

# **Annual Inspection**

**Croston Parish Council** 

Croston Rec Play & Gym Areas

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# **Inspection Scope for RPII Inspection Methodology**

This document outlines the RPII scope for inspections undertaken by the Inspectors listed as Annual Inspectors on the RPII Register of Inspectors when undertaking Indoor Annual, Outdoor Annual, Outdoor Operational and Outdoor Routine inspections.

Inspections are undertaken with reference to the standards listed in this preamble only; where no date for the standard is given it will be the standard that is current at the time of inspection except where overlap periods are granted by the standards committee when standards are updated. The information contained in reports is provided to assist the owner/operator in fulfilling their responsibilities as detailed in the relevant standard. Other standards referenced within the listed standards do not form part of the inspection, unless they are also explicitly listed here.

The following standards are relevant to all installations of equipment that are publicly accessible to users; this includes public parks, pay and play parks, schools, nurseries, public houses, holiday parks, indoor play centres, farm parks etc. All equipment used or employed in publicly accessible areas should meet with the requirements of the relevant standards (listed below):

BS EN 1176 Parts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10 & 11 Playground equipment intended for permanent installation outdoors & indoors.

BS EN 1176 Part 7 - 'Guidance on Installation, Inspection, Maintenance and Operation' (this document gives guidance to the owners/operators of the facility on the installation, inspection, maintenance and operation of playground equipment, excluding ancillary items).

In the United Kingdom the National Foreword forms an important part to the understanding and implementation of the recommendations set out in this document. It clarifies the application of the document within the UK as best practice guidance, as the document has been used since its initial publication. Therefore, in the UK this standard (BS EN 1176 – Part 7) contains no requirements and needs to be read and implemented as guidance, with the use of the term 'shall' therefore becoming a recommendation, as in the term 'should'.

Domestic play equipment falls outside of the scope of BS EN 1176 and has its own standards (BS EN 71 series – Safety of Toys). Where domestic equipment can be identified this will be acknowledged in the report but any comments concerning compliance will follow the requirements and recommendations of BS EN 1176.

When water play items, including spray parks, are inspected any comments concerning compliance within the inspection will refer to BS EN 1176. We have not assessed these against the requirements of BS EN 17232 (Water play equipment and features).

Other equipment that is not clearly identified as unsupervised or domestic (natural play, self-build equipment etc.) will be assessed for compliance with the relevant standard listed below:

- BS EN 15312 Free access multi-sports equipment
- BS EN 14974 Skateparks
- BS EN 16630 Permanently installed outdoor fitness equipment
- BS EN 16899 Parkour equipment (plus RPII/API guidance notes)

Annual and Post Installation inspections will take into consideration compliance with these current standards, and defects related to wear and vandalism. Items not listed in the report have not been included in the inspection. The inspection will cover the playground equipment and the active area (that area which is obviously part of the playground), nominally up to three metres around, the fence line if closer, or other areas as agreed.

Operational inspections only take into consideration defects related to cleanliness, equipment ground clearances, ground surface finishes, exposed foundations, sharp edges, missing parts, excessive wear (of moving parts) structural integrity, wear and vandalism.

Routine visual inspections relate only to the most obvious defects such as broken or missing parts, litter, vandalism and issues created by severe weather conditions (the intention is to identify hazards created by storm damage).

All inspections are non-dismantling, non-destructive and do not include any structural, toxicology or impact assessments defined in the standard; however, the inspector will undertake a manual test for stability and if equipment fails under manual load, or any other hazard is identified as an unacceptable risk, the owner/operator will be notified as soon as practicably possible.

The inspector will access all reasonably accessible equipment and will assess all reasonably accessible parts above the standing surface. Where it is not possible to access parts of the equipment without employing an alternative means of access the report will record the action required by the owner/operator to ensure the continued safe use of the equipment.

Ancillary equipment will be assessed using the inspector's knowledge and experience of the standards named in this document. (Note: Ancillary items are not included in the specific equipment-type parts of the EN 1176 series; hence they are not assessed for compliance with EN 1176 series and are subject to a general safety assessment).

The owner/operator is responsible for the overall safety of the equipment and area.

The inspector will not undertake any of the following works unless specifically agreed in writing at the time of order:

Checking the depth and underlying structural integrity of any surface areas and/or carrying out any testing of the impact attenuating properties of any surfaces; the identification of any corrosion, rot or other deterioration in any apparatus or equipment other than by an external inspection; the inspection of any equipment (or part thereof) that is beneath the playing surface (loose-fill materials may be moved to expose foundations); tightening any bolts, hinges or other fixing devices on any apparatus or equipment; assessing or inspecting any electrical installations contained on any site and/or apparatus and/or equipment; assessing or inspecting any water supplies and/or water features and/or any associated computerised systems (including carrying out any programming); where planting or trees are mentioned in the report no assessments of toxicity, suitability or condition are undertaken – the owner/operator should have suitable inspections provided by a competent person.

The owner/operator should have a 'design risk assessment' provided by the manufacturer/designer of the area for the equipment and location in which the facility is installed.

The operator is responsible for managing risks of their provision and is required by law to carry out a 'suitable and sufficient assessment' of the risks associated with a site or activity. This inspection shall be considered as contributing to the operator's discharge of this responsibility.

The details contained within the report are a snapshot of the condition at the time of inspection only and subsequent events may affect the condition of the facility. Suggested remedial actions are based on the knowledge and experience of the inspector and/or that of the inspection company. The owner/operator should always seek the advice of the manufacturer or a competent person when undertaking repairs and/or modifications to equipment.

