

## **APPENDIX E - Gear Inspection Review Document 2020**

The following recommendations from the Lifesaving Committee were tabled for discussion and adopted at July 2020 LSEC Meeting.

- 1. Severe Bleeding /Trauma Kits**
  - a. SurfGuard version to be made obsolete and adopt the SLSS version as the Standard
- 2. First Aid Kits**
  - a. (3) Resus Fac Mask required per kit in light of COVID environment
  - b. Disposable gloves to be standardised to just that – “Disposable Nitrile Examination Gloves”.
  - c. Non-Adherent wound dressing / pad to be standardised to “at least 10 of varying sizes”
- 3. First Aid Room**
  - a. OP Airway sizes to allow for varying colours
  - b. Non-Adherent wound dressing / pad to be standardised to “at least 10 of varying sizes”
  - c. Disposable gloves to be standardised to just that – “Disposable Nitrile Examination Gloves”.
  - d. “Adult and child Resuscitation mask
  - e. Resuscitation Chart showing checks. DRABCD Chart
  - f. Stock of Surgical Masks
- 4. Oxy-viva**
  - a. Inspection Checklist acceptable for soft, hard or Inhalo kits, depending on what the club uses for patrols
- 5. Radios**
  - a. 2 waterproof bags required for radios
  - b. Minimum of 4 Radios required
- 6. Suction Equipment**
  - a. Large catheters only required
- 7. Spinal Equipment to be removed**
- 8. Training Manikin**
  - a. Spare faces
  - b. Any approved cleaning wipes required to clean manikins
  - c. Spare Lung Bags
- 9. IRB**
  - a. Motors required to be started and run
  - b. Remove Compliance Plates from Checklist
- 10. Patrol Equipment**
  - a. Four (4) handheld radios in (2) waterproof bags (unless radios are waterproof
  - b. Whistle to be a personal item
  - c. Revise one (1) First Aid Bum Bag to three (3) due to COVID
  - d. Remove listing “ 1 x pair of Signal Flags” as this duplicates “2 x Signal Flags (orange with Blue Stripe)
  - e. Loud Hailer / PA required
  - f. SLSNSW SOP required at club
  - g. POM hard copy required for Patrol
  - h. E-PC Flipbook acceptable if can be shown to be downloaded on phone / tablet
  - i. Patrol Log Books – still required

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Review conducted by Area Lifesaving Coordinators and Manager Lifesaving 2020