

Cornerstone Vocational Training Ltd

Risk Assessment

Reference: K01

Title	Assemble interior units	Date Of Assessment	Tue 02 Sep 2025
Site	Wirral Training Centre	Location	70 Price Street
Risk Assessor	Brendan Bell	Assisted By	-
Non-Employees Involved	-	People At Risk	Visitors, Children & Young Persons, Service Users, Employees
Task Description	Assemble interior units		
Review Date	Tue 01 Sep 2026	Reviewer	Brendan Bell

Hazards

Hazard	Manual handling
Risk Of Harm	Units come in flat pack boxes and as a whole unit can be heavy. There is a danger of musculoskeletal injury through incorrect lifting techniques and crush injuries if dropped on feet/hands.
Existing Control Measures	1. When lifting and moving whole or part units, be sure to use the correct lifting aids 2 When moving or lifting part of units, ensure you use the correct manual handling techniques 3. Wear the correct foot protection in case items are dropped on toes

Hazard	Repetitive Movements
Risk Of Harm	Units are put together with screws in predrilled holes. Learners are asked to use a screwdriver to do this, which may cause repetitive strain injuries.
Existing Control Measures	1. Take regular breaks whilst screwing the units together

Hazard	Untrained workers
Risk Of Harm	All learners are deemed untrained workers when they first come in to the centre and start new activities. All are susceptible to injuring themselves with tools and resources they haven't used before
Existing Control Measures	1. Make sure all learners attend health & safety training once a week and all risks are pointed out and control measures discussed and monitored.