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WYSA Updates | Fall 2021 COVID Protocols

As we complete final preparations for fall, COVID case numbers are also up. It is important for clubs to be aware of the situation in their local area and implementing protocols consistent with those numbers and any local orders. Please see below for key requirements and recommended COVID Protocols for fall 2021.

Key requirements of clubs:

1. Clubs must comply with local health orders. Requirements related to masking, capacity limits, and duration of quarantine are dictated by the health department and/or a local health order. Be sure your club is operating in accordance with the current local requirement. Teams traveling for competitions outside of their area are expected to comply with the order in the area they are visiting. Local health orders supersede guidance from WYSA.
2. Follow [CDC Recommendations](#) for quarantine and return to activity guidance.
3. Continue to collect the [Communicable Disease Waiver](#) from every participant.

Clubs are also encouraged to continue mitigation protocols implemented last year:

1. Hygiene policies
2. Cleaning standards
3. Protective measures (i.e., social distancing, attendance tracking, masking, scheduling patterns, etc.)

Please refer to the CDC definition of [close contact](#). In the event of a positive case in your club, it is the responsibility of the club to determine who qualifies as a close contact and notify them of the exposure.

WYSA will provide updates to this guidance if there are significant changes as the season progresses. Contact Melissa Zielinski with any questions.

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