



Return to Play Guidance for Teams & Spectators

Effective August 3, 2020

Personal Protective Equipment

- ◆ **Face masks/coverings are required for entry at Lexington County Recreation facilities.**
- ◆ Spectators must wear face coverings at all times when feasible.
- ◆ Players are expected to wear face coverings when not actively participating on the field/court of play.
- ◆ Coaches are required to wear face coverings when feasible.
- ◆ Umpires/Officials are encouraged to wear face coverings during the game. When possible, Umpires/Officials should maintain physical distance and limit one coach from each team to attend pre-game meetings. Umpires and officials will be recommended to wear a glove to handle all game balls
- ◆ Umpires/Officials are encouraged to dress out prior to arrival.
- ◆ Umpires/Officials are encouraged to bring their own personal water bottle.
- ◆ 6 FT Social Distancing markings will be throughout the complex (Concessions, Restrooms, etc.)
- ◆ Teams and Spectators are encouraged to bring antibacterial wipes and hand sanitizer to use throughout the event.
- ◆ If available, Concession will be following DHEC safety guidelines.
- ◆ Commonly used areas and surfaces such as restrooms, doors, handrails, etc. will be disinfected regularly.

Facility Entrance & Exit Procedures

- ◆ Where possible, Entrance and Exit pathways will be designated to encourage social distancing.

Social Distancing for TEAMS

- ◆ Players are discouraged from sharing equipment, spitting, licking fingers, etc.
(NO Sunflower Seeds or Gum)
- ◆ Players should bring their own personal water bottle **(NO SHARING)**.
- ◆ Teams are encouraged to sanitize hard surfaces and high touch points when arriving for their game and at the end of the game.
- ◆ At completion of the game and sanitizing their area, teams are encouraged to exit the complex immediately.
- ◆ Game times will be staggered to help insure social distancing.
- ◆ Teams are responsible for removing trash and equipment from bench area after play.
- ◆ NO ON-FIELD AWARD CEREMONIES OR PRESENTATIONS.
- ◆ NO POST-GAME TEAM HANDSHAKES, FIST BUMPS, OR MEETINGS.

Social Distancing for SPECTATORS

- ◆ Spectators are encouraged to bring personal chairs if bleacher seating is non-desirable.
- ◆ At completion of the game, spectators are encouraged to exit the complex immediately.
- ◆ Tents are permitted where feasible, but need to be taken down at the completion of each game.
- ◆ Coaches, players, parents, and patrons are required to practice responsible social distancing when and where possible, especially in common areas (i.e. spectator seating, dugouts, and player benches).

Covid-19 Positive Test Procedure/Requirements

- ◆ Any player or coach who exhibits Covid-19 signs or symptoms must be Quarantine until cleared by a doctor.
- ◆ Any player or coach who test positive for Covid-19 will be required to Quarantine for 14 days or until they cleared by a doctor.
- ◆ Any team that has a player or Coach test positive for Covid-19 will be required to Quarantine for 14 days. This will mean no in person practices or gatherings for the team or group.
- ◆ Any player or coach that has a household member test positive for Covid-19, the player or coach will need to be Quarantine until cleared by a Doctor.

Everyone is encouraged to follow and adhere to Accelerate SC Guidelines and Recommendations