



## **HUNTSVILLE SKATING CLUB COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN**

**Close contact** is defined as being within 2m of another individual for longer than 15 minutes, without the proper use of PPE (personal protective equipment ie. mask).

### **MANDATORY COVID-19 WAIVER**

All HSC participants must complete the Skate Ontario COVID-19 Waiver prior to attending any HSC activities or sessions. The waiver must be completed one time for the 2020/21 skating season.

### **SESSION LIMITS**

At this time, Skate Ontario is directing clubs to execute sessions based on Skate Canada program delivery standards.

### **AN INDIVIDUAL BECOMES UNWELL WITH SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19 WHILE ON ICE**

If an individual becomes unwell with symptoms of COVID-19, or if someone is aware of an individual that becomes unwell with symptoms of COVID-19, that individual must immediately stop participation in club activities. The individual must wear a mask and will be isolated from all others in the first aid/emergency isolation area.

Rink side volunteer will contact:

1. The parent of the participant,
2. A member of the Covid-19 Oversight group (see below)
3. Town of Huntsville Staff, cell (705)783-3436 in order to determine if any areas need to be closed off and/or require additional cleaning/disinfecting.

The individual shall be sent home and instructed to follow public health guidelines regarding self-isolation and testing.

A member of the COVID-19 Oversight Group will contact the individual or their parent/guardian to determine if next steps are being taken regarding testing AN INDIVIDUAL IS TESTED FOR COVID-19

### **IF A PARTICIPANT IS BEING TESTED FOR COVID-19**

The participant must not participate in club activities while waiting for the results of the test. Parent/guardian must be referred to SMDHU when a participant is suspected of covid-19. Public Health will facilitate contact tracing when necessary. A member of the Covid-19 Oversight group will provide SMDHU the Session Participation Tracking sheets to inform other club members who might have been in close contact with the individual. Due to privacy regulations, names of suspected cases will NOT be released. Any club members who were in close contact with the individual should not participate in club 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, SMDHU will perform contact tracing and work with the facility and HSC Covid-19 Oversight Group to identify close contacts. The Session Participation tracking sheets may be used to assist public health officials in informing club



members who may have been in close contact with the individual. Any club members who were in close contact with the individual should not participate in club activities for 14 days and should follow public health guidelines regarding self-isolation and testing. HSC will inform all members of a positive COVID-19 result within the club setting. HSC will inform and work with the facility in the case of a positive COVID-19 result and determine if any additional cleaning/disinfecting should be performed as per the facility's guidelines. HSC covid-19 Oversight group will inform Skate Ontario of a positive COVID-19 diagnosis by e-mailing [clubsupportservices@skateontario.org](mailto:clubsupportservices@skateontario.org)

#### **RETURN TO CLUB / SKATING ACTIVITIES FOLLOWING ILLNESS WITH NEGATIVE COVID-19**

The individual may only return to club activities once they no longer have any symptoms of COVID-19 for at least 24 hours.

#### **RETURN TO CLUB / SKATING ACTIVITIES FOLLOWING POSITIVE COVID-19 TEST**

Following a positive COVID-19 test, an individual must follow all public health guidelines regarding return to activities. A medical note must be provided to return to club activities.

#### **RESPONDING TO COVID-19**

MODIFICATION / RESTRICTION / POSTPONING OR CANCELING OF CLUB ACTIVITIES may occur based on the evolving COVID-19 pandemic, HSC is prepared to follow public health, municipal / provincial government, facility, and Skate Ontario directives. HSC members will be informed as soon as possible of any modifications / restrictions or cancellations. HSC will keep any modifications and restrictions in place until advised that it is safe to resume activities by public health, government or sport officials. In the event of facility closure HSC will provide prorated refunds for cancelled session.

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