

## **Turners Gymnastics Safety Standards**

Below is a list of guidelines in place for the next 2-4 weeks minimum with updates made as necessary to increase or decrease certain measures.

Please read carefully.

### **Building**

- Capacity is at 10-15% of our occupancy capability in the gym area in line with Forward Dane Phase 1 and 2 for the fall. We have referenced the WI State legislature, SPS 377.02 (1) "15 square feet per person in gymnasiums." PHMDC Phase 2 (current phase) allows for 50% capacity. We have extended our recreational classes as needed into the hall that is currently not in use which doubles our gym size and greatly increases our capacity capabilities for safety spacing.
- Entrances and exits are separated in a way that avoids congestion and minimizes cross over.
- Spacing of 6ft will be kept by all students during practice. Markers or indicators will be in place at most stations or the equipment.
- Water fountain will be used for filling bottles only (In Dane Co. it is required to have a water fountain available to sport participants) and will be sanitized as needed throughout practices. No touch water fountain available in gym.
- Gymnastics equipment, mats, entrances, common areas, bathrooms and more will be cleaned and sanitized throughout and after practices based on the use and traffic of each area.
- Cleaning products used are a variety of CDC/EPA compliant virucide and disinfectant for all hard surfaces. Material safe cleaners are used for soft materials and floor.
- Foam pit will only be used by specific team groups for higher level skills and sanitized after each use. It will be covered with mats at most times.
- Masks required for all people in Turners building ages 5 & up. Please contact management if you are not able to do so. Public Health of Madison Dane County issued Emergency Order #8 requiring everyone ages 5 & up in a public place to wear a mask and Turners is a public place. Reference: [https://publichealthmdc.com/documents/2020-07-07\\_Order\\_8.pdf](https://publichealthmdc.com/documents/2020-07-07_Order_8.pdf)

### **Students**

- Students exhibiting signs of sickness should not come to class or practice within 24 hours of symptoms. Please inform staff if your child comes into contact with someone that has tested positive with COVID-19. If any student or family comes in contact with someone with COVID-19, they should not come to practice until they are cleared.
- All students ages 5 & up will need to wear a mask. They will be able to take it off in their own area as needed or while practicing certain skills on certain events.
- Team students will be drop off and pick up only for the summer at least. Exceptions may be made for parents with children 5 or younger and limited to one adult per child.

Parents are welcome to wait in parking lot in vehicle or outside of vehicle maintaining social distancing measures.

- For recreational students, pick up and drop off is encouraged for ages 6 & up as limited space is available in viewing area. We ask that parents of older children are considerate of this guideline so parents with young children are able to stay. When possible, limit number of additional family members.
- Temperatures will be taken with no touch forehead thermometers at the door by one of our staff for the summer months at least. We encourage parents to check children's temperatures at home before coming to practice. Students with temperatures of 100.4 or greater will not be able to join practice.
- Students will have their hands sprayed with hand sanitizer at door before practice, have the choice to wash hands with soap and water as well and be instructed to wash hands after each practice.
- Students will have access to hand sanitizer during practice.
- Students should bring their own water bottle and will be able to carry with them throughout the practice. Disposable cups are available for students who do not have a water bottle.
- Chalk will be kept individually by team students. Students may bring their own zip lock or plastic Tupperware to put their chalk in and we will provide the chalk pieces to put in as well as small baggies if student does not have one.
- Recreational students will not be using chalk at this time.
- Team students should have their own chalk water spray bottle for grips. We may be able to provide some for students who do not bring one, but are not able to guarantee that yet.
- Class sizes will be limited to a maximum of 4, 6, 8, or 10 based on space available, age, level and time of practice.
- Schedules and start times are staggered to allow for minimal overlap of groups starting and ending at the same times.
- Make-up classes or practices are not offered at this time.

### Staff

- Staff will wear be wearing masks.
- Staff will wash their hands before and after each practice and use hand sanitizer as needed during practice.
- Staff will practice a 24 hour wellness standard. If a staff member does not feel well, they will inform management in advance and not work their shift. Temperatures of staff will be taken before each shift.
- A mask will be worn at all times while spotting and hand sanitizer will be used between students.
- Additional staff will be on hand when available to direct students to entrances/exits, clean, sanitize and provide assistance as needed.

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