The operator is responsible for following the guidance of the relevant standards. The standards give guidance on the installation, inspection, maintenance and operation of the various types of facilities. The inspection guidance is listed in Table 1, with an indication of which parts will be included in an RPII Annual or Post-Installation Inspection. The relevant standards also contain additional parts which the operator should follow.

Inspection recommendations of relevant standards Refer to relevant standards for full text	Annual Main	RPII Annual/ Post Installation Inspection
6.1 d) Overall levels of safety of equipment (see note 1)	~	✓ [1]
6.1 d) Overall levels of safety of foundations (see note 1)	<ul> <li></li> </ul>	✓ [1]
6.1 d) Overall levels of safety of playing surfaces (see note 2)	~	✓ [2]
6.1 d) Compliance with the relevant parts of the standard and or risk assessment (see note 3)	~	✓ [3]
6.1 d) Effects of weather	<ul> <li></li> </ul>	~
6.1 d) Presence of rot, decay or corrosion (see note 1)	$\checkmark$	✓ [1]
6.1 d) Assessment of repairs made or added or replaced components (see note 4)	<ul> <li></li> </ul>	✓ [4]
6.1 d) Excavation or dismantling/additional measures	<ul> <li></li> </ul>	×
6.2.1 Assessment of glass reinforced plastics (see note 5)	$\checkmark$	✓ [5]
6.2.1 Inspection of one post equipment (see note 1)	<ul> <li></li> </ul>	✓ [1]
6.2.4 Undertaking the Operators inspection protocol	$\checkmark$	×

NB: The clause numbers in table 1 are taken from BS EN 1176 - Part 7:2020. The content is equally applicable to all other relevant standards listed herein. Playgrounds contain a range of equipment from different manufacturers and installed over a number of years; operators should implement any guidance provided by the manufacturer. Item specific detail is not readily available to RPII Playground Inspectors, whose report contributes to the operator's overall Annual Main Inspection as detailed in the relevant standards.

[1] A manual test only is undertaken for stability. Wear and instability are only detectable where readily apparent without dismantling or destruction and without the use of tools, excavation or specialist equipment. Rot and corrosion are tested or with a hammer and/or steel rod. Decay in timber may exist which can only be found with specialist equipment.

[2] Only the visible condition and dimensional compliance of surface extent is considered. Neither testing of impact attenuating properties nor measurement of the thickness of bound surfaces are undertaken on RPII annual inspections.

[3] The inspection assesses compliance where this can be tested on site using manual methods without dismantling, destruction and without the use of tools or specialist equipment.

[4] The operator should use manufacturer's recommended parts, or equivalent. We are unable to verify if such parts have been used, and any subsequent change in quality or performance.

[5] Visible glass fibres will be noted in reports. The operator is responsible for repairs or replacement.

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# **Risk Assessment Matrix**

			Scores in	n the report a	are multiplica	ation factors	of Likelihood	x Severity
					Sev	erity>>		
	Very High probability, if the situation is not addressed an accident is almost certain.	5	Very High	VL (5)	L (10)	M (15)	H (20)	VH (25)
	High probability an accident is probable without any added factor.	4	High	VL (4)	L (8)	M (12)	H (16)	H (20)
Likelihood	Moderate probability an incident is foreseeable.	3	Moderate	VL (3)	L (6)	L (9)	M (12)	M (15)
	Some probability, requires a combination of factors to take place.	2	Low	VL (2)	VL (4)	L (6)	L (8)	L (10)
	No significant probability; lightning strike, freak accident.	1	Very Low	VL (1)	VL (2)	VL (3)	VL (4)	VL (5)
			L	Very Low	Low	Moderate	High	Very High
				1	2	3	4	5
	- SINCE 1918 -			No injury likely e.g. damaged or soiled clothing, minor bruising, grazes	Minor injury, laceration or bruising requiring first aid only	Injury requiring medical intervention e.g. cuts requiring stitches	Serious injury including concussions or fracture of long bones	Severe injury involving a potential life changing injury or fatality
						Severity>>		1
each finding numbers are	total risk scores included within b. Both Likelihood and Severity e then multiplied together to give led in both directions, i.e. a total	are ve t	e given a num he total risk s	ber between core that is s	1 - 5 as shov hown against	vn on the mat defects on th	rix above and the report. Total	these two risk scores
Note 2: Whe	en we inspect we only see a sr	naps	shot of the cu	irrent conditio	n of the equip	oment. It is th	e operators res	sponsibility to

Note 2: When we inspect we only see a snapshot of the current condition of the equipment. It is the operators responsibility to ensure that there is a continuing level of maintenance to keep the equipment in good working order and the site fit for use.



# Croston Rec Play & Gym Areas

Inspection Ref: 2647131 Property Ref:1268844-427479 Site Ref: 84355 Service Object Ref:

Inspected: 12-March-2025 - 09:17 by Michael Allbright

Risk Assessment: 16 High Risk



Location:

The site is partially overlooked by properties in the local community **Disabled Access:** Generally accessible; an area accessible to most.



