

CHARLOTTE SOCCER ACADEMY UPDATED PLAYER AND SPECATOR GUIDELINES

The following guidelines will be in effect beginning Tuesday, December 1, 2020 and apply all practices and games.

PLAYERS

- All players must have had their temperature taken at home prior to leaving for the fields.
- If a player is experiencing any symptom of Covid-19 they must stay at home and contact the programs sectional director or their club coach.
- All players must wear a face covering to and from the fields for each session. If a player does not arrive wearing a face covering, they will not be able to participate and will be asked to leave the field.
- In response to the issuance of EO180, NCDHSS now recommends wearing face covering during all practice and game activities unless an exception applies as defined by the NCDHHS.
- During games, players on the sideline must adhere to social distancing rules and sit 6-10 feet apart from each other.
- Players are required to wear face coverings when on the sideline during the games.
- No handshakes nor fist pumps when greeting teammates and staff.
- No close celebrations after goals are scored.
- During half-time and pre-post-game speeches, all players must maintain social distancing.
- Players need to bring their own water (please bring enough for the entire game or session).
- Do not share equipment.
- After the game or session, players should not congregate in groups and should go directly to their cars.
- Players should not take off any equipment until they have left the facility.

SPECTATORS

- Spectators experiencing any symptom of Covid-19 must stay at home.
- Spectators must wear a face covering at all times and will be asked to leave the fields if they do not comply.
- Game Spectators are limited to TWO per player with immediate family or up to fifty spectators per team.
 (Face masks are required and please practice social distancing at all times when spectating.)
- Spectators must stay within your family group and stay 6-10 feet away from other families.
- Spectators that are congregating will be asked to leave the fields immediately.
- After the game, spectators should go directly to their cars to wait for players.

COACHES

- All coaches will take their temperature at home prior to leaving for the field.
- If a coach is showing any symptoms of Covid-19 they must stay at home.
- Coaches will be required to wear face coverings at all times.
- Coaches will practice social distancing with other staff and players.
- Coaches will be responsible for all equipment and must sanitize daily.
- During half-time and pre and post-game speeches, coaches must maintain social distancing.