



SLA - COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN



This plan must be posted on our website in accordance with the order of the PHO.

This COVID-19 Safety Plan draft is adapted from WorkSafe BC to align with the sport sector with the assistance of viaSport and their guidelines.

This SLA – COVID-19 Safety Plan is in combination with the following documents that lay the foundation for this plan.

- BCLA Return to Lacrosse Guidelines
- SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- SLA Facility Access Plan

Step 1: Confirm Assessments of the risks in boxes / floors / fields

Identify areas where there may be risks, either through close physical proximity or through contaminated surfaces. The closer together individuals are and the longer they are close to each other, the greater the risk.

- We have identified areas where people gather
See: SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- We have identified situations and processes where individuals are close to one another or members of the public.
See: SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- We have identified the equipment that may be shared by individuals
See: SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- We have identified surfaces that people touch often
See: SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy

Step 2: Implement protocols to reduce the risks

Select and implement protocols to minimize the risks of transmission.

Look to the following for information, input, and guidance:

- WHO / Provincial Health Officer recommendations and Guidelines
- viaSport sector guidelines and your sport-specific guidelines.
- BCLA Return to Lacrosse Guidelines
- SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- City of Surrey - Municipality or facility guidelines

Primary level protection (elimination): Limit the number of people and ensure physical distance whenever possible

- We have established maximum program numbers for our program that meets facility requirements
- We have established and posted occupancy limits for common areas such as meeting rooms, change rooms, washrooms, and elevators (if applicable).
- We have implemented measures to keep participants and others at least 2 metres apart, wherever possible.

Measures in place

List your control measures for maintaining physical distance in your environment. If this information is in another document, identify that document here.

- SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy – *separate document*
- BCLA Return to Lacrosse Guidelines – *separate document*
- SLA - Facility Access plan – *separate document*

Secondary level protection (administrative): Rules and guidelines

- We have identified rules and guidelines for how participants, coaches, volunteers, spectators should conduct themselves.
- We have clearly communicated these rules and guidelines through a combination of communications streams (Website / Email / Coach talks).

Measures in place

List the rules and guidelines that everyone is required to follow. This could include things like using one-way doors or walkways, no sharing of equipment, and wiping down equipment after use. If this information is in another document, identify that document here.

- SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
 - All Membership to review
- SLA - Facility Access plan
 - All Membership to review
- BCLA Return to Lacrosse Guidelines
 - All Coaching staff to review

Cleaning measures to reduce the risk of surface transmission through effective cleaning and hygiene practices

- We have reviewed the information on cleaning and disinfecting surfaces.
- Our sport facility has enough handwashing stations on site for our participants. Handwashing locations are visible and easily accessed.
- We have communicated good hygiene practices to participants, coaches, volunteers, etc.
- We have implemented cleaning protocols for all common areas and surfaces.
- Workers who are cleaning have adequate training and materials.
- We have removed unnecessary tools and equipment to simplify the cleaning process

Cleaning protocols

Provide information about your cleaning plan. Specify who is responsible for cleaning, the cleaning schedule, and what the cleaning protocols will include (e.g., which surfaces, tools, equipment, etc). If this information is in another document, identify that document here.

- SLA Return to Play Plan Chart - Mitigation Strategy
- BCLA Return to Lacrosse Guidelines

Step 3: COVID Policy

This policy ensures that players, coaches, parents/guardians, spectators and others showing symptoms of COVID-19 are prohibited from participating in any sport activities

- Anyone who has had symptoms of COVID-19 in the last 10 days. Symptoms include fever, chills, new or worsening cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, vomiting or diarrhea, and new muscle aches or headache.
- Anyone directed by Public Health to self-isolate.
- Anyone who has arrived from outside of Canada or who has had contact with a confirmed COVID-19 case must self-isolate for 14 days and monitor for symptoms.
- Our policy addresses individuals who may start to feel ill while participating. It includes the following: Sick individuals should report to first aid (or designated individual), even with mild symptoms.
- Sick members should be asked to wash or sanitize their hands, asked to leave the activity area and isolate until a

parent can pick them up. Ask the member to go straight home. [Consult the BC COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool or call 811 for further guidance related to testing and self-isolation.] and advise outcome of any COVID testing to allow for risk measures to be put into place

- If the member is severely ill (e.g., difficulty breathing, chest pain), call 911. Clean and disinfect any surfaces that the ill member has come into contact with.
- **If SLA participant tests positive please notify SLA Executive right away and in turn the City of Surrey Facility Manager shall be notified for contact tracing.**

Step 4: Develop communication plans and training

You must ensure that everyone participating in the sport activity knows how to keep themselves safe while participating:

- We have a communication and training plan to ensure everyone is trained in policies and procedures.
 - All Members are to review this plan and sign waivers as required prior to participation.

Step 5: Monitor and update your plans as necessary

Things may change as your business operates. If you identify a new area of concern, or if it seems like something isn't working, take steps to update your policies and procedures.

- We have a plan in place to monitor risks. We make changes to our policies and procedures as necessary.
- Individuals know who to go to with health and safety concerns.
- When resolving safety issues, we will involve designated SLA representatives as required

Be advised that personal information must not be included in the COVID-19 Safety Plan

Personal information is any recorded information that uniquely identifies a person, such as name, address, telephone number, age, sex, race, religion, sexual orientation, disability, fingerprints, or blood type. It includes information about a person's health care, educational, financial, criminal or employment history. Visit <https://www.oipc.bc.ca/about/legislation/> for more information.