Item:	Gate - Self Closing	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Tarmac	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		

# 👔 8 - Low Risk

Item:	Gate - Maintenance	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Tarmac	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	

# Finding 1

The gate has dropped preventing the latch closing correctly - Carry out remedial works to ensure the gate closes correctly



Item:	Gate - Pedestrian	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Paving Slabs	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		
This item is satisfactory - no	work required -	

Item:	Fence - Bow Top	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Grass	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	

The fence is severely damaged in places - Repair or replace all affected sections



Item:	Playground Sign	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Grass	Croston Parish Council Window with Crossen Togeter
Item Quantity:	1	Croston Recreation Park Station Road Pp26 98P
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	have been a set of the
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		
This item is satisfactory - no	work required -	
2 - Very Low Risk		
Item:	Notice Board	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	CROSTON TOGETHER
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Item:	Notice Board
Manufacturer:	Unknown
Surface Type:	Grass
Item Quantity:	1
Equipment Compliance:	N/A
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A
Total Findings:	1
Finding 1	
This item is satisfactory - no	work required -

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Item:	Litter Bin	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Paving Slabs	
Item Quantity:	4	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	UTTER
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		
This item is satisfactory - no	work required -	

#### 8 - Low Risk

ltem:	Tarmac	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Tarmac	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Fotal Findings:	1	

The tarmac surface has been damaged - Recommend repair as required



6 - Low Risk		
Item:	Multi Play (Junior)	
Manufacturer:	Hags	•
Surface Type:	Wet Pour	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	2	
Finding 1		Finding 2
A number of bottom ramp fix Secure all loose fixings	ing(s) have worked loose -	There are a number of dents in the slide surface - Monitor for any further deterioration and repair as required
4 - Very Low Risk		
Item:	Roundabout	
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Wet Pour	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	

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**Total Findings:** 

Finding 1

This item is satisfactory - no work required -

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Item:	Four Way Springer	
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Wet Pour	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	

A number of fixing(s) are missing missing or loose, corrosion evident - Replace/Secure all loose fixings and treat/paint unit metalwork (Hazard tape applied customer on site made aware DO NOT ALLOW USE UNTIL REPAIRED)

Item:	Relax	
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Wet Pour	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	

The paint is flaking off the metalwork - Rub down and re-paint



**Equipment Compliance:** 

**Total Findings:** 

Surface Area Compliance: N/A

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12 - Moderate Risk		
Item:	1 Bay 2 Seat (Cradle)	
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Wet Pour	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	2	
Finding 1		Finding 2
The surfacing around the ite damaged areas of surfacing		Raised surfacing around the item - Repair the damaged areas of surfacing 500m x 550mm black
1 tem: Manufacturer: Surface Type:	Overhead Rotator Hags Bonded Rubber Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	

 Finding 1
 Finding 2

 There is some notable evidence of chain and shackle wear - Monitor for any further deterioration and replace when 40% worn
 There is surface corrosion present on the item - Customer has treated continue to monitor

 Finding 3
 The safety surface under or around this unit is waaring/damaged . Monitor for any further deterioration and replace and the streated continue to monitor

wearing/damaged - Monitor for any further deterioration and repair as required

N/A

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**Total Findings:** 

2

6 - Low Risk		
Item:	Multi Play (Senior)	and the second se
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Bonded Rubber Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	2	
Finding 1		Finding 2
A number of climbing wall fix Secure all loose fixings	ing(s) have worked loose -	The paint is flaking off the metalwork - Rub down and re- paint
12 - Moderate Risk		
Item: Manufacturer: Surface Type: Item Quantity: Equipment Compliance: Surface Area Compliance:	2 Bay 2 Flat 1 Basket Seat Hags Bonded Rubber Mulch 1 N/A N/A	

 Finding 1
 Finding 2

 There is some wear to the shackles. - Monitor for any further deterioration and replace when 40% worn
 The surfacing is severely damaged - Repair damaged areas of surfacing 3m x 600mm



8 - Low Risk		
Item:	Cable Runway	
Manufacturer:	Hags	
Surface Type:	Grass Matrix Tiles	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	and the second
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	3	
Finding 1		Finding 2
There is algae on the surface treat appropriately	e of the equipment - Clean and	We have completed a visual inspection of the cable and fixing points from ground level, however it is not possible to fully inspect the cable and fixings without either hiring equipment to gain access or removing the cable and inspecting at ground level. We recommend that the main cable and fixing security is thoroughly inspected at least in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations to check for damage, security or internal rusting, this will help to ensure the continued safe use of the equipment - Inspect in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations

#### Finding 3

Parts of the start ramp timbers are rough or splintered -Remove all rough or sharp edges or replace as required

#### 5 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Picnic Table	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Gravel	
Item Quantity:	4	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	

#### Finding 1

One unit has bowing slats - Monitor for any further deterioration and replace as required



2 - Very Low Risk		
Item:	Bench	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	and the second
Surface Type:	Grass	a state of the second
Item Quantity:	7	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	The second second
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		
This item is satisfactory - no	work required -	
2 - Very Low Risk		
Item:	Sign	
Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	SAFETY NOTICE • This equipment is for the use of children
Item Quantity:	1	and solutio over 14 years of age with a minimum height of 1.4m.
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	Phase read and use the exercise instructions on each pixe of Raytoment.     Yau must be assured of your own
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	Avoid over evention when using the equipment.

Item:	Sign	
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Manufacturer:	Unknown	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	SAFETY NOTICE • This equipment is for the use of children
Item Quantity:	1	Has equipments as the state of the stat
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	Please read and use the exercise     resources on each part of explorment.
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	• Gua must be assured of your own     • Gua must be assured of your own     • Gua must be assured of your own     • Aud over evention when using the exprement     • In case of a mericide energiency phone 111.     • The explanation is bounded all     Counter themas. The Ministry
Total Findings:	1	C gravent activity by Prank Ar Forma La     C exproved activity by Prank Ar Forma La
Finding 1		



#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Arm and Pedal Bike	
Manufacturer:	Fresh Air Fitness	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	and the second s
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	The second se
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	and the second second second second
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Total Findings:	1	
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#### Finding 1

This item is satisfactory - no work required -

#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Leg Raise	
Manufacturer:	Fresh Air Fitness	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	
Finding 1		



#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Double Fitness Station	
Manufacturer:	Fresh Air Fitness	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	R.S.

