Risk Assessment Form

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| Performer | Fair Play |
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| Act | Easy Lay Eggs |
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| Date | 1/3/18 |
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| **1. Assessing the hazards.** | |
| 1. One performer wears a box around his right arms. This restricts his vision of the floor to that side of him. 2. Use of arm is restricted by box in case of tripping, falling or assault. 3. Some people may be allergic to chocolate 4. The act can draw a crowd for a few moments. This could block a through way and cause congestion. 5. People could be distracted by our calling out and walk into another person or an object such as a bin or lamppost in front of them. | |
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| **2. Who might be harmed?** | |
| 1. -5.  Elderly people  Children  Boisterous teenagers  People in a hurry | |
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| **3. Is the risk adequately controlled?** | |
| 1. The second performer ensures that the path in front is clear of any hazards prior to any movement and as it is moving. 2. The second performer again ensures the safety of the tray carrier. 3. It would be expected that adults with allergies would refuse the chocolate. With children and where we suspect that clarity should be sort, chocolate would only be given when we had been given clearance from a responsible adult. 4. We try to avoid entering an area with too much congestion. If it gets crowded we call out loudly so that people are aware of our presence. We only allow crowds to build in an appropriate environment i.e where there is space for other people to pass around them, and never stay in one place for more than 2-3 minutes. 5. We always work out into a large open space free of either too many people attempting to navigate past each other or of physical dangers such as bollards, bins or lampposts. We never work beside busy roads. We work as a pair so that if one person is talking another can support and check the activity in the responding area, particularly with reference to the groups highlighted before. | |
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| **4. What further action is necessary to control the risk?** | |
| If an area cannot sustain any build up of crowd we will take advice from officials.  We could also think of working more intimately with smaller groups of passers-by if the street becomes too busy for a few minutes with a lot of people weaving about.  Again we would take extra care if our risk groups were involved. | |