

Covid-19 - Surrey Youth Leagues – Restarting Outdoor competitive football

Introduction

All FA guidance should be referred to if there are any issues

Test & Trace -

Clubs and facility providers should collect data of their own participants and be able to share this with NHS test and trace should this be required. Clubs do not need to share data with other clubs for this to happen but should identify a named contact at the club that will have this information. Facility providers should work with clubs to make sure that contact details of all participants using their site are being collected and if not should do so.

The following information should be collected by the venue, where possible:

- Customers and visitors
- The name of the customer or visitor. If there is more than one person, then you can record the name of the 'lead member / Covid Officer' of the group and the number of people in the group
- There is a higher risk of transmitting COVID-19 in premises where customers and visitors spend a longer time in one place and potentially come into close contact with other people outside of their household.
- A contact phone number for each customer or visitor, or for the lead member / Covid Officer of a group of people
- Date of visit, arrival time and, where possible, departure time
- If a visitor informs you that they do not want their details shared for the purposes of NHS Test and Trace, they can choose to opt out, and if they do so you should not share their information used for booking purposes with NHS Test and Trace.
- NHS Test and Trace will ask for these records only where it is necessary.

Covid Officer

 Club COVID-19 Officers must share their details (by all means possible) with all their team managers, coaches, parents, players and then at training or matches to any/all spectators – This will enable the COVID-19 Officer's contact detail to be passed on to NHS Test & Trace in the event of someone testing positive for the COVID-19 virus

Matches, Friendlies and Training sessions

• Ideally at least one parent/guardian/person from the household support bubble per child should, (if possible), be present for the duration of all games and training sessions and be responsible for their child, including (if appropriate) acting as the first responder in the event of an on pitch injury to their child

Where it is not possible for a parent guardian to be present it does not mean that player cannot participate in the game. It will be down to each club to make sure that they have a safe procedure in place. This can be agreed with the parents/guardian in advance of the child being dropped off.

6 Group rule

This has now been made law that groups of 6 cannot meet up socially. Therefore, we would remind clubs that groups of 6 at a distance of 2m apart should be still be maintained as the guidance suggested previously. We would ask clubs to remind parents to be mindful of groups quickly increasing to numbers over 6 due to participants joining them. I.e. if participants finish the game and look to meet their parents group numbers of groups can quickly rise.

Changing rooms

Changing rooms are an area of increased risk of transmission, where possible, should remain closed. Players and officials should arrive changed and shower at home. Exceptions may be made where safety and safeguarding measures require their use e.g. supporting disability athletes, a child needs a change of clothing etc. If you choose to use your changing and shower facilities, you must follow government advice