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## Review playground safety

Falls are the primary cause of a concussion or TBI.

In children, 37% of fall-related hospitalisations happen on playgrounds.

Reduce the risks on your playground by reviewing the:

- quality and quantity of soft-surfacing materials to a safe depth
- maintenance schedule of playground equipment
- consistent implementation of your active supervision.

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