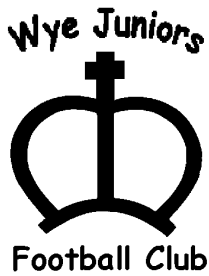


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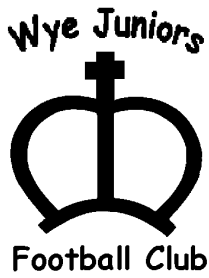
Hazard	Control method in place.	Risk
Covid-19 Infection reporting/tempera ture checks	<p>Temperature checks will be carried out on ALL players before sessions/matches begin. (Subject to guidance and ongoing advise).</p> <p>36°C – 37°C Normal.</p> <p>37°C – 38°C Low fever. Cautionary.</p> <p>38°C or above Fever. Isolate, repeat check after a few minutes, if still high send home.</p> <p><b>It is the responsibility of the parents/carers of each child if an individual is symptomatic, living in a household with a possible Covid-19 infection or if classified as extremely vulnerable on health grounds, the guidance is they should remain at home.</b></p>	High
Covid-19 Parent/carer consent. Attendee register	<p>In order to comply with the current government guidance WJFC will require EVERYONE who attends a training session or match to complete a consent form giving full contact information as well as each participant undertakes the</p> <p>a self-screen check list before travelling to a training session or other football activity. If they answer 'yes' to any one of them they should not travel to the training session/match and follow all applicable Government Guidance.</p>	High
Covid-19 The wearing of masks	<p>The wearing of face masks during a WJFC training session/match will SOLELY be at the discretion of the parent and or player.</p> <p>WJFC will continue to monitor Government and FA/Sport England guidance in this respect.</p>	Medium
Covid-19 Water Bottles Medication Hand Sanitiser.	<p>Parents MUST ensure that their child has their own water bottle, hand sanitiser, sun cream and any necessary medication (e.g. inhaler). All items belonging to their child should be labelled with their name and should not be used by anyone else.</p>	High



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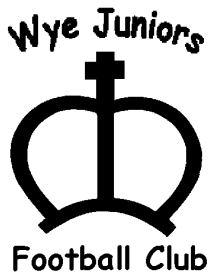
Covid-19 Hand Sanitiser.	<p>The players will be asked to bring hand sanitiser with them as part of their kit.</p> <p>Their hands should be sanitised at the start and end of the session/match.</p> <p>The players and coaches will sanitise their hands on 20 minute intervals.</p> <p>A group hand sanitiser will be available from the coach but should only be used if the player does not have his own and with the parents/carers consent.</p>	High
Covid-19 Footballs	<p>Footballs in use will be sprayed with a disinfectant product at the start and end of each session/match. <b>This is the responsibility of the lead coach/manager of the session/team.</b></p> <p>The players will be asked not to pick up the balls at any stage, only using their feet to kick and control the ball.</p>	High
Covid-19. Cones and training equipment	<p>WJFC will only use training cones during its sessions. These will be used to mark the pitch and identify areas that the players need to move to when within a passing and moving session.</p> <p>All cones and equipment will be sanitised before and after each practise session. <b>This is the responsibility of the lead coach/manager of the session/team.</b></p>	High
Covid-19 Player injury	<p>The WJFC coach will initially assess any player, incurring an injury during the session/match. The coach will continue, where appropriate, to maintain social distance. Further participation or treatment will then be agreed between player, parent and coach.</p> <p><b>ALL</b> appropriate PPE is to be used by the WJFC coach/first aider when treating injuries. These must be minimum of gloves and face mask. If required face visors will be available to the coach/first aider.</p>	High



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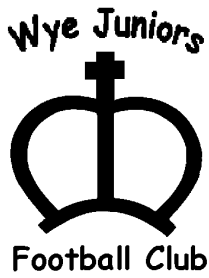
<p>Covid-19 Social distancing and FA guidance during match &amp; training session</p>	<p>WJFC will look to maintain the recommended FA and Government guidance at all times. These are currently as follows: Competitive training can take place for all participants, in an outdoor setting provided this takes place in groups of no more than 30 (including coaches).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Competitive match play is permitted, with social distancing in place before and after the session/match, and in any breaks in play.</li> <li>• The sharing of kit and equipment should be avoided and participants should bring their own drinks or refreshments, in named containers.</li> <li>• When the ball goes out of play, it <b>should not</b> be retrieved by non-participants and should be retrieved using the feet rather than the hands where possible.</li> <li>• Participants must not spit and should avoid shouting or raising their voices when facing each other.</li> <li>• Set plays: players are encouraged to avoid unnecessarily long set-up or close marking.</li> </ul> <p>Other modifications apply to specific situations, such as goal celebrations being discouraged.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Youth football coaches are encouraged to limit persistent close proximity of participants during match play and training.</li> <li>• Observing rigorous hygiene standards, injuries can be treated.</li> </ul>	<p style="color: red;">High</p>
<p>Covid-19 Social distancing of Spectators</p>	<p>Spectator groups should be limited to six people per group and spread out in line with wider <b>Government guidance</b>.</p>	<p style="color: red;">High</p>



