



2020 YOUTH FALL SPORTS: COVID-19 GUIDELINES

CONTACT TRACING SPECIAL STATEMENT: Depending on the level of community spread, local and state public health departments may need to implement mitigation strategies for public health functions to identify cases and conduct contact tracing. We will be using information provided at registration that includes parent/guardian contact information, including phone number, mailing address, and email address. If a possible COVID-19 case is reported from any participant or spectator, Hutch Rec will notify the local health department to provide details and seek direction.

FLAG FOOTBALL & SOCCER	Degree of Physical Contact		Mask Usage	Scheduling	Hygiene	Sports Equipment
	Flag Football and Soccer have frequent physical contact. Games may be played with modified rules.	Players and direct participants in the activity (coaches, officials) are not required to wear masks during the game/activity. Spectators are expected to wear masks when proper social distancing cannot be maintained.	Game times will be scheduled with a 15-minute buffer in between to prevent overlap of participants and spectators.	Benches and bleachers will be disinfected between games. Time will be made to allow the completion of this task.	Footballs and soccer balls will be disinfected before and after games. Coaches will be instructed to disinfect sports equipment before and after practices. The sharing of sports equipment will be strongly discouraged.	
	Minimizing Physical Contact	Player Areas	Signage	Spectators	<p><i>These guidelines were established by the Kansas Recreation & Parks Association, effective Summer 2020. They have been adapted to fit activities and events sponsored by the Hutchinson Recreation Commission.</i></p> <p><i>Visit krpa.org/covid19 for the full list of guidelines. For specific Hutch Rec guidelines, visit hutchrec.com.</i></p>	
Sportsmanship will continue in a touchless manner. No hand shakes/slaps/fist bumps after games.	The team should practice social distancing on the side lines.	Signage will be displayed encouraging hand washing/healthy practices, social distancing, and describing what rule adjustments have been made. Staff will be empowered to enforce.	Lines around restrooms, concessions stands, or other places where people may traditionally gather are discouraged. Limit the number of family members in attendance at games. Vulnerable populations are asked to stay home. When using a tent, please restrict to family members			



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VOLLEYBALL

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Volleyball has incidental physical contact.	Players and direct participants in the activity (coaches, officials) are not required to wear masks during the game/activity, but are required to wear masks when entering and exiting the facility. Spectators are required to wear masks at all times in the facility.	Game times will be scheduled with a 15-minute buffer in between to prevent overlap of participants and spectators.	Benches and bleachers will be disinfected between games. Time will be made to allow the completion of this task.	Volleyballs will be disinfected before and after games. Coaches will be instructed to disinfect sports equipment before and after practices. The sharing of sports equipment will be strongly discouraged.
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