#### Finding 1

This item is satisfactory - no work required -

#### 15 - Moderate Risk

15 - Moderate Risk		
Item:	Skier	
Manufacturer:	Fresh Air Fitness	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	AND THE PARTY AND THE PARTY
Item Quantity:	1	and the second s
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	A CONTRACT OF
Total Findings:	2	
Finding 1		Finding 2
The item is loose in its found	ations - Reinstall item to secure	There is surface corrosion present on the item - Consider treating the item



#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Air Walker	
Fresh Air Fitness	
Bark Mulch	ALL ALL ALL
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N/A	
N/A	
1	and the second
	Fresh Air Fitness Bark Mulch 1 N/A

#### Finding 1

This item is satisfactory - no work required -

#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Pull Up Station	
Manufacturer:	Fresh Air Fitness	and the second sec
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	
Total Findings:	1	



# 10 - Low Risk Item: Bark Mulch Manufacturer: Unknown Surface Type: Bark Mulch Item Quantity: 1 Equipment Compliance: N/A Surface Area Compliance: N/A Total Findings: 1

#### Finding 1

The safety surface is low and the membrane is exposed also loose edging is creating trip points - Resecure the exposed membrane and top up the surface to the correct level repair edging

#### 4 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Wicker Den
Manufacturer:	Unknown
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch
Item Quantity:	1
Equipment Compliance:	N/A
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A
Total Findings:	1



#### Finding 1



#### 2 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Seat
Manufacturer:	Unknown
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch
Item Quantity:	1
Equipment Compliance:	N/A
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A

**Total Findings:** 



#### Finding 1

This item is satisfactory - no work required -

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#### 4 - Very Low Risk

4 - Very Low Risk		
Item: Manufacturer: Surface Type: Item Quantity: Equipment Compliance: Surface Area Compliance: Total Findings:	Log Climber Playdale Playgrounds Ltd Bark Mulch 1 N/A N/A	
Finding 1		



#### 🕥 5 - Very Low Risk

Item:	Train
Manufacturer:	Playdale Playgrounds Ltd
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch
Item Quantity:	1
Equipment Compliance:	N/A
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A
Total Findings:	1



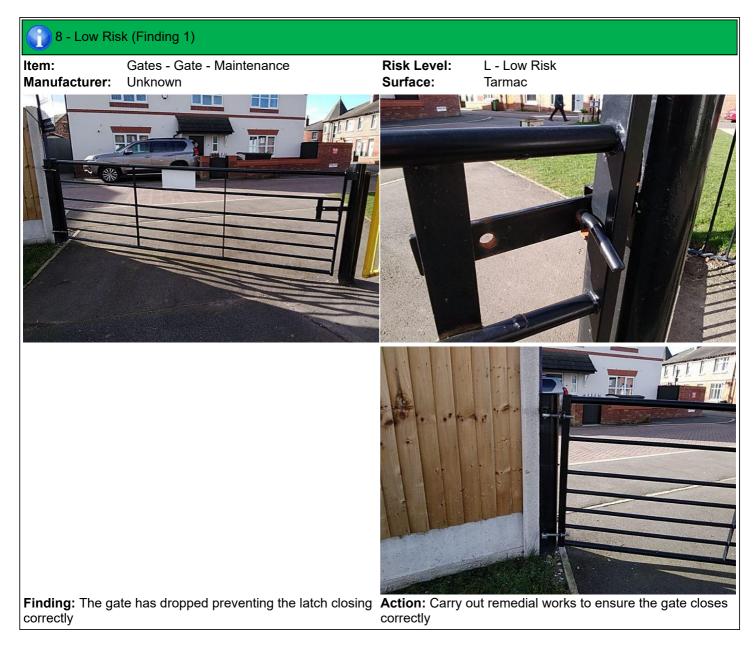
#### Finding 1

The timber has a number of splits/shakes or air cracks and this may affect the stability or allow water ingress which will accelerate the rotting process - Monitor to ensure the splits do not cross through fixing points of the structure and/or cause any instability

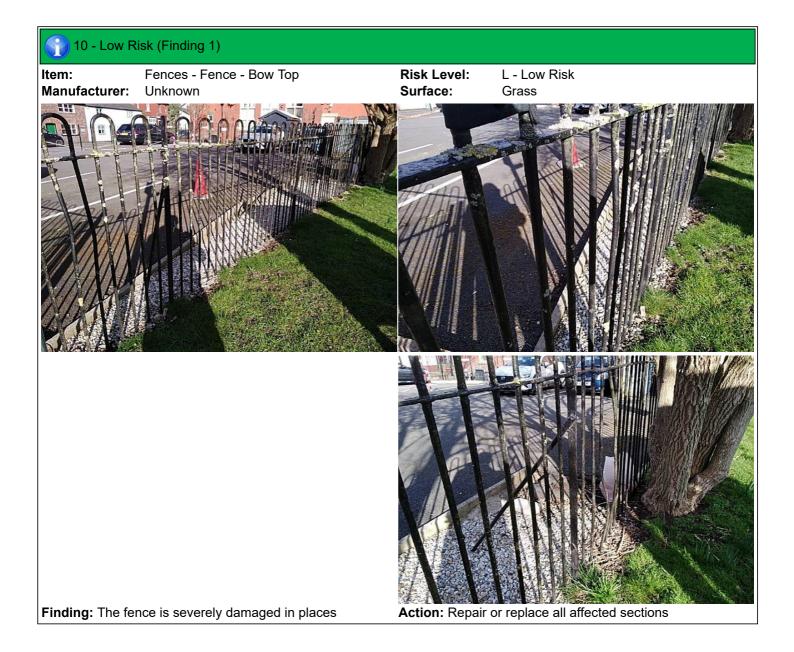
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Manufacturer:	Playdale Playgrounds Ltd	
Surface Type:	Bark Mulch	
Item Quantity:	1	
Equipment Compliance:	N/A	and the second
Surface Area Compliance:	N/A	And the second second
Total Findings:	1	



