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## Induction Procedures

### *New members*

The first session will include a discussion of safety including kit, lifting, carrying, launching and capsize drill.

Members should also be made aware of the equality & diversity policy, code of conduct, and other policies available via the club website.

Coaches will have been provided details from the membership forms but will also check with individual paddlers whether they have any medical conditions or medication which could impact on their paddling.

### *New coaches*

Any newly qualified coach will spend at least one season assisting other more experienced coaches before teaching independently.

If qualified and with reasonable experience but new to the club they will spend time with other coaches becoming familiar with club policies, equipment and paddling areas.