

MARPOLE CURLING CLUB ILLNESS POLICY (v1.3, January 8, 2022)

("Team Member" refers to any staff, participant, spectator, patron or volunteer)

1. Team Members must inform the Club Manager (or other person in a position of authority) without undue delay, if they feel any symptoms of COVID-19 (or other communicable disease). Key COVID-19 symptoms include fever, chills, loss of sense of smell or taste, difficulty breathing and or new or worsening cough.
 - a. See BCCDC website for up-to-date list of COVID-19 symptoms at <http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/about-covid-19/symptoms>.
 - b. If Team Members are unsure, they should use the self-assessment tool <https://bc.thrive.health/covid19/en> or through the COVID-19 BC Support App self-assessment tool.
2. Assessment
 - a. Team Members must review the self-assessment signage located throughout the facility each day before their shift/practice/activity to attest that they are not feeling any of the COVID 19 symptoms (or other communicable disease).
 - b. Management and other individuals in a position of authority, may visually monitor team members to assess any early warning signs of illness or pending illness.
 - i. Management (or other individuals in a position of authority) will remove Team Members from the facility if Team Member continuously displays key symptoms of COVID-19 (or other communicable disease), is noticed by
3. If a Team Member is feeling sick with COVID-19 symptoms (or other communicable disease), please enact the following procedure
 - a. If before attending the facility for work/practice/activity or other purpose:
 - i. They should remain at home, contact Health Link BC at 8-1-1 and not attend the Facility.
 - ii. No Team Member may work, participate in a practice/activity, or be a patron or spectator, if they are or become symptomatic.
 1. Access to the Facility will be barred.
 - b. If they feel sick and / or are showing symptoms while at in the facility for work/practice/activity or other purpose:
 - i. Management or other persons in a position of authority should remove them from the facility and send them home without undue delay.
 - ii. They should monitor symptoms for a 24 hour period.
 1. If symptoms have subsided after a 24 hour period, they may be allowed to continue work/practice/activity or other purposes at the Facility, unless otherwise directed by Health Officials.
 2. If symptoms continue, they will be removed for an additional 24 hour period of monitoring.
 3. If symptoms worsen, the Team Member will call 8-1-1 and follow the direction of Health Officials.
 - iii. If the affected Team Member is a coach or a member of a team, the entire team must monitor for symptoms.

1. If any additional Team Member displays symptoms, they will be asked to follow the steps above (3(b)(ii)).
4. If a Team Member tests positive for COVID-19
 - a. The Team Member will follow the direction of Health Officials.
 - b. The Team Member will not be permitted to return to the workplace/practice/facility unless clear of the virus, typically until:
 - i. 5 days have passed since symptoms started and/or;
 1. Unless Health Official direction indicates longer self-isolation is required.
 - ii. Symptoms have subsided and fever is gone (without the use of fever-reducing medications).
 - c. The Curling Club will follow the direction of Health Officials.
5. Team Members must Quarantine or Self-Isolate if they have been advised to by Health Officials
6. Team members who have been exposed to someone who has had COVID-19, must self-monitor for symptoms and follow the direction of Health Officials. For more information/ clarity please go to the following link <http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/self-isolation>
7. The Curling Club and all curlers will follow the current guidance of the Local and Provincial Health Authorities.
8. If at any time the PHO guidelines change during the season, the PHO guidelines will take precedence. Current information on COVID-19 can be found here: <http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19>