# **Findings information**



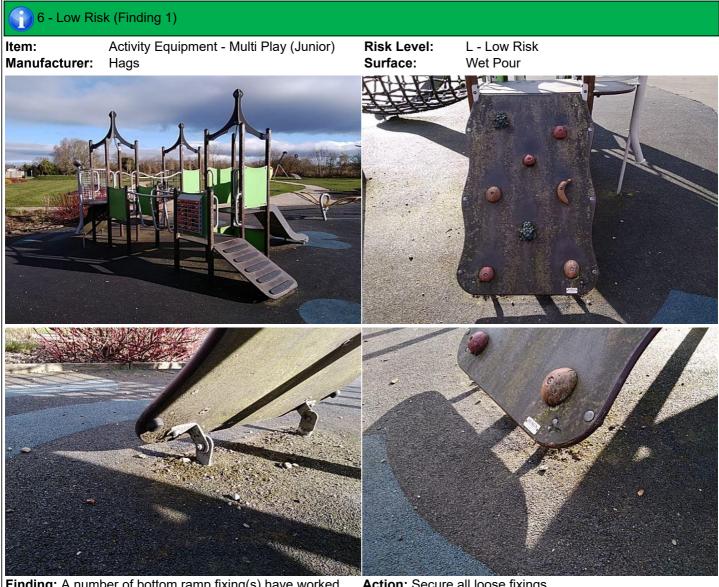






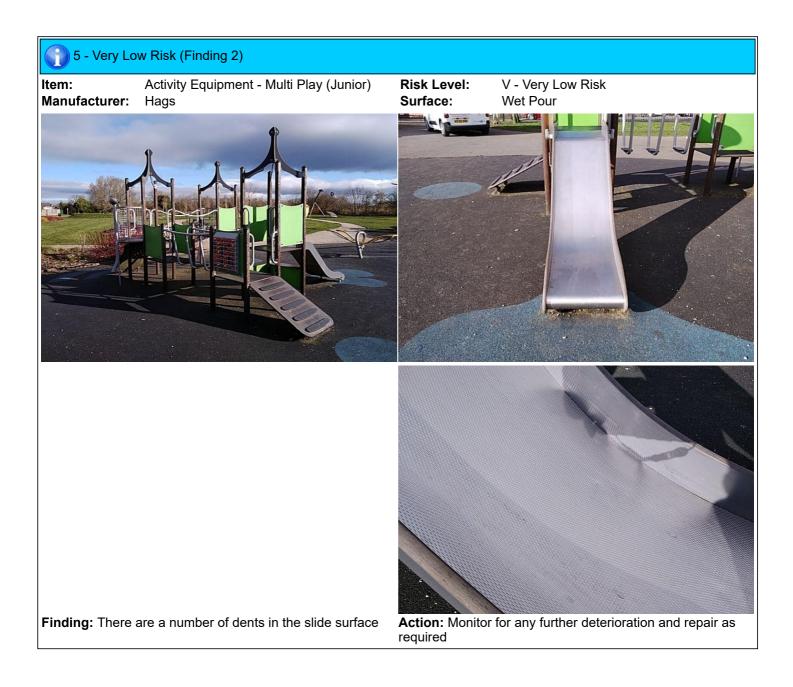
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	rmac surface has been dama		A repair as required





**Finding:** A number of bottom ramp fixing(s) have worked **Action:** Secure all loose fixings loose







# Δ 16 - High Risk (Finding 1) Rocking Equipment - Four Way Springer Risk Level: H - High Risk Item: Manufacturer: Surface: Wet Pour Hags Finding: A number of fixing(s) are missing missing or loose, Action: Replace/Secure all loose fixings and treat/paint unit

Finding: A number of fixing(s) are missing missing or loose, Action: Replace/Secure all loose fixings and treat/paint unit metalwork (Hazard tape applied customer on site made aware DO NOT ALLOW USE UNTIL REPAIRED)



