



Baseball, Softball, T-ball Site Plan

Practice equipment used:

- Balls, Cleats, Bat Bags, Water Bottles, Towels, Batting Gloves, Bats, T-ball Tee's, and Face Masks

Not allowed at practice:

- Handshakes, huddles, sharing of any personal equipment, no sunflower seeds & no spitting.
- Players sharing personal equipment, such as Gloves, water bottles, or mask.
- There is no player to player contact allowed.
- Coaches are not permitted to touch the players before, during or after practices.
- Coaches must remain 6 feet away from other coaches and players.
- Participants and family members not feeling well must remain home.
- **70 people or more at a field. This number DOES include players and coaches.**

Permitted at practice:

- Players are permitted to practice drills with teammates.
- Players will receive passes from other players and or their coach.
- All shared equipment will be sanitized before and after practice.
- Players must always remain 6 feet apart.
- **70 people or less at a field. This number DOES include players and coaches.**

Practices/Games:

- Coaches will sanitize their hands and district owned equipment.
- On arrival players will sanitize their gloves and hands.
- All district owned equipment will be sanitized before and after use.
- Players will enter and exit the dugouts one at a time.

Coaches/ Volunteers:

- Coaches will wear a mask in the dugout and wear gloves when handling equipment.
- Coaches must wear masks to talk with parents and children.
- Parents concession stand staff should all wear masks and gloves when handling food and maintain an extremely clean environment.
- Coaches are required to wear their County issues coach badge.
- All coaches must complete a Health Screening Questionnaire before games.

Dugouts:

- No more than 6 players in a dugout at one time. Team should be split between both dugouts during practice.
- Players are not to sit within 6 feet of each other.
- Each dugout should have a bottle of hand sanitizer.

Parents/ Spectators:

- Bleacher will not be available for parents/spectators, bringing lawn chairs is encouraged.
- To keep all participants and their families safe, we are requiring that all spectators wear a mask or remain in their vehicles during practice.
- Please remain 6 feet from anyone that isn't in your household.
- After practice please go directly to your vehicle.
- If you arrive early, please remain in your vehicle until the team that is currently occupying the field has vacated the area.
- Youth attending scrimmage must stay with their parents and not be unattended or playing with other spectator's children.

Bathrooms:

- There will only be 4 people permitted in the restroom at one time.
- No one is permitted in the restroom when staff is cleaning and disinfecting them.
- Anyone that enters the restroom should wear a mask and gloves (if they have gloves).

Sanitized Stations:

- There will be hand sanitizer and disinfectant spray at all practice locations.
- The sanitized stations are only for the players and coaches.

Equipment:

- All youth will be asked to bring the minimum amount of equipment with them.
- Youth will be asked to leave their bags with their parents or district designated bag area.
- Players will enter and exit the dugout one at a time and wear a mask.
- During batting practice, players are permitted to use the same bat.
- The bat must be sanitized in-between players use.
- No two players can touch a bat without it being disinfected.

Staff:

- County Staff will be on site to enforce all COVID-19 guidelines.
- County Staff will be wearing a county id badge and uniform during practices & games.
- County Staff will be checking coaches/volunteer badges before practices/games.
- County Staff can stop games if rules are not being followed.

Concession Stands:

- All concession stands must be inspected by the health department.
- The health department will give each site a set of guidelines to follow for re-opening post covid-19.
- The parks and recreation department will the Health Department COVID guidelines.
- Number of volunteers allowed in the concession stand will be determined by the Health Department.
- All volunteers working the windows must wear a mask and gloves when inside the concession stand.

COVID guidelines:

Participants will be required to answer COVID-19 health questionnaire upon arrival.

Participants who are showing COVID-19 related symptoms will not be permitted on facility grounds and will asked to return home.

COVID-19 symptoms guideline link below:

[NC DHHS COVID-19: Symptoms](#)

COVID-19 Sports Program guidelines:

[NCDHHS-Interim-Guidance-for-Youth-Amateur-Sports.pdf](#)