

**Gateway Recreation Centre
Phase 3.0 Reopening
Protocol as of August 31, 2020**

With the COVID-19 Pandemic and current public health orders, what was once normal is no longer. As a result, a number of precautionary protocols and procedures are being implemented to provide safety to the participants and staff of Gateway Recreation Centre.

Please do not come to Gateway if you or anyone in your family:

- are feeling sick,
- has travelled outside of Manitoba in the last 14 days, excluding travel to western Canada, the territories or Ontario west of Terrace Bay, on a flight or in a workplace cluster of COVID – 19 cases within the last 14 days
- has come into contact with someone who is confirmed to have COVID – 19,
- has been in contact with someone who has laboratory exposure while working directly with COVID – 19 specimens, and/or
- has difficulty breathing or shortness of breath when at rest or lying down.

General Facility Protocol

All staff members and visitors (participants, officials, spectators, etc..) must use the Province of Manitoba Online Screening Tool <https://sharedhealthmb.ca/covid19/screening-tool> to pre-screen before coming to the facility.

- **That all staff, volunteers, user groups, patrons, spectators that enter Gateway Recreation Centre are required to wear a mask at all time while being in the facility. Only sports participants when playing and on the field of play will be allowed to remove their mask.**
- Participants are asked to limit the number of spectators (1 per family) coming to the facility for their ice time. Spectators will be directed to the spectator viewing area located at the mezzanine level in each of the rinks and on the wood deck where they will have to remain while in the facility, except when utilizing the washrooms. No travel from rink to rink is allowed. Capacity in each rink is **75** (2 metres/6 feet apart). Spectators will be responsible to pre-screen prior to entering the facility and hand sanitize when they enter.
- Coaches/ Team Contact will be responsible to self-assess, assess and pre-screen all of their participants prior to entering the facility. They must keep a copy of all participants with name, phone numbers, e-mail address and proof of having been pre-screened for each of their ice times for a minimum of 21 days.
- Participants will line up outside the facility by the designated entrance and enter as a group 2 metres/6 feet apart.

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- Participants will only be able to access the facility **30** minutes prior to their ice time. There is no early entry to the facility, as we need to sanitize dressing rooms, washrooms and the rest of the facility. Please follow posted signs and social distancing requirements (2 metres/6 feet. apart).
- Participants are required to use the provided hand sanitizer when they enter the facility and proceed immediately to their designated dressing rooms.
- All participants must bring their own pre-filled water bottle. Water stations will not be accessible.
- Participants are encouraged to dress at home but will be permitted to dress at the facility. It is highly recommended that U7 and U9 participants arrive to the facility fully dressed except for skates, gloves and helmet.
- **14** participants is allowed in dressing rooms. 2 dressing rooms will be assigned per group.
- **10** participants are allowed on the player's bench.
- Participants can use the washrooms located in between their assigned dressing rooms one person at a time. The use of showers is not allowed.
- There will be no team or individual warm up/training outside the field of play.
- Equipment cannot be left in the dressing rooms after your ice time.
- Coaches/ Team Contact will be responsible to direct the participants to vacate the facility a maximum of **20** minutes after their ice time (2 metres/6 feet apart). It is expected that spectators exit the facility immediately once the ice time is finished. Congregating in the facility will not be allowed.
- All participants and visitors must hand sanitize when exiting the facility.
- Congregating in the parking lot is not permitted.