



Drumoghill FC – Child Safeguarding Risk Assessment

This Risk Assessment has been carried out in accordance with the **Children First Act 2015** and the **FAI Child Welfare & Safeguarding Policy**. It identifies potential risks of harm to children and outlines the control measures in place to manage those risks.

Potential Risk	Who is at Risk?	Control Measures / Procedures in Place
Physical injury during training or matches	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Qualified coaches• Age-appropriate training• Safe equipment and facilities• Supervision at all times
Inappropriate behaviour by adults	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Garda vetting• Codes of Conduct• Safeguarding training• Clear reporting procedures
Bullying or peer-to-peer abuse	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anti-bullying policy• Coach supervision• Reporting procedures
Travel to matches or events	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parental consent• Adequate supervision• FAI travel guidelines followed

Online / social media communication	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Club communication rules• No private messaging• Parental oversight
Changing rooms & facilities	Players under 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supervision policy• Respect for privacy• Separate facilities where possible

Review & Sign-Off

Completed on: **16 January 2026**
Next review due: **16 January 2028**

Chairperson: Brendan O'Donnell
Child Welfare Officer (CWO): Kevin Higgins

Signed (Chairperson):
Signed (CWO):
Date:

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