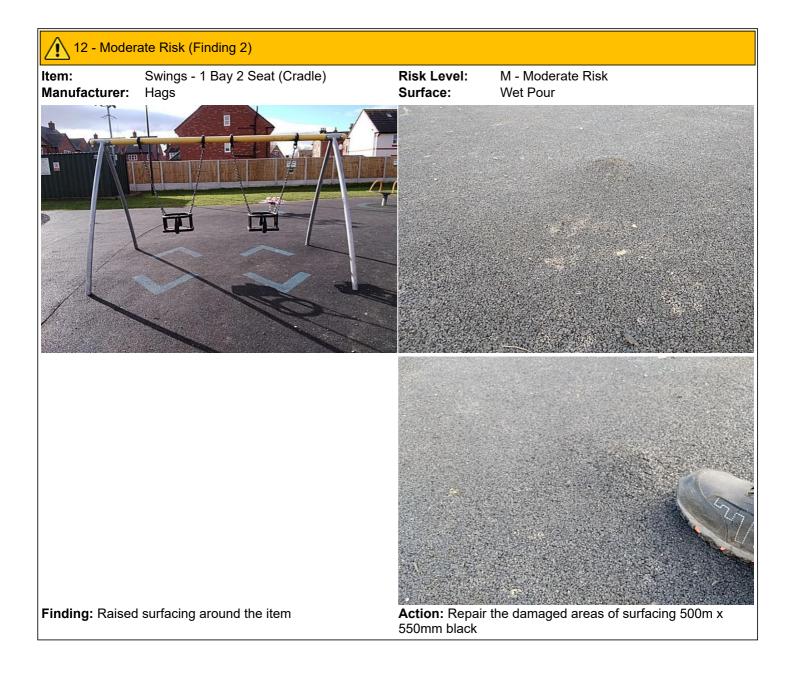


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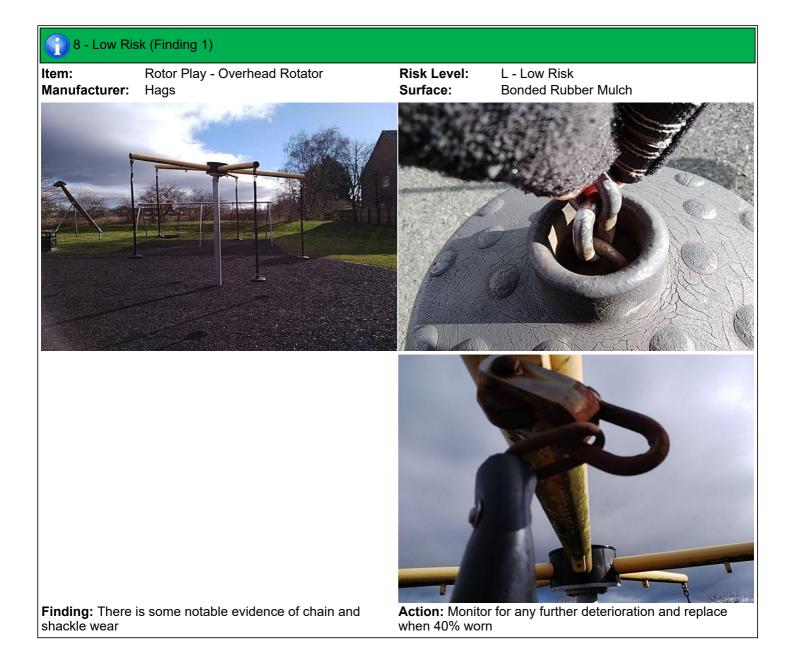




