



Eastern Suburbs Hockey Club TigerTurf, Carina

COVID-19

Safety

Management

Plan

TigerTurf Cup 2021

Women's Event Saturday & Sunday 20th-21st February 2021

Men's Event Saturday & Sunday 27th-28th February 2021

TigerTurf Cup 2021

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1. Purpose

To reduce exposure to the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

To establish agreed protocols for the management of illness in athletes and personnel attending the Eastern Suburbs Hockey Club TigerTurf (EHTT) for the TigerTurf Cup 2021 Events.

2. Document History & Control

This Safety Management Plan applies from Saturday & Sunday February 20/21 and Saturday & Sunday February 27/28 2021 is subject to directives issued by the Queensland Chief Health Officer.

This Safety Management Plan is only valid on the last date of distribution; it currently resides locally with Eastern Suburbs Hockey Club Inc. Secretary who should be contacted if you are in doubt of the authenticity or currency.

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3. Scope

This plan applies to EHTT employees, subcontractors, volunteers, affiliated Associations and their clubs, members, athletes, and officials. It also applies to sports trainers, spectators, and other users of the EHTT.

4. Responsibilities

The EHC Secretary shall ensure physical measures are in place before use.

Designated COVID Safe Coordinator/s shall ensure physical measures are in place during the events

EHC COVIDsafe Coordinators shall ensure requirements are met at the end of the last session on each day.

Users are also responsible to ensure compliance with this plan.

5. Resources

Sport Support

[Hockey Queensland Return to Play Guidelines for Stage 2.](#)

[Framework for rebooting sport in a COVID-19 environment – EXECUTIVE SUMMARY](#)

[Framework for rebooting sport in a COVID-19 environment – ENTIRE DOCUMENT](#)

[National Principles for the resumption of Sport and Recreation activities](#)

[FIH - Start to plan for when your hockey fields reopen](#)

[Sport Australia Return to Sport](#)

[Hockey Australia COVID-19 Support Hub](#)

Queensland Government

[Unite against COVID-19](#)

[Roadmap to easing Queensland's restrictions](#)

[Return to Play Plan](#)

[Return to Play Guidelines](#)

[Qld Health Promotional Resources, e.g. Posters](#)

[Qld Health Advice](#)

[Industry COVID Safe Plan – Field Team Sports \(Stage 3 from 3rd July 2020\)](#)

[Roadmap to easing Queensland's restrictions \(Stage 3 from 3rd July 2020\)](#)

Federal Government

[Environmental cleaning and disinfection principles for COVID-19](#)

[Australian Government Department of Health](#)

[How To Clean and Disinfect a Workplace](#)

[Safe Work Australia COVIDSafe Checklists](#)

6. Queensland Government's Key Principles

General Directives

6.1.1 Physical Distancing

A minimum space of 1.5 meters between you and other people that are not from your household shall be observed. 2 square meters per person must be maintained when indoors or in a group.

6.1.2 Hygiene Principles

Hand washing with soap and water for 20 seconds or use hand sanitiser before and after any contact with surfaces. Cover coughs and sneezes avoid touching your face and stay home if you are sick.

Frequent environmental cleaning and disinfecting, particularly surfaces that are touched by more than one person.

7. Hazard and Risk Management (H.A.R.M)

Hazard and Risk Management at the EHTT shall be monitored by the EHC Secretary and the Eastern Suburbs Inc. Management committee to ensure control measures are being implemented.

Users shall ensure compliance with this plan and any other Association and Club specific COVID Safe Plans.

All participants shall bring and only wear or user their own attire and equipment.

No equipment shall be left at the EHTT. No lost property will be kept at the centre.

All entrants must agree to the terms and conditions of entry.

8. Movement, Access and Health Management

General Principles

To reduce cleaning and monitoring activities to the essential minimum and to avoid unnecessary monitoring with limited resources, until this plan is revised or withdrawn the EHTT will continue to have NO GO Zones.

Parents and guardians can remain with their children during participation. Social distancing and hygiene practices must be observed by all parents or guardians.

The main grandstand will be OPEN, and no loitering is to take place in the courtyard area and is only open as a thoroughfare. Social gathering is limited while this plan is in place.

The Carey/Pembroke area is OPEN for spectators.

Attendance records continue to be collected.

Entry and Exit

Entry shall only be via the Clubrooms side for the Turf field. Signs will clearly indicate which side of the gates to enter and exit.

Participants must follow clearly marked directions to their designated zone and shall only enter the Turf field as directed.

The grass field will be made available for warm up and game preparations.

Please refer to the EHTT Map to identify the separate entry and exit points.

Dugouts will be open only for teams currently playing.

Fit to Enter

All staff and users of the EHTT shall not attend if in the last fourteen days they have been unwell or had contact with a known or suspected case of COVID-19.

Players who have recovered from COVID-19 infection should consider a gradual return to playing.

Persons suspected of being unwell, having any respiratory symptoms (even mild) or having signs of a fever shall be denied entry and requested to return home, seek medical attention and notify health authorities.

Notification of issues

Queensland Health shall be notified within 1-2 hours by the EHC Secretary where there are any health issues or suspected COVID-19 cases.

COVID-19 Tracking

Fixtures: EVA Check-in QR posters are in place at EHTT and Northern and Southern entry point to the facilities and at other points at the facilities. All players and spectators will be required to sign in and out using EVA Check-in process.

