



NSBA COVID-19 PROTOCOL - PHASE 2: FACILITY GUIDELINES

Below is a list of required conduct/actions as we return to play. You will notice most of them are prohibitions. We did too. What we desire in addition, is: Have fun. Enjoy the outside. Cherish the summer days/evenings. Encourage happiness. Try to be flexible as the NSBA community works through this pandemic. And most important, let's follow Dr. Henry's lead: *"Be kind, be calm, and be safe."*

Our sport is played outside. Public health officials have indicated that the use of outdoor facilities are generally safer as there is greater ventilation and ability to physical distance.

The following measures must be in place at all NSBA facilities (baseball fields and outdoor fields used):

1. Gatherings of 50 or more people are not permitted.
2. Signage advising and educating on COVID-19 wellness, hygiene, and social distancing measures should be in place at every field and facility utilized (See Appendix 1).
3. If the baseball or outdoor field has multiple fields, ensure no cross-over of scheduling leads to a situation where the restrictions related to group size are broken.
4. Use cones and other equipment or markings to ensure appropriate spacing is in place to support distancing.
5. All fan seating should be configured with social distancing requirements adhered to.
6. Directional traffic flow plan and markers may be required in high pedestrian traffic areas.
7. Field allotments must be modified to allow for all events to stay under the 50 person social gathering limits.
8. No gathering should be permitted around the park/field until the scheduled start time of any event (please consider having arriving participants wait in their car until after the group ahead has vacated).
9. Players should leave the park/field immediately after the practice or game.
10. Concessions should only be opened or provided through approval of the respective health department.
11. Washrooms (if the responsibility of the club or local association) need a defined cleaning schedule at a minimum of twice daily. See municipal and health authority requirements for washrooms.
12. Water fountains (if present) should be used for only filling of water bottles. Signage should be placed advising not to drink from. See municipal and health authority requirements for water fountains.



NSBA COVID-19 - NVRCC PERMIT

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- Implemented COVID-19 safety protocols consistent with Baseball BC ViaSport BC guidelines
- Trained our volunteer coaches in these COVID-19 safety protocols and made our members aware of these protocols
- Posted on our website are our COVID-19 safety protocols for our members and our community to see: <https://northshorebaseball.ca>
- remained committed to following Dr. Bonnie Henry's mantra in dealing with this pandemic:

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Participants at this NSBA event must:

1. Have no COVID-19 symptoms
2. Comply with maximum of 12 Team members at this site
3. Maintain 2m physical distance from others
4. Wash hands prior to attending

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