

Safety Chair Report 01/20/16

As of this report I have had 5 ROO submitted from Late Nov-today.

2-accidents at dryland

1-slip/trip/fall in lockerroom

2-injuries at meets entering/exiting the pool. (both minor cuts)

With that in mind coaches should be aware that Reports of Occurrence need to be filed in any situation when first aid is given. Just a reminder that for meets in Wisconsin if a ROO is filed it must be reported to WI swimming Safety Chair.

Link to article about Dartmouth Swimmers Death from Shallow Water Blackout.

<http://abcnews.go.com/Health/elite-swimmer-tate-ramsdens-death-spotlights-dangers-shallow/story?id=35991838>

Important for coaches and swimmers to know dangers of this type of activity.

Respectfully Submitted,

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