



Herndon Youth Soccer  
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# COVID-19 GAME DAY PROTOCOLS

## Spectators – Players – Coaches

### Prior to the Game:

- Under the state governor's orders, spectators are limited to two per player; however, we encourage families to one parent/spectator per player when practical.
- If your player has been sick with or having symptoms of COVID-19, or has been exposed to someone who has been sick with or having symptoms of COVID-19 within the last 14 days, DO NOT bring your player, DO NOT attend the match, and notify your club ([michelle.alioto@herndonyouthsoccer.org](mailto:michelle.alioto@herndonyouthsoccer.org) for HYS families) and your coach.
- All players and coaches must complete their prescreening form prior to entering the field.
- Spectators are prohibited from attending games if they meet any of the following criteria:
  - Current temperature of 100.4 or higher
  - Diagnosed with COVID-19 in last 14 days
  - Is sick with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 (e.g. sore throat; shortness of breath/difficulty breathing, fever of 100.4 or higher, chills, headache, sinus congestion, cough persistent and/or productive, joint aches and soreness, vomiting or diarrhea, and/or a rash) in the last 14 days
  - Exposed or have been in contact with anyone who has been sick with symptoms of or diagnosed with COVID-19 in the last 14 days
  - Have taken a COVID test and are currently waiting for results
- Individuals who are considered high risk, or those who feel uncomfortable returning at this time, should STAY HOME.
- Remind your player of their responsibilities before, during, and after the event.
- Review the entrance/exit field map of your Herndon game location.
  - [Arrowbrook Field Map](#)
  - [Bready Field Map](#)
  - [Hutchison Field Map](#)
- Use the bathroom before you depart.

### At the Field:

- Players and Coaches must wear a face mask upon entering/exiting the field and while on the sidelines.
- Spectators must wear a face mask at all times at the field.
- If early, have your player wait in your vehicle until five minutes before their scheduled reporting time to allow the previous group time to exit.
- To better maintain social distancing, spectators are STRONGLY encouraged to wait in their vehicle until 5 minutes before kickoff to arrive on the sidelines.



## **At the Field (Continued):**

- Ensure your player uses hand sanitizer before entering the field and has it on the sidelines.
- If a game or event is taking place before your match, wait for the participants and spectators to leave the field area before entering.
- Spectators are PROHIBITED from entering the actual field of play before, during, and after the match, unless due to an injury to their player.
- Spectators are PROHIBITED from approaching referees.
- Spectators must remain at least 10 feet from the field, and at least 10 feet from other spectators outside their household.

## **After the Game:**

- Meet the player off the field of play (DO NOT enter the field) and exit quickly without congregating or socializing and while maintaining social distancing.