



ACC RECOMMENDED COVID 19 SPORT SAFETY PROCEDURES: PHASE 4 – AS AT 27 June 2020

INFORMATION - FOR EXTERNAL SPORTING OFFICIALS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS

BEFORE ARRIVAL

- Read and familiarize yourself with the ACC and WA Gov *COVID Safety Guidelines – Sport and Recreation (Phase 4, 27 June 2020)*.
 - ACC Guidelines: <https://www.accsport.asn.au/node/6051>
 - WA Gov Guidelines:
 - http://www.wa.gov.au/sites/default/files/2020-06/COVID-Safety-Guidelines-Phase-4-Sport-and-Recreation_0.pdf
- **If you are unwell and are suffering from a fever or flu like symptoms – stay home DO NOT ATTEND.** But notify the school or booking agency as early as possible.
- Notify the school or agency you have been engaged with immediately if you.
 - Are confirmed as having COVID-19, or are getting tested for COVID-19, or have COVID-19 symptoms, or have been in direct contact in the last 14 days with a person that is a confirmed/suspected COVID19 case?
 - In any of the above cases you SHOULD NOT attend the event.
- Find out where and if there is a COVID-19 checkpoint area at the school or venue before you arrive.
- Be aware of any specific COVID-19 restrictions or rules specific to the sport you are officiating.
- Set up cashless payment with the school or agency.
- Carry a mobile device with the COVID19Safe app installed and Bluetooth turned on. Use of the app is voluntary, but the app will help health officials to quickly contact people who may have been exposed to COVID19.

UPON ARRIVAL

- External providers at ACC school sport (officials, coaching, first aid) coming into the school or venue must be cleared by the school to assist with the conduct of any sporting activities and agree to comply with the following COVID19 infection control procedures:
 - Upon arrival at the school or venue, sign in at the designated COVID-19 check point or report to the Head of Sport or teacher in charge at the venue.
 - Provide your contact details: If the school asks to record your contact details for tracing purposes you must comply. In Phase 4 it is no longer a requirement that the school records your contact details for COVID-19 tracing purposes. However, it is still considered best practice and some schools and associations may still maintain record keeping.
 - If required by the school, complete a COVID19 screening questionnaire or checklist.
 1. *Have you had any symptoms of respiratory infection; fever, cough, sore throat, runny nose, difficulty breathing?*
 2. *Have you travelled overseas within the last 14 days?*
 3. *Have you had direct contact in the last 14 days with any person that is a confirmed/suspected COVID19 case?*

- *If you answered YES to any of the above questions then you will not be permitted to enter the school or venue to officiate or provide a service.*
4. *Do you agree to implement and support the following infection control procedures; within the practical constraints of the sporting activity, the playing environment, COVID19 restrictions and your role?*

YES or NO

- *If you answered NO to the above question then you may not be permitted to enter the school or venue. Please discuss your concerns or ability to comply with the School Head of Sport, home team Coach or booking agency.*

INFECTION CONTROL PROCEDURES – EXTERNAL PROVIDERS as at 27 June 2020 – dependent on COVID19 restrictions at the time/date of the activity

- First Aid Officers to work in a designated space; vehicle (van or ambulance), marquee, room or roped off area. PPE to be worn (gloves and surgical masks).
- Hand hygiene – alcohol based hand sanitisers to be used on arrival at the venue and/or before the start of play, during the main break and after the game.
- Cover coughs/sneezes and avoid touching your face.
- Check with the teachers/coaches that equipment cleaning/disinfectant routines are in place for match balls and other game equipment after use.
- Do not allow traditional physical greeting contact between players and coaches:
 - No hand shaking, hugging and high fives
 - No body contact between players during goal celebrations
 - No pre or post game hand shake. To be replaced with three cheers for the opposition before and after the game
 - No team huddles within 1.5m per person.
- Where possible, maintain physical distancing separation of;
 - 1.5m between people off the playing area and,
 - Maintain 2sqm per person at the venue/playing zone.
 - Ensure that other groups and matches are adequately separated.
 - Ensure any sport specific game play COVID19 restrictions and rules are enforced.
- No physical contact between officials and staff or students is permitted at any time, except in cases of emergency and medical/injury management.
- Avoid receiving cash payments on game day and use bank transfer instead.
- Work autonomously as much as possible without the need to have close contact with staff or students.
- Stay in the allocated game area. Do not go to other public areas. ***Only designated toilets to be used – no use of school change rooms***
- Bring your own water bottle and drinks. Do not share water bottles and drinking containers. Do not use public water fountains.
- Keep your school visit as brief as possible and do not extend your visit unnecessarily - **get in and get out!**

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