

# Draft IVCF Camp COVID-19 Guidelines 2022

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### 1. Prior to Arrival at Camp

- Campers and staff are encouraged to minimize exposure to other people in the period leading up to their attendance at camp by limiting non-essential movement outside the home.
- Campers and essential visitors must be screened upon arrival at camp, prior to registration. Screening will include a symptom questionnaire
  - For Staff and Volunteers, a COVID-19 rapid test will also be administered on arrival in addition to the screening questionnaire. (volunteers, staff and overnight guests)
- Entry to camp will be denied to any individual who has any of the symptoms outlined in the [COVID-19 Reference Document for Symptoms](#).
- Campers or staff from outside of Canada must follow government guidelines for quarantining, screening and testing prior to camp and will be tested for COVID-19 before travelling to camp.
- Camp will be keeping daily records of anyone (campers, staff, service providers) entering the camp property for contact tracing. This includes parents and or guardians dropping campers off or picking up from camp.
- Campers or staff who are symptomatic prior to camp and are unable to arrive on the scheduled day, may enter or return to camp upon proof of a negative, approved COVID-19 test, and acceptable responses to all other screening assessments.

### 2. Upon Arrival at Camp

- Camp staff and volunteers will be abiding by public health measures when campers arrive.
- During the registration process, parents can expect to answer a COVID-19 screening questionnaire and sign it for contact tracing.

### 3. While at Camp

#### A. Cleaning & Hand Hygiene

- Cleaning will be done using disinfectant products that have a Drug Identification Number (DIN).
- We will be instituting frequent, proper and supervised hand washing/hygiene using soap and water over alcohol-based hand rub whenever possible.

- Hand hygiene will be enhanced before and after activities that involve the frequent touching of objects or using common equipment (e.g., balls, climbing harnesses & facilities, lifejackets, etc.)
- Programs that utilize an indoor space/room that is shared by others must ensure the space /room is clean and disinfected regularly using the space. A cleaning log will be posted and used to track cleaning.

#### **B. Meals**

- Campers and staff will perform proper hand hygiene before and after eating.
- All staff/volunteers/individuals working in the kitchen will follow health standards and food service health and safety during COVID-19, including wearing of gloves, and aprons.

#### **C. Regular Health Checks & Management of COVID-19 Symptoms**

- Campers, staff and volunteers will undergo daily health screening (cabin leaders will verbally ask campers if they are experiencing symptoms of any illness).
- Consideration will be taken for the staff/campers who have documented seasonal allergies or pre-existing conditions that are not COVID-19 related (e.g. chronic runny nose, /congestion/migraine).

### **5. Assessment & Management of a Probable COVID-19 Case**

- Assessment of a potential case of COVID-19 will be conducted as described by public guidance for schools and childcare facilities.
- Camp will be in contact with our local public health unit for direction in regards to handling and or reporting of possible COVID-19 case or confirmed COVID-19 case.
- If a camp participant begins to experience symptoms of COVID-19 while at camp, they will be isolated for further assessment, in a pre-determined location separate from the camp's regular health/first aid location until the individual can go home.
- If a camper/staff/volunteer/visitor is experiencing COVID-19 symptoms, a rapid test will be administered (in the case of a camper or underage volunteer, the parent or guardian will first be called to obtain consent before test is administered). If the test is positive for COVID-19 the individual will be sent home as soon as possible for isolation. If the test is negative, the individual will be isolated at camp until symptoms resolve.