

US Soccer and the Eastern New York Youth Soccer Association have created protocols for families to follow as we re-enter into soccer activity for the Fall 2020. Please follow these guidelines. The simple rule to follow is that if a child is exhibiting any type of Covid related symptoms; they should not attend the soccer activity.



Beacon Soccer Club Game Day Guidelines:

The 2020-2021 soccer season will be different. Health and safety of our players and volunteers has always been a focal point but this year there is a heightened sense of awareness for protocols that must be followed. We will be asking all members of the Beacon Soccer Club to help to make this year's soccer experience to be fun, happy, and healthy.

Parent Responsibilities:

- Ensure child is healthy and check your child's temperature daily.
 - If your child has any symptoms of coronavirus, do not bring them to that day's soccer activity.
 - Check with your primary care provider for guidance before returning to soccer activities.
- Limited or no carpooling with other players.
- Stay in car or adhere to social distance requirements, based on state and local health requirements.
- When at practice maintain social distancing requirements (6 foot difference from others or wear mask if outside your car).
- Ensure child's clothing is washed after every training session.
- Ensure all equipment, cleats, ball, shin guards etc. are sanitized before and after every training.
- Notify member organization immediately if your child becomes ill for any reason.
- Do not assist coach with equipment before or after training.
- Be sure your child always has sanitizer with them.



State Association

Players will be attending both practices and games during the 2020-2021 season. We need to view this season for what it will be...and that simply a season unlike anything we have experienced. It will be different. We want to be clear, this season will be fun and the focus will be on the development our young athlete's soccer development.

We want families to be able to enjoy to experience of youth sports. To do so, everyone must understand that this experience is happening within the context of a health pandemic. We will implement some new protocols and ask for your patience and understanding as these protocols might grow and change:

Family Responsibilities and Awarenesses:

- Please limit family attendance to only two (2) members of your family to the practices and games – we need to limit the population density at our fields and soccer events.
- Bathrooms will not be available on practice evenings and game days.
- The snack bar will be closed until further notice.
- You will see signs around the field reminding you of social distancing expectations.
- There will be a number of “sanitation” stations around the Sargent field complex.

Player Responsibilities:

- Take temperature daily.
- Wash hands thoroughly before and after training.
- Bring and use, hand sanitizer with you to every training & game.
- Wear mask before and immediately after all training.
- Do not touch or share anyone else's equipment, water, snack or bag.
- Practice social distancing, place bags and equipment at least 6 feet apart.
- Wash and sanitize all equipment before and after every training session.
- No group celebrations, no high 5's, hugs, handshakes etc.

