



Club Direction on the Safe Conduct of Football Training During COVID-19 (8 April 2021)

Following the recent guidance from the FA informing us of what is permissible, we have taken the following measures to ensure a safe place for football training to resume.



Please be reminded, if an individual is symptomatic, living in a household with a possible COVID-19 infection or if you are classified as extremely vulnerable on health grounds, the guidance is that you **should stay at home**.

It is the Managers/Coaches decision if training goes ahead for their team. Please respect their decision and do not apply pressure for them to commence training before they are ready.



Parents/Guardians

1. Must confirm attendance on team Facebook group prior to each advertised training session. By doing this you are also confirming that your household is symptom free. **No confirmation = no training.**
2. Must ensure that their child uses the toilet before arrival to minimise use of grounds facilities.
3. Except team staff and officials, only one parent or guardian is to attend training sessions to minimise gathering in one place. Must take own child to training.
4. Use the separate entrance and exit as marked and leave the ground as quickly as possible after the session.
5. Must use the provided hand sanitiser.
6. Must keep their child's water bottle for the duration of the session.
7. Must speak to the manager with any concerns during session.

Managers/Coaches

1. Must only accept those into the session that have confirmed on team Facebook group. You must use Facebook group to organise sessions to provide an audit trail. A register of those attending must be submitted to the Club Secretary after each session.
2. Use the separate entrance and exit as marked and leave the ground as quickly as possible after the session.
3. Before and after each session, disinfect all equipment, including players hands.
4. Adhere to the [FA guidance](#) for the conduct of sessions.
5. Ensure that you have your first aid kit, including COVID-19 protection present at all times and act in accordance with [FA guidance](#).
6. Adhere to normal safeguarding guidelines.