



Affiliate/Community Program Confirmation of Meeting Minimum Standards for Return to Sport

as of June 21, 2021

The following are minimum standards required for Affiliate/ Community Programs to Return to Sport in Alberta safely. Local programs may choose to implement additional protocols that exceed the minimum standards.

Affiliate

		Response
SOA is targeting the summer/fall season for a re-launch of programs. Ongoing monitoring of COVID-19 and changes to AHS requirements may impact the targeted re-launch dates, and future possible closures.		
1	We will run our sport programs according to Special Olympics Alberta's Return to Sport Guidelines, minimum health standards and facility requirements.	
2	We will follow SOA's re-launch guidelines and get approval prior to starting programs.	
3	We have submitted a list of programs we plan to offer and the start dates to SOA for approval before start up.	
4	We confirm that our programs will abide by the Cohort guidelines outlined by SOA and AHS (if applicable)	
5	We have an Emergency Action Plan in place for all programs.	
6	We have sport specific protocols, safety and sanitation measures in place for each sport as recommended by SOA.	
7	We have a process to communicate program expectations to athletes, volunteers, and other stakeholders (including: staff, parents, guardian, etc.) prior to start up of programs.	
8	We have an attendance tracking process in place to track all individuals that are in attendance at the weekly programs.(Including athletes, coaches, volunteers, parents, caregivers and spectators.) These tracking records must be uploaded into SOA's database prior to the next week's program.	
9	We understand that individuals cannot participate or be in attendance at a program while sick.	
10	We have read and understand the protocols in place in the RTP document should a positive case of COVID-19 be suspected or confirmed.	
11	We confirm that all athletes, coaches, volunteers and 1 on 1 volunteers must complete the Official Registration form and sign the Participant Waiver, Promotional Media Opt-Out Form and COVID-19 Declaration and Agreement from Special Olympics in Canada in order to be eligible to participate in our programs.	
12	All Head Coaches and one other sport volunteer must participate in any mandatory RTP specific training and sport specific meetings prior start up of programs.	
13	We will adhere to all Safe sport guidelines and practices as previously outlined from SOA.	
Comments:		

The information in this application is complete and correct.

Completed

Date: