



SLO County YMCA

CAMP CARE SAFETY PROTOCOLS, FALL 2020

**as prescribed by County, State, and Federal Guidelines*

Child and Staff Health Checks:

- Upon arrival each day, both the parent(s) of each child and staff will complete a questionnaire and temperature screening to evaluate health, and reduce risk of exposure to other participants.
- Children and/or staff with a fever of 100.4 degrees (or above), or displaying other signs of illness, will not be admitted into the program/facility.
- Staff will screen the temperature of each child at lunchtime and at pick up to ensure consistency and track any changes in health.
- Changes to health of a child will be monitored regularly, and may result in a mandatory quarantine/pick up.
- Safety equipment / PPE (for staff) that is advised by the County Board of Health will be provided.

Mask Guidance and Requirements:

- Staff are required to wear masks while inside or during outside transitions that could bring them within 6 ft of children, as well as any other outside activity that would require them to be within 6ft of the children. While outside, staff will carry a mask in case they need to attend to a child.
- Under current CDC Guidance, parents are required to wear a mask when signing in/out their child(ren) and when on campus
- Under current CDC guidance, children in 3rd-8th grades are required to wear face coverings while inside and during transition periods outside when spacing may be hard to maintain. Children in grades K-2nd are required to carry a mask with them at all times. They will be encouraged, though not required to wear the face covering while inside when 6 ft of spacing can be sustained. Those younger children are required to wear their mask if within 6 ft of others, and during transition periods when spacing may be hard to maintain.

Social Distancing and Group Size:

- Children will be kept with 6 feet of space around them as much as possible. To help ensure this, children will be divided into groups with a capacity ranging from 10-16 based on age.
- Children will remain in consistent groups from day to day to avoid unnecessary mingling between children.
- Groups will remain in separate rooms and participate in a rotating outside enrichment schedule.

Cleaning and Sanitation:

- Program will have intensified cleaning and sanitation procedures.
- Rooms will be professionally (deep) cleaned and disinfected at the end each day.
- Staff will also clean regularly/commonly used areas (door knobs/handles, common countertops, etc.) consistently throughout the day as outlined by cleaning schedule and checklist.
- Inside & outside equipment will be sanitized in between usage and at the end of each day.

Handwashing:

- Children and staff will wash their hands consistently throughout the day.
- Handwashing times will include (but is not limited to) upon arrival & departure, before & after using any equipment, before & after playing inside & outside, before & after using the restroom, before & after having lunch and/or snack, and following sneezing or blowing nose.
- Handwashing posters will be placed at each sink to help guide consistent and thorough handwashing.