

**City of Kelowna – Active Living & Culture**  
**Artificial Turf (M-15) Stadium – Facility Guidelines**  
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These facility guidelines are in place to protect the safety of staff and the public. The guidelines provide direction or protocols to reduce the risk of communicable disease transmission. Whether you are an athlete, coach, team official, referee, essential volunteer, staff or contractor, or the general public, you are all responsible to prevent the transmission of communicable diseases and ensure the facility guidelines are followed. The City will continue to update our facility guidelines and processes as per Provincial Government requirements.

### **Safety Plan**

- Minor sports associations and adult sport rentals are required to have a Safety Plan.
- Minor sports associations and adult sport rentals must appoint a Safety Ambassador for each of their facility rentals. See responsibilities of the Safety Ambassador below.
- Minor sports associations and adult sport rentals are responsible for communicating to their Safety Plan to their athletes, coaches, team managers, referees, essential volunteers, parents, or spectators.

### **Proof of Vaccination for Youth Sports (21 Years and Under)**

- Youth sports participants (21 yrs and under) are exempt from proof of vaccination.
- An adult who has not received two doses of vaccine must not lead, supervise or assist with a program for children or youth, whether the program takes place inside or outside.

### **Proof of Vaccination for Adult Sports (22 Years and Over)**

- Adult sports participants (22 yrs and over), must show proof of full vaccination (2 doses).

### **Spectators and Stadium Capacity (Outdoors)**

- Spectators at outdoor sports events (youth or adult) do not require proof of vaccination.
- Artificial Turf (M-15) Stadium capacity is 300 spectators.
- Spectators must be seated in the grandstands.

### **Safety Ambassador for Youth and Adult Sports**

- The minor sports associations and adult sport rentals must appoint a Safety Ambassador for each team as part of their Safety Plan.
- The Safety Ambassador will manage entry to the facility to not exceed spectator capacity for the facility (as noted above).
- The Safety Ambassador will screen for illness prior to entering the facility including athletes, coaches, team managers, essential volunteers, and spectators.
- The Safety Ambassador will implement and enforce their minor sport association's Safety Plan and facility guidelines.
- The Safety Ambassador will maintain the mask exemption declaration forms.

### **Permitted Playing Surface Activities and Other Restrictions**

- Games and practices are permitted
- There are no restrictions to the number of participants on the playing surfaces.

### **Travel Advisory**

- Travel to or from the Central Okanagan is strongly discouraged.

### **Physical Distancing**

- The public is required to maintain a distance of 2m when inside the stadium unless they are on the playing surface.

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**Entering the Stadium**

- Main entrance gate will remain unlocked.

**Exiting the Stadium**

- At the conclusion of the booking, please exit the stadium immediately.
- Do not congregate in exit areas.

**Washrooms**

- Portable washrooms are available onsite too.

**Hand Washing and Sanitizer**

- Hand sanitizer is not available at the entrance gate.

**Food Concession**

- There is no food concession onsite.