



Hockey Club Fairbanks Polar Ice Center Mitigation Plan (9/28/2020)

****People not in observance of the rules will be asked to leave the facility. This Policy includes all players, coaches, parents and siblings****

Entering Polar Ice Arena

- Masks must be on (over nose and mouth) before parent/guardian and players enter the building by anyone over 2 years of age in accordance with CDC Guidelines. These measures, while difficult, are necessary for the safety of all.
- Each player is allowed to have 2 spectators enter the building for official games ONLY, not including Pre-Season Puck games which will allow 1 spectator per player. For all practices all players can have 1 spectator in the building that is not volunteering for team responsibilities.
- Players, coaches and volunteers will attempt to maintain 6' distance in the locker room/lobby at all times.
- Enter and exit doors will be clearly marked and families are expected to use doors properly. Players are not permitted in the building until volunteers are in place to ensure protocol is enforced. All players must come dressed to the rink with all gear with the possible exception of skates/helmet and gloves. Skate guards are recommended, so skates can be worn to the rink. Goalie will be permitted to put on pads at the rink.
- All participants will have their temperature checked upon entering the facility. To comply with contact tracing each player's names will be recorded at rink by Team Volunteer. Anyone with a temperature of 100.4 or higher will be expected to leave and not return until the symptom has subsided for a minimum of 24 hours with no fever-reducing medications.

Before Ice Session:

- All participants will be directed to their locker room via the screen in the lobby. Locker rooms will be grouped together to avoid players crossing paths, ex. Red/Orange for one sessions and Green/Yellow for the other.
- Goalies for the 1st session (Red/Orange rooms) will get their gear on and remove it in designated area. Goalies for 2nd session (Green/Yellow rooms) will utilize separate designated area.
- Skate guards will be removed in the locker room, skates tied, etc.. and when the player is ready to get onto the ice, then they will exit the locker room and a volunteer will direct them to appropriate ice entrance (volunteer will ensure that no players from previous session are in the path of the player getting onto the ice). If the ice is not ready, players will keep their mask on and remain in the room until directed onto the ice.

After Ice session

- When ice time is over, players will exit the ice utilizing the same gate that they entered and the HCF volunteer will direct them back into their assigned locker rooms.
- Once skate guards or shoes are put on, children will exit the locker room and an HCF volunteer will direct them to the EXIT door to the lobby. If parents aren't available for immediate pick-up, they will stay in the EXIT portion of the lobby. Players/parents will exit the facility through the outside EXIT door.
- HCF volunteer will direct traffic inside the rink to ensure that no players are exiting in the path that other players will be entering, and child and parent (if accompanied) will enter the facility through the ENTRANCE door
- No showers will be allowed

Before Leaving Polar Ice Arena

- Hockey Club Fairbanks volunteers will be asked to assist in the cleaning of Polar after each of the HCF ice sessions. Cleaning will include wiping down all commonly used surfaces to include door handles, player benches, penalty/clock box area, and locker rooms. All cleaning supplies will be supplied by HCF and stored in the storage room by the Skate Room.ⁱ

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