

## RISK ASSESSMENT – FIESCH

<u>Hazard</u>	<u>Explanation</u>	<u>People at risk</u>	<u>Control measures</u>
Walk from accom to lift	Steepness of paths; crossing main roads; railway lines	All	Advise at intro talk
Altitude	Initial ascent in cable car	Unfit kids	Check at all at top of cable car
Nursery slopes upper	Uncontrolled skiers Incoming from 'Panorama'	All	Group management; small groups; point our hazards
T-bars on nursery slopes upper	Ensure LH t-bar is used by beginners	Novices	Instructor to guide novices into LH queue
Pistes	Off-piste areas may avalanche; Panorama	All	Keep on piste in resort area; 'Panorama' and 'Meadow'
Lunch-time play	Dangers around restaurant	High-spirited children	Designated adult to supervise interaction with other groups
Losing student	Students fail to get out at correct lift/chair station	Students	Instructors to brief students clearly to get out and stay at lift station and wait for collection; Instructor goes up last
Sunburn & dehydration	Area has micro-climate - lots of sun	All	Ensure all carry cream and apply regularly to exposed areas; ensure water taken at breakfast and luncheon
Fun Park	Half-pipe can be fast	All	Lower ability groups - avoid until control suitable; upper-ability - ski to groups' ability (assess first)
Weather conditions	If closed in at village, check local ski school for weather	All	Cable car not to be entered without supervision