



COVID -19 GUIDELINES

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In accordance with the Ohio Department of Health Director's Order for Social Distancing, Facial Coverings and Non-Congregating, the following Guidelines must be followed in all Chiller facilities:

▪ **Facial Coverings (Masks).**

Except as provided herein, all individuals, in the State of Ohio shall wear facial coverings at all times when:

- In any indoor location that is not a residence; or
- Outdoors and unable to consistently maintain a distance of six feet or more from individuals who are not members of their family/household.

The requirement to wear a facial covering **does not apply** when:

- The individual is under ten years of age;
- The individual is fully vaccinated: 2 weeks has passed since their final dose of a CDC approved vaccine
- A medical condition including those with respiratory conditions that restrict breathing, mental health conditions, or disability contraindicates the wearing of a facial covering;
- The individual is communicating or seeking to communicate with someone who is hearing-impaired or has another disability, where the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication;
- The individual is alone in an enclosed space, such as an office, or in lieu of an enclosed space, the individual is separated by at least six feet in all directions from all other individuals, and, in either case, the space is not intended for use or access by the public;

- The individual is actively skating on the ice;
 - The individual is seated and actively consuming food or beverage.
- **Congregating.**
 - Unless fully vaccinated, individuals must avoid gathering in groups and attempt at all times to maintain social distancing. When gathered together, individuals should be in a group of no more than ten individuals that is separated from other groups by at least six feet. R e g a r d l e s s o f v a c c i n a t i o n s t a t u s , each individual should perform a daily health assessment and stay home if he/she has a fever, cough, or other signs of possible COVID-19.
- **Social Distancing Requirements.**
 - Unless fully vaccinated, Social Distancing Requirements include maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from other individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces, and not shaking hands.
- **Sanitation.**
 - Hand washing or sanitization should be done upon entry to all Chiller facilities.
 - Chiller facilities all have sanitizer products that meet the CDC guidelines available throughout the buildings for employees and guests.
 - Chiller staff members routinely engage in disinfection of high-contact surfaces, desk workstations, restrooms, and equipment.
- **Large gatherings.**
 - The Chiller has reduced allowable attendance for many programs. Organizers renting ice for larger events at the Chiller must work with Chiller staff to conduct events in a manner that discourages individuals who are not fully vaccinated from standing or sitting close together in buildings or on other parts of the grounds or premises. Where possible, one-way traffic will be provided in buildings or other areas, where doing so will help people maintain social distancing.
- **Exhibitions, games, competitions, and tournaments.**
 - Participants, spectators, referees, coaches and judges shall, when possible, maintain a distance of six feet between each other.
 - Family members of the participants shall have priority in viewing areas.
 - Each family should group together in the viewing area, and there should be six feet between families.
 - Microphones and scorekeeping equipment shall be sanitized after each person's use.

- **Fixed Seating.**
 - The maximum number of spectators permitted to be in attendance at an indoor facility with fixed seating shall be twenty-five percent of the capacity of the facility with fixed seating.
 - Unless the parties are all fully vaccinated, a distance of six feet should be maintained between seated spectators with groups of no more than ten people seated together.

- **Signage.**
 - The Chiller has clearly posted visible signage requiring all persons entering, who are not fully vaccinated, to wear a facial covering. The text states that all persons who are not fully vaccinated are required to wear a facial covering and engage in social distancing at all times in or on the grounds or premises.

- **Confirmed Cases.**
 - Immediately isolate and seek medical care for any individual who develops symptoms.
 - Contact the local health district about suspected cases or exposure.
 - Organizers must maintain a complete list of coaches, players, and employees present at each event to include the date, beginning and ending time of the event. Organizers should keep names, addresses, and phone contact information to be made available upon request from the local health district.
 - It is recommended that, if possible, Organizers be prepared to work with the local health department to identify potentially infected or exposed individuals to help facilitate effective contact tracing/notifications.
 - It is recommended that, if possible, once testing is readily available, all suspected infections or exposures be tested.
 - It is recommended that, if possible, following testing, the local health department should be contacted to initiate appropriate care and tracing.

- **Quarantine after Exposure:**
 - **Vaccinated people (all ages):**
 - In accordance with guidance from the CDC, anyone who is fully vaccinated (two weeks after second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna COVID-19 or two weeks after the single-dose Johnson & Johnson Janssen COVID-19 vaccine) and has been exposed to someone with COVID-19, is **not** required to quarantine or get tested unless they have symptoms.

 - **Unvaccinated students, players, coaches, officials or other individuals:**
 - People who had close contact (within 6 feet of an infected individual for at least 15 minutes) or who had direct physical contact with the person (e.g. who were coughed on or sneezed on by the infected person) should

quarantine for 14 days. In the event an unvaccinated person remains asymptomatic, he/she may consider stopping quarantine as follows:

- After 10 days without testing;
- After 7 days after receiving a negative test result (test must occur on day 5 or later)
- If you live or work in a nursing home or a long term care facility, you shall quarantine in accordance with CDC guidance for the industry, Orders issued by the Director of Health, or other lawful authority.
- If you live or work in another congregate setting (prison/jail, ICF/IID, or other group home setting), you shall quarantine and test in accordance with CDC guidance for the industry, Director of Health Orders and/or other lawful authority.