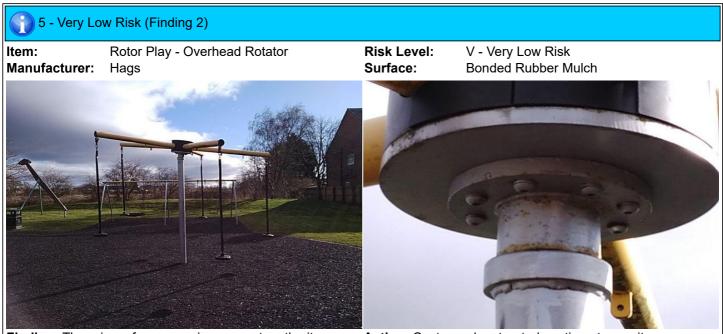








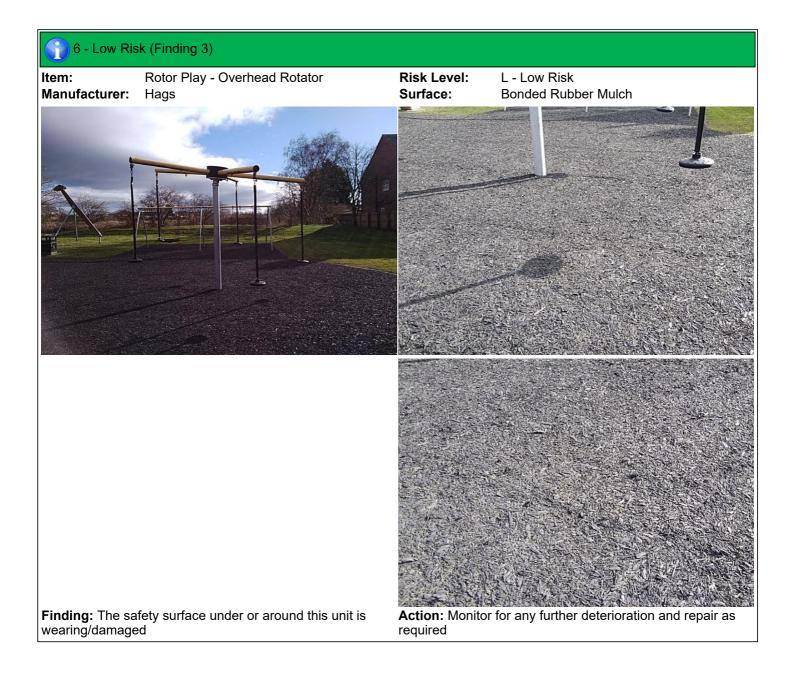




Finding: There is surface corrosion present on the item

Action: Customer has treated continue to monitor



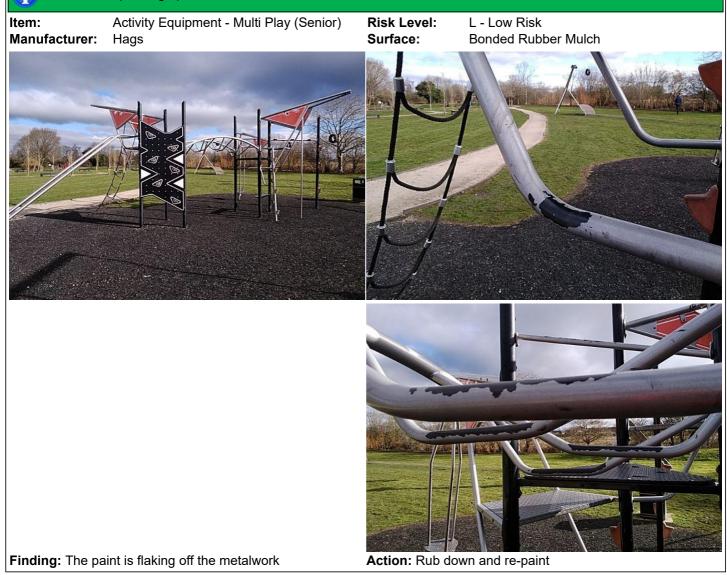




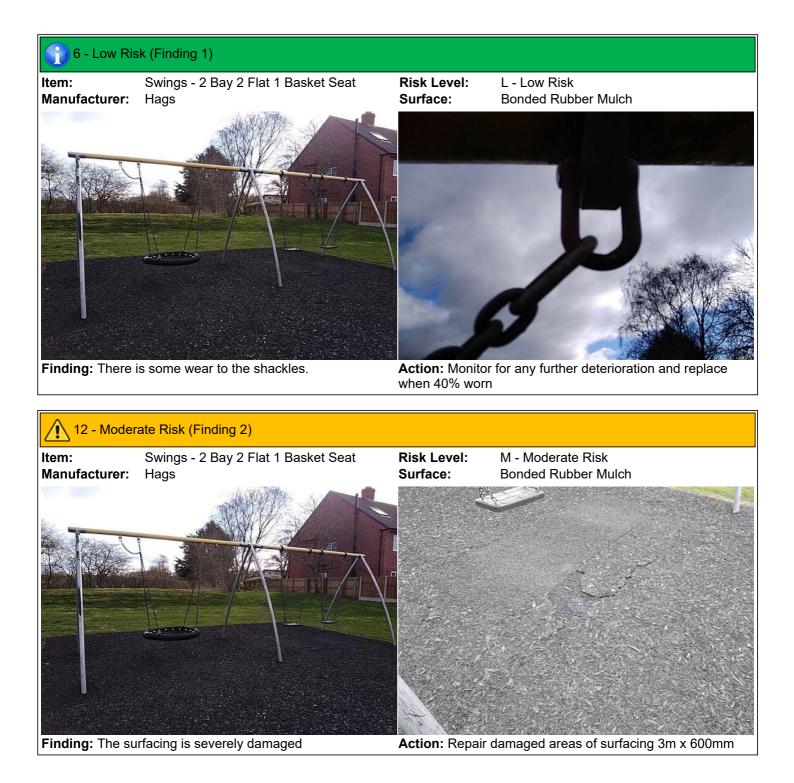
# 6 - Low Risk (Finding 1) ÷ Activity Equipment - Multi Play (Senior) **Risk Level:** L - Low Risk Item: Manufacturer: Surface: Bonded Rubber Mulch Hags Finding: A number of climbing wall fixing(s) have worked Action: Secure all loose fixings loose



