

Werribee Hockey Club Inc

# **COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN**

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### Introduction

The purpose of this COVID-19 Safety Plan (**Plan**) is to provide an overarching plan for the implementation and management of procedures by Werribee Hockey Club to support its members and participants in the resumption of community sport and club activities.

The arrangements set out in this Plan are intended to support members, participants, coaches, officials, administrators/volunteers, visitors, families and the broader community to play hockey under the "Living with COVID" approach of the Victorian government. The Plan provides the framework to govern the general operation of the Werribee Hockey Club, any facilities it controls, the playing/training behaviour of all members and participants at Werribee Hockey Club facilities.

This Plan includes, but is not limited to, the conduct of:

- a. training and competition activities (sport operations); and
- b. facility management and supporting operations (facility operations).

<u>At all times</u> the Plan is subject to all regulations, guidelines and directions of government and public health authorities. This plan has been developed as per information at <u>www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au</u>

#### 1. Key Principles

This Plan is based on updated Victorian Government advice, Department of Health and Human Services – COVID 19 advice.

The advice is now to assist us with living with COVID by following these 6 simple steps to help prevent severe illness and reduce the spread of the virus in our community:

- Be up to date with vaccinations.
- Ensure indoors is well ventilated.
- Wear a mask indoors, especially if can't socially distance.
- If unwell get tested
- If positive isolate and get appropriate support for managing illness
- If in high risk category get medicines available to reduce impact of illness.

#### 2. Responsibilities under this Plan

Werribee Hockey Club retains the overall responsibility for the effective management and implementation of the return to sport activities and operations outlined in this Plan.

The Board of Werribee Hockey Club is responsible for:

- Approving the Plan and overseeing the implementation of the arrangements in the Plan.
- Ensuring all members and visitors to the club are made aware of the requirements under the Plan and
- Revising the Plan as required, ensuring it reflects up to date information from government and public health officials.

The Board has appointed the following person as the Werribee Hockey Club COVID-19 Safety Coordinator to execute the delivery of the Plan and to act as a point of contact for information relating to this Plan:

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Werribee Hockey Club expects all members, participants, coaches, officials, and volunteers to:

- Comply with the health directions of government and public health authorities as issued from time to time;
- Understand and act in accordance with this Plan as amended from time to time;

- Act with honesty and integrity in regard to the state of their personal health and any potential symptoms; and
- Monitor their health and take a cautious approach to self-isolation and reporting of potential symptoms.

#### 3. Return to Sport Arrangements

At the date of writing the original plan Werribee Hockey Club were, training at Level A of the AIS Framework. Subsequent versions outline specific sport requirements that Werribee Hockey Club will implement for transitioning through Victorian Last Step and the latest Vic Government requirements, including the Victoria's Roadmap: Delivering the National Plan and Hockey Victoria This version relates to the Victorian Governments' updates as of November 2022.

Werribee Hockey Club activities as of 8<sup>th</sup> March 2023 All training and competitions will resume under the advice as outlined in key principles of this document.

There is no requirement to show vaccination status. All persons who enter the Werribee Hockey Club no longer need to record their name and contact details via the Club's QR code.

