



Incident: Ankle injury stepping ashore from Merrilyn Location: Poole Date: August 2022

Summary of incident:

Mate stepped ashore to take lines on Poole Town Quay. Step was going right, suddenly changed direction to the left, but momentum of body continued to the right, ankle rolled and cracked.

Skipper checked Mate was ok whilst boat was fully secured with all mooring lines. Once secured, sent WL to get ice and applied. Immediate swelling to ankle dictated visit to A&E

What led to the incident?

It was a freak accident

Was it avoidable?

The incident could have happened anywhere at any time, and it was not related to any evolutions that were taking place.

Key lessons learned:

None.

Key recommendations:

None.