



CRGHA COVID-19 Protocols

Enforcement

The enforcement of the CRGHA COVID-19 Protocols is the responsibility of the COVID-19 Oversight Group (COG), which consists of:

- CRGHA Risk and Safety Coordinator
- CRGHA President
- CRGHA Vice-President
- All Team Managers

An individual becomes unwell with symptoms of COVID-19

- If an individual becomes unwell with symptoms of COVID-19, or someone is aware of an individual that becomes unwell with symptoms of COVID-19, that individual must immediately stop participation in hockey activities
- The individual should be isolated from all others in a well-ventilated area, or outside and provided with a non-medical face mask, team trainers are required to carry a clean ready to use mask, The mask must be thoroughly cleaned with soap and hot water before being available for reuse
- The individual shall be sent home and instructed to follow public health guidelines regarding self-isolation and testing
- The facility should be informed in order to determine if any areas need to be closed off and/or require additional cleaning/disinfecting
- A member of the COG should be informed of the situation and should contact the individual or their parent/guardian to determine if next steps are being taken regarding testing
- The OWA President and/or Director Operations should be informed of the situation as soon as possible

An individual is tested for COVID-19

- Any individual that is part of a hockey program that has been tested for COVID-19 must not participate in hockey activities while waiting for the results of the test and not until a negative test result is received
- The association/team will consult TeamSnap attendance in order to inform other participants who might have been in contact with the individual, if it was a shared ice practice or game against a team within the extended bubble those teams must be notified so they can notify their participants
- Any association/team member who were in close contact with the individual should not participate in hockey activities and should follow public health guidelines until the diagnosis of COVID-19 is ruled out by health professionals



An individual tests positive for COVID-19

- If an individual tests positive for COVID-19, they should inform a member of the COG immediately
- The COG will work where requested with the facility and public health officials to assist in contact tracing. TeamSnap attendance may be used to assist public health officials in informing other members who may have been in close contact with the individual
- Any association/team members who were in close contact with the individual should not participate in hockey activities for 14 days and should follow public health guidelines regarding self-isolation and testing
- All CRGHA members will be notified of a positive test within the association
- The COG will contact the facility to determine if any additional cleaning/disinfecting should be performed as per the facility's guidelines
- The COG will inform the OWHA of the positive COVID-19 diagnosis by e-mailing team@owha.on.ca

Return to hockey activities following illness

- If no test was performed, or the COVID-19 test was negative, the individual may only return to hockey activities once they no longer have any symptoms of COVID-19

Return to hockey activities following COVID-19

- Following a positive COVID-19 test, an individual must follow all public health guidelines regarding return to activities

Modification/restriction/postponing or canceling of activities

- Based on the evolving COVID-19 pandemic the CRGHA is prepared to follow public health, municipal/provincial government, and sport recommendations regarding modifying/restricting/postponing or canceling activities
- If cancellations/modifications are necessary, the COVID-19 Oversight Group will contact all CRGHA members directly through Teamsnap email
- The COVID-19 Oversight Group will ensure modifications are in place until advised that it is safe to resume activities by public health, government, or sports officials.

Public Health Guidelines

- Any CRGHA members who travelled outside of Canada, or has someone in their household who has travelled outside Canada must self-isolate and not participate in CRGHA/team events for 14 days
- Any CRGHA member who has been exposed to someone with a confirmed case of COVID-19 should self-isolate
- Any CRGHA member with symptoms of COVID-19 is not permitted to take part in hockey activities
- Any CRGHA member who has someone in their household showing symptoms of COVID-19, should not participate in hockey activities



CRGHA COVID-19 Communication Plan

- 1.** All CRGHA members must have a complete profile including all contact information within CRGHA Teamsnap account
- 2.** All COVID-19 communications/updates will be sent through CRGHA Teamsnap account
- 3.** Communications are the responsibility of the COG
- 4.** Bi-weekly updates will be sent to the team contacts addressing any questions or concerns other members have put forward
- 5.** Coaches meeting will be conducted prior to first ice times to overview the COVID-19 regulations. Coaches are expected to communicate to their teams.
- 6.** Complete CRGHA COVID-19 protocols and action plans will be available on the CRGHA website crgha.ca
- 7.** The Risk and Safety Coordinator will follow up with any members missing activities due to COVID-19 symptoms
- 8.** Teamsnap health checks will be stored virtually for 90 days along with the attendance
- 9.** Teamsnap email will be sent by the Risk and Safety Coordinator to all CRGHA members if there is a positive COVID-19 test within the association
- 10.** Teamsnap email will be sent by Risk and Safety Coordinator to possible members who may have come into contact with another member who has been tested for COVID-19
- 11.** The Risk and Safety Coordinator will email the facility and the OSHA immediately if a CRGHA member is diagnosed with COVID-19