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Summer Season

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Following the recommendations from the CDC, American Camping Association, YUSA, Association of Camp Nurses, and the State of Maine's COVID19 Preventative Checklist for Overnight Summer Camps, we are operating our New England Sports Camps programs under the following policy changes to ensure the safety of our campers, staff, and community. If guidance changes we will update our policies and continue to follow recommended best practices.

The following Camps will be operating as scheduled; Karate, Softball, July 18-23 Baseball, Premier Baseball, Field Hockey, Swim, and Football. Lacrosse is now July 11-16. To safely administer these programs the following policy changes are required.

## • Limited number of people joining and leaving each program:

- No visitors after check in and before check out.
- Essential staff only coming and going from campus, limited as much as possible.
- Maximum of 10 campers per cabin as opposed to our normal 20:
  - We will do our best to honor parents' bunk mate requests.
  - o Siblings or youth coming from the same household can bunk closer together.

#### The State allows the following for our one week sessions:

- Limit camper participation to Maine youth AND out-of-state youth who have followed the State guidance for quarantine and testing. All out-of-state youth must get tested for COVID19 within 72 hour of arriving at Camp and provide proof of a negative COVID19 test at check in. Parents or Guardians accompanying youth to check in and check out are expected to follow State guidance for quarantining and testing as well.
- Limit staff to Maine residents or out-of-state residents that successfully complete quarantine prior to starting employment.
- Cabin Groups: Campers and cabin counselors bunking together a will be considered a Cabin Group, will stay together throughout the week, and when they gather with other cabin groups will be masked and socially distanced as much as possible.
  - Cabin Groups are considered the same as Family Groups under the current guidance campers and staff within their Cabin Group do not have to wear masks or social distance unless mixing with other Cabin Groups.
  - o Practice and skill session groups will be the same as Cabin Groups.
  - Campers will eat meals with their Cabin Group.

## Limited gatherings during Sunday Check In and Friday Check Out:

- Assigned check in times on Sunday.
  - You must wait in your car until assigned check in time.
  - Only one adult may accompany the camper throughout the check in process.
- Wait in your car for check out.



- Staff will walk your child (and belongings) to your car.
- Sign out your camper at your vehicle.
- Only Staff and Campers are allowed in the cabins.

# Practicing social distancing and increased attention to good hygiene:

- All adults, including staff, must wear masks during check in and check out.
- o All staff must wear masks when physical distancing is not possible.
- Additional handwashing stations and hand sanitizer dispensers have been installed throughout camp.
- Campers must shower every day.
- o Campers' bunks will be spaced further apart in cabins.
- Campers may not share belongings and will be expected to keep belongings within their allocated space.

### • Monitoring each camper's and staff person's health throughout the week:

- Campers and staff must complete a pre-arrival self-screening tool at least 7 days prior to their arrival at camp (due at check in).
- Screening questions at check in
  - Have you traveled out of state in the last 14 days, arrived from a country with ongoing COVID-19 transmission, or been on a cruise ship or river boat?
  - Do you have a fever, cough or shortness of breath?
  - Have you been in direct contact with anyone diagnosed with COVID-19 or being tested for COVID-19?
- Temperatures will be taken at check in.
- Temperatures will be taken every morning.
- o If a camper or staff present with a body temperature of 100.4 Fahrenheit or higher, or display any other COVID-19 symptoms as defined by the CDC, our camp medical professional will:
  - Immediately isolate that person from others and screen for symptoms. If symptoms are confirmed, the person will be issued a mask to prevent transmission of droplets and sent home.

## • Increasing frequency of sanitation of equipment and facilities:

- Clean and disinfect high touch surfaces daily at minimum.
- Clean equipment after each Cabin Group use.
- Meals will be served by staff.

Thank you for your patience,

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