

Highbridge Aquatics Health & Wellness Re-Entry Protocol

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Center for Disease Control and Prevention

There is no evidence that the virus that causes COVID-19 can be spread to people through the water in pools, hot tubs, spas, or water play areas. Proper operation and maintenance (including disinfection with chlorine and bromine) of these facilities should inactivate the virus in the water.

All persons eligible for vaccination are encouraged, but not required, to do so.

Effective May 20, 2021

PRACTICE SCHEDULING

1. Current guidelines allow 75% capacity at indoor pools- HA is a small team and is well under capacity restrictions at this time, and we will continue to be monitored for any needed changes.
2. Weightlifting will be conducted at a private facility and athlete numbers will be limited to allow for 6 ft social distancing-. Equipment will be cleaned by athletes after use.

ENTRY and EXIT PROCEDURES

1. HA will follow the entry protocols set by Asbury University for the Luce Center. Summer swim will follow the entry protocols for Kentucky Parks and Rec pools.

PARENT PROTOCOL

1. Parents are expected to follow all COVID-19 policies and protocols of our host facilities, as well as any federal or state mandates.

COACHES AND STAFF

Highbridge Aquatics will

1. Ask coaches and staff to follow all local, state and federal mandates for COVID-19. They will be asked to adhere to all policies and protocols of host facilities.
2. Provide coaches with up-to-date education and training on COVID-19 risk factors and protective behaviors.

DURING PRACTICE

1. Swimmers and coaches are asked to follow the policies and protocols of all host facilities as well as any federal or state mandates that are in effect.
2. Athletes are asked to avoid sharing drinks or towels.
3. Athletes and coaches are encouraged to maintain social distancing when taking a break.
4. Athletes/coaches who begin to cough/sneeze for any reason, must move away from others until coughing/sneezing dissipates.
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DISINFECTING

The pool water is constantly being disinfected by chlorine. The facilities will be cleaned according to the Asbury management/staff directions.