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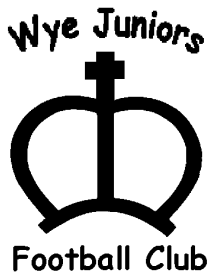
Covid-19 Parent availability	Parents will be asked to attend the sessions/matches, placing themselves 4 metres away from the perimeter of the session and 2 meters apart from each other. Parents ARE responsible to ensure that players have their own hand sanitiser and water bottles.	<b>High</b>
Covid-19 Toilet facilities	The toilet facility at Dark Lane will be open for use. 2m distancing is mandatory and only 1 person (or 1 person and their parent/carer) to use at a time. Hand washing/sanitiser available both in the individual toilets and in the club house. Toilet facilities to be cleaned and sanitised before and after each session/match.	<b>High</b>
Covid-19 Changing rooms	Changing rooms will be closed and locked for the foreseeable future and only accessed by WJFC staff and coaches.	<b>High</b>
Covid-19 Kitchen Refreshments	With the exception of access to drinking water the kitchen area and facilities will remain closed until it is decided by the WJFC Committee it is safe to re-open and only after ALL safety guidelines are in place.	<b>High</b>
Covid-19 Goalposts (both permanent and temporary)	It will be the parent's responsibility to decide as to whether their child uses the goalposts before or after the WJFC controlled session/match. The WJFC session/match may/will use the portable goalposts and nets. These will be sprayed with a disinfectant product and wiped down prior to the start of the session/match. Players will be encouraged, not to touch the portable goals during the session and if seen by the coach, will be asked to sanitise their hands before resuming the session.	<b>Medium/ High</b>



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Covid-19 Arriving and leaving the venue	Parents are asked to arrive at the venue no earlier than 15 minutes before the start of a session/match and leave immediately at the end of the session/match. Please avoid mixing before or after each session/match in groups of more than 6 people. Please ensure that the players maintain appropriate social distancing prior to and after each WJFC training session/match.	Medium/ High
Covid-19 Spitting	The Players will be asked not to spit during these sessions/matches, and we would encourage parents to reinforce this message to Players prior to training or match play when permitted.	High
Weather extremes	In high winds, where any type of moving object across the training area could cause injury, training sessions/matches will be cancelled. In the event of extreme weather including lightening, where any child's health could be put in danger the training session/match will be cancelled. The welfare of the children will be fully considered before the start, or continuance, of any WJFC football training session/match.	Low/ Medium
Footwear	WJFC football coaches promote appropriate footwear for the playing surface and have the right to stop players playing if considered unsuitable	Low/ Medium
Footballs	Footballs are pumped to an appropriate pressure and no longer used if stitching or leather comes away from the ball.	Low
General state of the pitch	The pitch facility at any WJFC training session or game will be fully reviewed prior to the commencement of the activity. Coaches/Ground staff will look to have holes filled prior to commencement of activity and ensure that any immediately identifiable foreign objects are removed.	Medium/ High



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Jewellery	All jewellery is either removed or taped before any participation by the player, in both a training session or game. If not the WJFC official has the right to ask for the item to be removed, before further participation.	<b>Low</b>
Conduct of players	All players are expected to respect the rules of the FA and act with respect to all peers and officials.	<b>Low</b>
Physical injury	Players are encouraged to warm up and warm down properly prior to any commencement of training session or game. They are expected to advise the Coaches of any type of injury prior to or during any game or training session. Whilst Shin Pads do not have to be worn during ball working sessions, they must be worn during any type of game related exercise. Failure to action this requirement may result in expulsion from the game related exercise. Officials at all Games and Training sessions hold a Medical Kit.	<b>Medium</b>
Dehydration/ Exhaustion	All Players must bring with them appropriately filled Water Bottles for their own personal use during every training session or Game. Any Player showing signs of or complaining of exhaustion will be rested from the session until considered able to continue.	<b>Medium</b>