Inspection of Vehicles

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Activity	What are the hazards?	Who might be affected?	Initial Risk Level			Control Measures	Controlled Risk Level		
			Severity	Likelihood	Risk Level		Severity	Likelihood	Risk Level
Following/stopping vehicle	 Traffic Road hazards 	Staff	3	2	6	 Officers must obey the highway code at all times Maintain awareness of surroundings and other road users Stop the vehicle in a safe and suitable location Dynamically risk assess environment for suitability of stopping vehicle and abort if deemed unsafe 	3	1	3
Searching of vehicle	 Hostility from driver Environmental hazards e.g. traffic Working in a chilled environment Slips and trips Falling from vehicle 	Staff	3	2	6	 Searches must be carried out in the presence of at least two officers Officers must always carry a mobile phone Conflict management if hostility occurs Wear appropriate PPE at all times Wear body cameras if practicable Conduct search in a suitable and safe surrounding Conduct search in the presence of a CCTV camera where practicable Dynamically risk assess environment for suitability of search and abort search if deemed unsafe Allow occupant to enter refrigerated holds before proceeding with inspection Make sure refrigeration doors are not closed behind you 	3	1	3
Inspection of catch	Bites and cuts	Staff	2	3	6	Appropriate handling techniques of	2	1	2
	 Infections and 					catch			





diseases	Wearing appropriate PPE at all times
Injuries from lifting	including gloves
heavy objects	If injury occurs clean wound and apply
	dressing as soon as possible
	Conduct inspection in a suitable, clear
	area
	Use assistance from other officers
	when necessary
	Wash hands at earliest opportunity
	after handling
	Cover any cuts or abrasions

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