



VICTORIA SOCCER CLUB

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VICTORIA SOCCER CLUB COVID 19 MEDICAL RAPID RESPONSE PLAN

Victoria Soccer Club's COVID 19 Medical Rapid Response Plan will align to critical public health guidelines <https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-testing-in-alberta.aspx> encompassed by the Government of Alberta [Guidance for Organized Outdoor Sport, Physical Activity and Recreation](#) and Alberta Soccer Association Return to Play Protocol – Phase 1 (released June 5) and Phase 2 (released June 19) and any subsequent revisions. Our Medical Rapid Response Plan also aligns to the CSA Return to Soccer Response Action Plan Guide (released June 10) and any subsequent revisions.

SPOC – Single Point of Contact

A designated staff person is responsible for responding to ALL COVID-19 concerns.

Victoria Soccer Club SPOC:

Emergency Phone Numbers:	911 for ALL Emergencies
Single Point of Contact: Juergen Welz	780 371 1563 VicSocCareTake@gmail.com

Victoria Soccer Club Communication System

Consistent with Federal and Provincial/Territorial privacy regulations, acts, laws, etc. - staff, coaches, officials, and families of players should self-report to the SPOC if:

- A. they have symptoms of COVID-19, or
- B. a positive test for COVID-19 is recorded, or
- C. they were exposed to someone with COVID-19 within the last 14 days.

Please complete the [VSC Health Self Assessment Questionnaire](#) on each day of work, playing or training. Anyone who answers yes to any of the questions should remain home. Please email the SPOC - Juergen Welz - by email VicSocCareTake@gmail.com if you worked, played or attended training, did not feel sick at the time, but subsequently feel sick after working, playing or training. Call 811 if you have any questions in this regard or refer to the Alberta COVID-19 website <https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-testing-in-alberta.aspx>

Advise Sick Individuals to Stay Home

Sick staff members, coaches, officials, or players should not return until they are well enough based on Public Health Agency of Canada and Provincial/Territorial Health Authority guidelines.

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Isolate and/or Transport Those Who are Sick at Activities

Ensure that staff, coaches, officials, players, and families know that sick individuals should not attend work or activities, and that they should notify the SPOC if they (staff), coaches, officials, a youth player (families), or any adult players, become sick with COVID-19 symptoms, test positive for COVID-19, or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19 symptoms, or a confirmed or suspected case. Staff, coaches, officials, and players (youth or adult) with COVID-19 symptoms (<https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-testing-in-alberta.aspx>) at any activity must be immediately masked, separated, and isolated.

There is a first-aid room in the soccer centre facility where possibly infected individuals can be isolated until someone can take them home.

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Players who feel sick during playing or training, please alert your head coach who will alert the SPOC. The SPOC will assess the individual and recommend action including isolating the player. In the case of a youth player, the SPOC will help the player notify her/his parents.

Individuals who are sick should immediately mask up and go home, or to a healthcare facility, depending on how severe their symptoms are. If assistance is needed, they should contact the SPOC who will help them arrange for transportation (a family member or a taxi). Once they are at home, they should then contact their family physician and follow Alberta Health Services' guidance for caring for oneself and others who are sick. Call 811 if you have any questions in this regard or refer to the Alberta COVID-19 website <https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-testing-in-alberta.aspx>.

If an ambulance is needed, the SPOC will recommend such action and call 911. The SPOC will alert the ambulance that the person may have COVID 19.

For 911 purposes, the address of the indoor fields is:

14030 – 142 Street NW, Edmonton, AB T6V 1H8 (indicate which indoor field he/she is on (i.e. North (7v7) or South (9v9)).

Individuals who have had close contact with a player who has symptoms will be requested to mask up and be separated from the rest of the individuals on the field, and in the case of youth players, contact made with their parents. If symptoms develop, individuals and families should follow Alberta Health Services' Guidelines for caring for oneself and others who are sick. Call 811 if you have any questions in this regard or refer to the Alberta COVID-19 website <https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-testing-in-alberta.aspx>. Staff, players (or parents) should contact the SPOC by e-mail VicSocCareTake@gmail.com to alert him to their or their child's condition(s).

Clean and Disinfect Areas

Close off areas used by a sick person and do not use these areas until after cleaning and disinfecting them (this includes surfaces or shared objects in the area). Ensure safe and correct use and storage of cleaning and disinfection products, including storing them securely away from access to children.

All equipment that the sick person may have had contact with will immediately be removed from the playing/training area. These will be disinfected with an approved disinfectant. Bleachers will be fogged with an approved disinfectant.

Notify Local Health Officials and Close Contacts

In accordance with Federal, and Provincial privacy and confidentiality laws and regulations, we will comply with Alberta Health Services' regulations in any given situation.

If asked to be involved in a public health investigation outbreak response communication, we will work with Alberta Health Services as directed.

The SPOC will assist Alberta Health Services with communications to the ASA, EIYSA, club staff, officials, players, and parents, while maintaining confidentiality in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

We will regularly communicate updates to the ASA, EIYSA, club staff, officials, players, and parents, based on guidance from the health authorities.

We will use the, club staff, officials, players, and parents designated emails and not social media.

The SPOC will provide the local health officials with our contact tracing logs and other contact tracing information.

Alberta Health Services and its contact tracing procedures will be responsible for advising those who have had close contact with a person diagnosed with COVID-19 and determine whether someone should stay home and self-monitor for symptoms. The rest of the team members should continue to self-monitor for symptoms.

In the event of a negative COVID-19 test

The affected individual must have two (2) negative COVID-19 tests within a seven (7) day period prior to returning to work, play, or train.