

# Llantrisant Sub Aqua Club



## IOSH Managing Safety

## RISK ASSESSMENT

## Activity Assessment

Assessment of : **Use of Self Contained Underwater Breathing Apparatus**

Assessor:..... Date:.....

Area of Assessment

ACTIONS

ENVIRONMENT

EQUIPMENT

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH

LITIGATION

Activity/Workplace	Hazard	Person at Risk	Existing Controls	Risk Rating		
				LO	LS	RR
Use of self contained underwater breathing apparatus for the purpose of diving underwater by students, instructors and certified divers	1. Use of unattended SCUBA equipment in open water.	ABCD.	Divers prohibited from entry into open water without the presence of a qualified instructor or dive buddy	1	10	10
	2. Breath holding whilst on SCUBA.	ABCD.	Students briefed on scuba safety and closely monitored by Dive Marshalls.	1	10	10
	3. Rapid Ascents from depth.	ABCD.	Instructors to re-cap/brief students on buoyancy control	2	10	20
	4. Injuries from entering water i.e. trips, slips	ABCD.	Students briefed on entry techniques.  Qualified persons to assist students kitting up and entering water	1	8	8
	5. Separation underwater.	ABCD.	Divers briefed on separation protocols and procedures.  Shore/Boat cover to monitor closely	3	7	21

### PERSON AT RISK

A = Certified Divers  
B = Club Members

C = Student Divers  
D = Dive Marshall