

Risk Assessment for Toilet Area  
2020

Hazard	Those at Risk	Control of Risk
Slipping on wet floors	Child/adults/parents	Ensure toilets are regularly checked and floors are kept dry <b>covid: toilets will be checked more often than normal to ensure no wet areas.</b>
Burning from scalding water	Child	Thermostatic valves have been fitted to hot water supply to ensure this does not happen
Poisoning from hazardous chemicals	Child	Cleaning products are locked away and cleaning is carried out only when children have left. Exceptions to this would be if there has been an accident- children would be removed from the area <b>covid: staff to be extra vigilant they don't leave chemicals in toilets due to extra cleaning.</b>
Being locked inside the toilet	Child	Foam door stops are put out of reach on the tops of doors
Picking up germs	All	Promote and ensure good hand washing practice and keep toilet area clean <b>covid: as per govt advice and MVNS revised policies</b>
Falling from nappy changing table	Children	Use the attached safety strap and never leave child's side. For older children, use changing mat on floor
Having problems with personal hygiene, resulting in a fear	Children	Monitor children's abilities and support as necessary <b>covid: staff to be extra careful to wear gloves and aprons as needed</b>
Mobile phones/ ipads	Children	No phones/devices to be taken into toilets