



HOLMFIRTH TOWN JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Holmfirth Town Covid – 19 Risk Assessment

Activity / Environment Description: Little Wembley - Football activity during Covid – 19	Date of Assessment: 28/06/2020
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<p>The following risk assessment has been developed in consideration of FA guidance - guidance documents for adult players, coaches, facility operators, parents and carers involved in re-starting grassroots football activity issued on 12 June and updated guidelines on 19th July 2020 and social distancing guidelines</p> <p>The following considers social distancing in addition to existing measures identified in the Holmfirth Town Risk Assessments.</p> <p>All coaches and parents/ carers should consider the government hierarchy of controls when undertaking activities and when developing associated risk assessments. These are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• minimising contact with individuals who are unwell by ensuring that those who have coronavirus symptoms, or who have someone in their household who does, do not attend training and isolate for 14 days• cleaning hands before attending training and when finished training - wash hands thoroughly for 20 seconds with running water and soap and dry them thoroughly or use alcohol hand rub or sanitiser ensuring that all parts of the hands are covered• ensuring good respiratory hygiene - promote the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach• cleaning frequently touched surfaces and equipment (using antibacterial wipes)• maintaining social distancing measures of 1m + at all times	

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Ref No	Hazard	Who is at risk?	Control Measures	Comments and Actions
	Infection control	Coaches Parents/ carers Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An attendance register taken for Track and Trace VIA WhatsApp messaging to group to include players, officials and spectators/parents to be forwarded on to specific U12C19 WhatsApp Group. • Anyone staying at a session must complete self-screening check list before leaving home • Contact training is now permitted outdoors in groups of 30 including coaches • Social distancing of 1m+ to be adhered to at all times by non-players and players when not engaging in a contact activity (arrival, departure, warm up, cool down, breaks and subs bench) • All spectators should be in discrete groups of 6 or in cars if possible • Prior to training and after completing training all coaches, children and parents/ carers to wash and sanitize hands • Copy of risk assessment to be sent to all parents/ carers via WhatsApp group message along with declaration to be returned prior to training and matches and held on U12C19 specific WhatsApp Group • Parents/ carers to inform coach if anyone in household has displayed symptoms of Covid-19 within 14 days of a training session – coach to pass this information on to other parents/ carers of same training bubble. • All equipment to be sanitized after use by each training bubble • All high touch areas to be sanitized after each training session 	<p>Coaches/Group Admin – send a copy of risk assessment to parent WhatsApp groups</p> <p>Coaches/Group Admin – take WhatsApp attendance register</p> <p>Coaches/Group Admin – collect declaration form/WhatsApp acknowledgement from parents/ carers prior to training/matches. Only one declaration required unless RA updated</p> <p>Holmfirth Town – provide antibacterial sanitizer</p>
	Site Access	Coaches Parents/ carers Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parents/ carers to ensure children are adhering to social distancing measures when entering the grounds 	
	Social Distancing	Coaches Parents/ Carers Children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All coaches, parents/ carers and children to adhere to 1m+ social distancing from others in different households when not engaging in contact activities 	

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 parent/ carer from each household to observe each training session where possible from a distance within LW grounds, all spectators to adhere to 1m+ social distancing spectators can stand in groups of 6 • Where possible, refrain from bringing siblings below 3 years old to spectate, due to younger children being unable to follow social distancing guidelines 	
Training	Coaches Children		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All activities to be managed by coaches • Contact activities now allowed • All equipment to be sanitized before and after use schedule in additional breaks to sanitize hands, goal keeping gloves, equipment and goal posts. 	
First aid	Coaches Children		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coaches to use PPE when attending to any First Aid incident, due to close proximity of treatment • Parents to be on hand to administer any basic first aid 	Holmfirth Town to provide <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gloves • Face mask • Protective Eye wear – in case of fluid/ blood splashes. • Alcohol hand gel. • Clinical bag for waste. • Accident form to be completed
Breaks	Children		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children to bring labelled water bottle to ensure don't drink from a similar water bottle and prevent cross-contamination 	Coaches to remind children to find own bottle
Club facilities	N/A		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A • (All club houses to be closed during training until further notice) 	To be continually risk assessed – may open in near future
Matches			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matches will be allowed from 1st August 2020, these will follow Holmfirth Town F.C. Risk Assessment or local Risk Assessment if Away 	Coaches to obtain sufficient risk assessment and share with parents prior to away match