

COVID - 19 RESPONSIBILITIES

Implementing the The Field Hockey Zone / MAINE STYX Field Hockey Return-to-Play Guidelines will require a cooperative relationship between the Club, Coach, Parent, and Player. While the Club and Coach must create a safe environment, the Parent must make the decision for their child to return to play. If, as a parent, you are not comfortable in your child's returning to play – *DON'T*. And finally, Players must be responsible to adhere to, and respect the social distancing requirements and contact guidelines that have been established. At any time, if a coach, parent or player is not adhering to protocols or respecting social distancing requirements, it is the club's responsibility to ask this individual(s) to leave the facility. The roles/responsibilities for each include:



- Distribute & post Return to Play protocols
- Be sensitive and accommodating to parents who may be uncomfortable on returning to play
- Train & educate staff on return to play protocols
- Provide all coaches with all player contact information
- Provide adequate field space to accommodate social distancing
- Ensure appropriate bathrooms at facility
- Designate staff members to run health screening prior to session
- Track all players screening results
- Set training schedule to maximize social distancing
- Set facility entrance/exit pathways for each field



- Follow all return to play protocols
- Inquire how athletes are feeling at beginning/end of week and during sessions
- Ensure all players have their own equipment
- Ensure drills/exercises provide for adequate social distancing
- Ensure that all coaching equipment is sanitized after use
- Respect all players/parents/family feelings on return to play
- Carry hand sanitizer with equipment
- Is encouraged to wear a face covering, if they wish
- Have access to all players' contact information
- Provide ample water/hand sanitizer breaks



- If you're not comfortable with your child returning to play, *DON'T*; You will make the final decision
- Ensure child's clothing is washed after training session
- Ensure all player equipment is sanitized before & after each use
- Notify coach immediately if your child becomes ill or has a temperature
- Supply your child with individual hand sanitizer
- Adhere to social distancing guidelines. Parents/spectators are not allowed on/near playing surfaces for social distancing & capacity reasons
- Ensure your child has water
- Conduct health screening process on your child prior to arriving at facility



- If you are not comfortable returning to play, *DON'T*
- Adhere to all return to play protocols
- Wash hands thoroughly before and after training
- Wash and sanitize your equipment before & after training sessions
- Do not share food, water, or equipment with any other players
- Practice social distancing
- Do not touch cones or balls during your session
- No High-5's, hand shakes, fist bumps, or group cheers
- Wear a face covering, if you wish
- Any player who has had a fever, cough, or sore throat within 72 hours is not permitted to attend