Visit <https://my.evacheckin.com/4078xzwa>

Reporting

Where a participant subsequently tests positive for COVID-19, the exposure shall be immediately reported to a relevant Club Secretary who will notify their Association who will notify the Chief Executive Officer of Hockey Queensland within two (2) hours.

Fixtures attendance records shall be provided to Queensland Health within 24 hours.

Availability of Hand Washing Facilities and hand Sanitiser

Sanitising stations shall be available at all entry and exit points of the Turf field.

Handwashing is available in the toilets.

Sanitisers are available for use in the Tech bench and Dugouts

Zones

Please refer to the EHTT Map for directions and NO-GO Zones

Fixture Times

Cleaning aids will be available at each dugout.

Tech Bench and dug out cleaning is the responsibilities of the Tournament Director.

The players who have just played must Exit via the designated EXIT gate ASAP after completion of the game.

Groups are responsible for managing their own time and must not loiter or linger on the field or in the dugouts when their time has concluded.

Team Change Rooms

It is recommended that Participants are to arrive at and depart from the EHTT in their playing attire.

Changerooms are OPEN. Limited numbers are allowed in the rooms at any one time

Public Toilets

The main door to the toilets will be propped open to limit the need to touch the door handle. Please ensure this door remains open.

Access to the toilets is limited to no more than four persons at any one time in either toilet. Participants are to self-manage this requirement. Please arrive dressed to play.

The toilets down the corridor from the canteen are for Netball use but will be OPEN for hockey from 10am Saturday & Sunday 20-21/2/2021, Saturday & Sunday 27-28/2/2021.

Canteen Access

The EHTT Canteen will OPEN with COVID restrictions.

Social Gatherings

No barbeques shall be held within the EHTT Complex

While not within the jurisdiction of the EHTT, physical distancing measures should be observed with in the car park.

Netball Courts

Netball courts are a "NO GO ZONE" for warmup and fixtures

Adrian & Lorraine Pembroke Members Rooms

Access to the rooms is available. NO hockey gear(stickbags) are to be taken inside rooms.

9. Hygiene

Water Containers

Participants shall bring and only use their own water bottles.

Taps will be available for use in the dugouts.

Shared Equipment

Hockey sticks, shin pads and goal keeping equipment shall not be shared.

Towels and face washers shall not be shared.

Players are instructed to minimise hand contact with hockey balls and other non-essential surfaces.

Gloves, provided by the training group, must be worn when moving goals.

The EHTT appointed cleaners will be responsible for wiping down with sanitizer provided by the EHTT all high contact surfaces at the end of night/day session. This may include railings; door handles and dugouts.

Shared Uniforms

Training bibs, playing uniforms or any other clothing shall not be shared.

Handwashing and Sanitising

All participants, parents, guardians, and staff shall have access to the toilets to wash their hands with soap and water.

All participants will be required to sanitise their hands when entering and exiting the Turf field at EHTT.

Full Body Showers

Showers at the venue are open. After use cleaning protocols in place.

Prohibitions

The following must be observed:

- No spitting anywhere or on any person
- No gum to be consumed in the centre.
- No smoking in the centre
- No sanitiser products are to be applied to people or high contact surfaces/equipment whilst on the turf as it can permanently stain.
- No jewellery to be worn while training or playing.

Cleaning Schedules

Spray bottles with disinfectant will be available in the toilets and showers. Users are encouraged to spray down the taps and basins after use.

Each morning following the nights fixtures sessions or following an incident, EHTT cleaners shall clean and sanitise:

- Toilet stall door handles, taps and soap dispensers
- Shower taps, door handles, and cloths hooks to be wiped down after use
- High contact handrails
- Dugouts
- Carey/Pembroke deck
- Outside members room area
- Tech bench

And regularly monitor paper towels, soap and hand sanitiser levels.

The EHTT cleaners will conduct a full facility clean weekly including showers.

Canteen employees will also regularly sanitize high contact areas around the facilities during their shifts.

10. Sports Medicine

Where reasonably possible it is recommended participants administer first aid or sport medicine themselves. E.g. complete their own ankle strapping, apply a band aid etc. In the case of an emergency call an ambulance on 000 and proceed with following standard first aid precautions.

Access to first aid rooms should only be available during an emergency. The first aid tables will be covered by a disposable sheet. After use the disposable sheet must be placed in the

rubbish by the first aider and the surface cleaned with disinfectant. A new disposable sheet must then be placed on the table.

11. Personal Behaviour

Greetings

Handshakes and high-fives shall be discouraged.

Team huddles may only be held with player's maintaining 1.5m separation from each other and the coach.

Modification of Rules

Attendees requiring mobility aids shall continue to be afforded discretion to use aids such as, crutches, walking frames etc.

Disable toilet will be open.

Where there has been contact by other participants, mobility aids shall be cleaned and or sanitised before and after use.

12. Communication

Electronic Media

The EHTT COVID Safe Management Plans will be available on the Eastern Suburbs Hockey Club website.

Signage

Relevant signage will be posted on the main entrance to the EHTT facilities, on entry/exit to the Turf field, and throughout the venue.

13. EHTT User Groups

Each user of the EHTT will be required to have their own COVID Safe Plan on how they manage their people and equipment.

All User Groups will be required to agree to the new terms and conditions of entering the EHTT before they will be provided access to fixtures.

14. Disciplinary Action

Individuals or groups failing to comply with the requirements set out in this Safety Management Plan will be requested to leave immediately.

Repeat offenders will be denied further entry.

Where the COVID Safe Coordinator fails to comply with the team requirements or where several team members fail to comply, the entire team shall be requested to leave.