

# ***West Valley School District 208***

## ***Mandatory COVID Health & Safety Requirements for Indoor Community Facility Use***

**Note: These health & safety requirements include, but are not limited to the following;**

**Mask wearing:** *Coaches will wear masks at all times while in the WVSD's facilities. Athletes will not wear masks while competing, but will wear masks when/if they are not in competitive drills/exercises (i.e. – before/after practice, stretching, entering the facility, water breaks, etc.)*

**Social Distancing:** Everyone will maintain social distancing as much as possible while in the WVSD's facilities and as often as possible in the context of competing in sports practices. The general rule will be 6' or more during times where practice plans allow distancing.

**Limiting group sizes:** Only one team will practice in a gym/area per time slot. Parents will not be allowed to stay and watch indoor sports practices. The practicing team will be required to clear their team from the gym/area prior to the next scheduled teams entering the gym/area for practice, in order to minimize contact between teams.

**Cleaning and sanitizing:** We can greatly reduce/eliminate the need for any additional cleaning and/or sanitizing, so students/coaches will not be allowed to utilize the bleachers. Athletes will sit on the floor to change their shoes, etc. In addition, teams must have hand sanitizer available and encourage regular handwashing while using the facilities. Bathroom use will be very limited and each student must bring their own water bottle in order as accessing drinking fountains will be prohibited.

**Health and safety protocol knowledge/enforcement:** Any team found to be violating the West Valley School Districts Mandatory COVID Health and Safety Requirements for Indoor Community Facility Use will get one warning only. All second violations will result in an automatic cancelation of the teams and/or organizations approved/scheduled facility use request until further notice.