#### 6 - Low Risk (Finding 2)



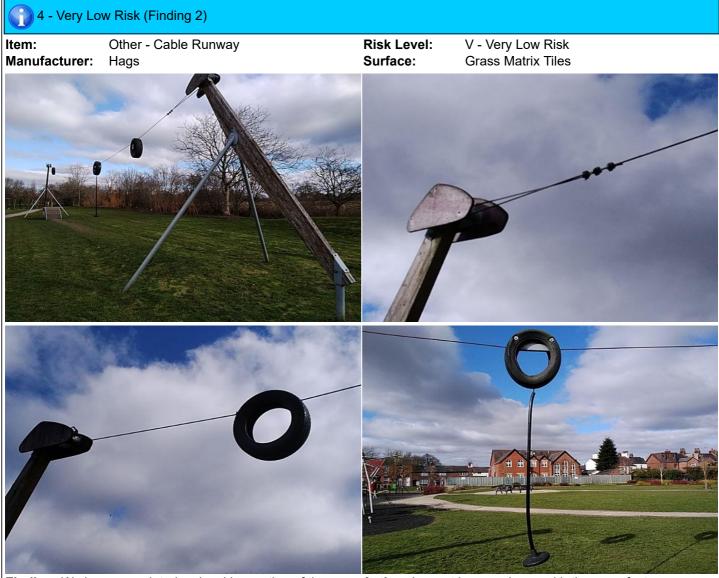








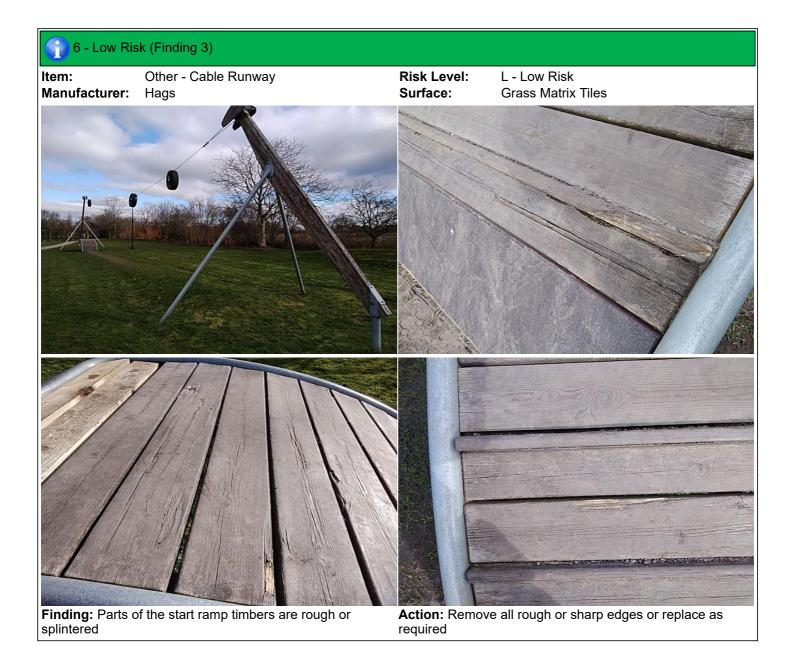




**Finding:** We have completed a visual inspection of the cable and fixing points from ground level, however it is not possible to fully inspect the cable and fixings without either hiring equipment to gain access or removing the cable and inspecting at ground level. We recommend that the main cable and fixing security is thoroughly inspected at least in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations to check for damage, security or internal rusting, this will help to ensure the continued safe use of the equipment

Action: Inspect in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations

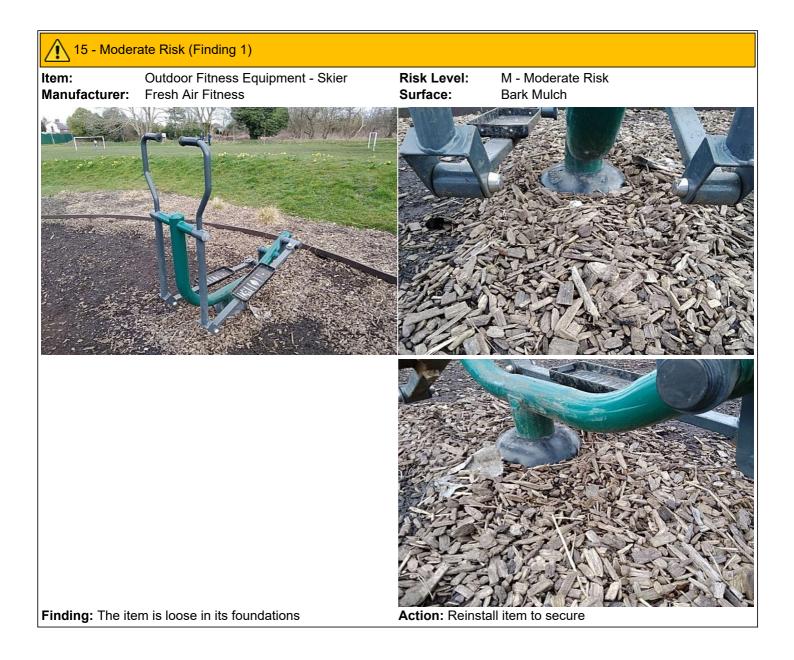




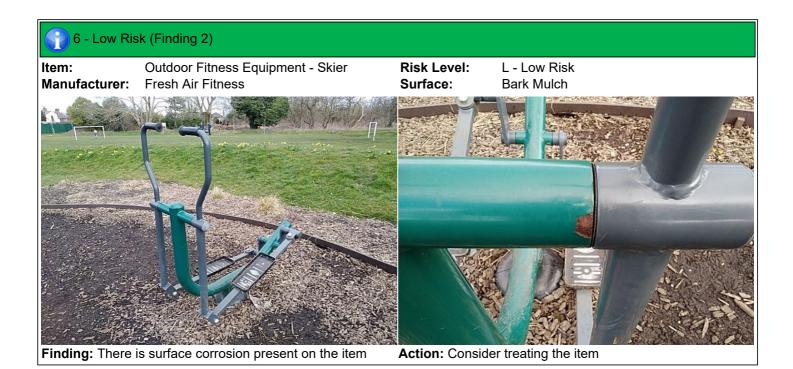






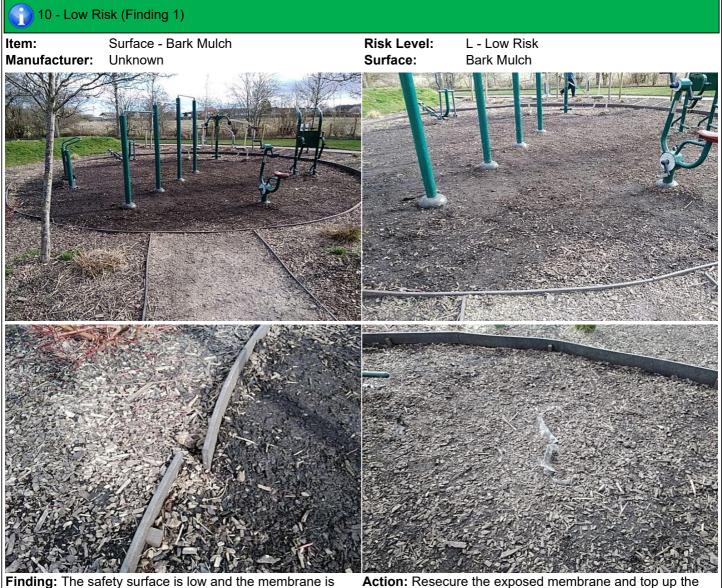






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exposed also loose edging is creating trip points

Action: Resecure the exposed membrane and top up the surface to the correct level repair edging



