

Facility & Equipment Checklist

The advice of your relevant State and Local authority must be considered when implementing this guide.

Any person displaying respiratory symptoms (no matter how mild) such as cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, runny nose etc or fever or gastrointestinal symptoms (eg diarrhea or vomiting) or loss of smell and/or taste or flu like symptoms such as muscle aches or fatigue or other possible signs of COVID 19, who has travelled internationally or been in direct contact with a known case in the last 14 days must not attend clubs or training and should seek medical advice

GENERAL:

- Are you able to nominate a COVID-19 Safety Coordinator?
 - The COVID-19 Safety Coordinator should ensure that their organisation review the Checklist as it contains a range of critical considerations that all sporting organisations should take into account in determining their return to sport arrangements. Click [HERE](#) for the full Checklist
- Advise members to download the COVIDSAFE APP.
- Does your facility have visible and accessible COVID-19 guidelines?
- Recommended all members to receive the Fluvax (influenza vaccination).
- Pre-return screening of any members that have had COVID-19 by their doctor using a multidisciplinary specialist assessment approach.
- Vulnerable group caution:** Athletes/other personnel with concurrent medical conditions including; respiratory or cardiac disease, hypertension, diabetes, obesity and immunosuppression due to disease or medication may be at increased risk. Other groups that require special consideration include; individuals over 70 years of age, carers for or a household contact of a

vulnerable person, athletes with suboptimal access to medical care (e.g. remote) and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities

- Identified an unwell participant/attendee area that isolates the affected person until their departure.
- Identify any members who have been in contact with COVID-19
- Have a communications process in place for confirmed cases.
- Set up contactless payment options.

FACILITY:

- Do you have access to your facility for the duration of the season?
- Have you updated your risk management plan in line with COVID-19 restrictions?
- Is your facility open for training, matches and club events?
- Develop a plan to manage your facilities training/playing time-table to minimise the number of people/teams onsite at any one time.
- Avoid cross-over of teams/age groups.
- Is there a cleaning and hygiene plan in place for the duration of the season:
 - Provide hand sanitiser in high use, visible areas (Note: Hand sanitiser does not work if there is dirt/grease on hands)
 - Dressing Sheds - use multiple rooms where possible, consider setting time-limits, encourage all teams to arrive dressed ready to play ('Get in, play, get out')
 - Meeting Rooms
 - Storage Rooms
 - Public bathrooms

- Canteen or food preparation areas. Click [HERE](#) for more information
- All other high touch surfaces
- Facility Entries and Exits - do you have the ability to place information and guidelines in place for all attendees at training, matches and club events?
- Are you able to create 'One Way' Entry and Exit flows?
- Can you mark the floor at 1.5m intervals in potential areas where lines may form?
- Does your facility provide adequate space to meet government guidelines relating to 1.5 metre physical distancing?
 - Thoroughfares
 - Carparks
 - Spectator areas (close off areas as needed)
 - Official zones
 - Canteen or food preparation areas

FIELDS & PLAYING SURFACES:

- Will your playing/training surfaces be in a condition to host training and matches for the duration of the season?
- Can you manage your training/playing fields time-table to maximise the available space and minimise the number of people/teams onsite at any one time?
- Avoid cross-over of teams/age groups.

Do you have a cleaning and hygiene plan for the equipment used on the playing surface:

- Post Pads

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- Will your official's areas for matches meet government guidelines relating to 1.5-meter physical distancing (When not Playing):
- Scoring/management tables
 - Coach and Trainer boxes
 - Players seating areas

TRAINING EQUIPMENT:

- Do you have a cleaning and hygiene plan for the equipment used for each team:
- Markers or corner posts
 - Training Bibs or apparel cannot be shared unless washed between individual usage
 - Tackle bags or pads
 - Footballs
 - Agility equipment
 - NO sharing of water bottles/drinks etc, same applies to lip balm, towels, toiletries etc.