

Beach Safety Scenario

It is the school holidays! You and your two friends are going to the beach with your friend's mum and younger sister (3 years old). You have entered the water with your two friends onto the sandbar away from the red and yellow flags. After body surfing for about 20 minutes; an unexpected wave has carried your friend into a rip current. Your friend is scared and tries to swim back to shore. He is starting to get very tired.



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What are the risks in bringing the person to safety?

Once the victim is safe, what will be the next thing you will do?

How could this event be prevented?

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Wharf Safety Scenario

Your cousins have come from inland NSW to spend some time with the family. You all decide to go down to the local wharf to jump off as it is a hot day and it is fun to do. Your cousin can not swim very well. It had been raining for a few days so it was not clear. The group tells your cousin to jump off and the oldest cousin will catch him. This happened well for a few times. Another cousin said he would catch the youngest cousin when she jumped off the wharf. The youngest cousin jumped but she slipped under the water and did not come back up.



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River Safety Scenario

You and your brother decide to meet some friends at the swimming spot on the river to swing off the rope into the water. To get back up from the river you must climb up the steep banks which are lined with dead wood. When your brother's friend swims back to the riverbank, he gets his leg stuck under some deadwood. He just has enough of his head above water to keep breathing. There is not mobile phone reception at the swimming spot.



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Your family is visiting the patrolled beach today. We have decided to go for a walk on the rock platforms to explore the rock pools. Your mum told you and your little sister not to pick anything up out of the rock pools. Your little sister sees a pretty, orange octopus with blue rings and decides to give it a pat. She gets bitten. The bite did not hurt that much but she starts to feel numb around the face and cannot breathe very well.



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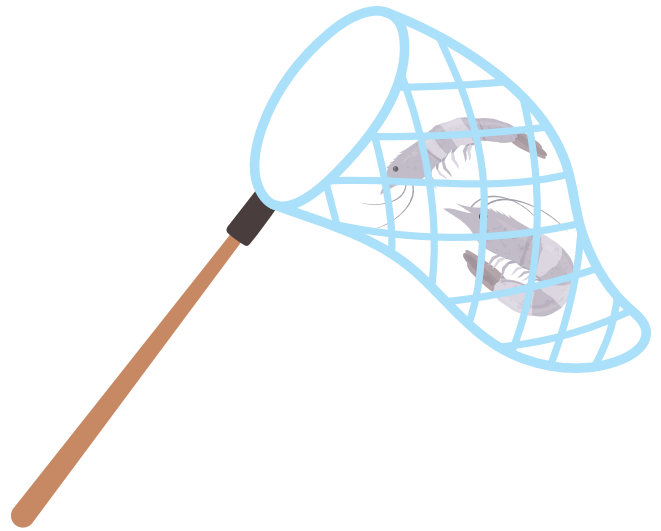
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Tonight is a full moon and the tide is exactly right for prawning (collecting prawns to eat for lunch tomorrow). There are a few other families around prawning too. To get to the right spot you must climb over mossy rocks. Your grandfather slips on the mossy rocks and hurts his leg. He cannot get up as it hurts too much. The tide current is getting stronger and you are at risk of being pulled into the deeper water.



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