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**Lloydminster Interval Home Society**

**COVID – 19**

**Youth Centre Protocols**

The following screening questions will be posted on top of the sign-in sheet:

1. **Have you been exposed to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) that you know of?**
2. **Have you travelled outside of Canada in the past 14 days?**
3. **Do you currently or have you recently had body chills or a temperature above normal?**
4. **Do you currently or have you recently had a new cough or worsening chronic cough?**
5. **Do you currently or recently have you had trouble breathing or a new/worsening shortness of breath?**
6. **Do you currently or have you recently had a sore throat or difficulties swallowing?**
7. **Do you currently have a runny or stuffy nose?**

* A column declaring “No” to Covid-19 screening questions has been added to the sign in sheet before youth enter.
* Temperatures will be taken before programs
* A Covid-19 Assumption of Risk Waiver has been added to the Membership Form and to the Summer Program package
* Staff will explain current COVID-19 Youth Centre Guidelines to youth on a regular and reoccurring basis
* Hours of operation have been reduced
* Maximum capacity has been reduced
* Outside activities will be the preferred events
* Masks and gloves will be available to youth
* Mask will be required during transportation and when there are more than 5 youth present in the building
* Outside doors will be left open whenever possible to increase ventilation
* Youth will follow masking/social distancing protocols at all times including during transportation (see LIHS Policy)
* Ample sanitization supplies, masks, and gloves will be made available to youth

**Practice of Social Distancing**

* 1. Chairs and stools will be eliminated so that distancing can occur
  2. Couches will have a max of one youth per couch
  3. Signs will be posted, and reminders will be given by staff

**Sanitization**

* + - * 1. Sanitized pens will be available for sign in
        2. Handwashing reminders will be frequent
        3. Automatic hand sanitizers are available in three locations
        4. Wipes are available at each station and table
        5. Youth will wipe equipment after each use
        6. Staff will sanitize tables, chairs and equipment regularly
        7. Washrooms will be sanitized after each use
        8. Youth drop-in hours have been reduced to allow for extra sanitization procedures to occur
        9. Staff will increase sanitization of contact points and doors will be left open whenever possible.
        10. Piano and guitars will not be available at this time.

**Food**

1. Food will be plated by staff wearing gloves and masks for serving
2. Individual drink containers will be used
3. Sealed drinks and snacks will be available at the canteen
4. Handwashing will be strictly enforced before eating
5. Food safety guidelines will be followed during preparation