356:2007 Playing Field Equipment Goals – Functional and Safety Requirements – Test Methods for Portable and Fixed Goals