

# SSPYBA COVID-19 PREPAREDNESS PLAN

As required by the State of MN

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**SSPYBA** has created the following guidelines in accordance with State, Federal, and local requirements as they pertain to the infectious disease COVID-19 and related circumstances. These continued restrictions are subject to change, as mandated by the State of MN. Regardless of any future changes to these restrictions, SSPYBA is intent on the safety of all its participants at all times, and will continue to evolve as needed and/or required. Precautions should continue to be taken in the best interest of everyone involved.

**Players/coaches who have tested positive OR have been exposed with a confirmed COVID-19 case must contact the Plan Administrator and adhere to the following quarantine guidelines:**

<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/contact.pdf>

## COVID-19 Decision Tree

<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/schools/exguide.pdf>

**Updated guidance regarding masks from the MN Dept. of Health are as follows:**

<file:///C:/Users/owner/Downloads/2021%20Back%20to%20the%20Diamond%20FINALasof4-15-21.pdf>

- \*Masks are not required for outdoor sports if 6 ft distancing is possible.
- \*STAY HOME and DO NOT participate if feeling ill. Notify the SSPYBA if your player has tested positive for the COVID-19 virus so that proper and necessary precautions may be taken.
- \*Batting gloves are recommended when needed to alleviate direct contact with shared equipment.
- \*City of SSP park building restrooms may not be available. Plan ahead.
- \*Sanitize equipment after use when possible.
- \*Parents and spectators have separate seating away from the backstop or dugout at least 12 feet from players. Only players, coaches, and the umpire(s) are allowed on the field of play.

**\*COVID-19 Preparedness Plan is subject to change, and will be updated when possible\***

***This document is a general informational resource and should not be treated as medical or expert advice to participate in any activity. Consult your own qualified health providers or other advisors about any specific health issues or circumstances you might have.***

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