**COVID 19 Resources and Safe Play**

QCSA is providing some guidelines around ensuring that all players, spectators, officials are kept safe when at training or games. Clubs should be aware of the Public Health requirements relating to the conduct of sporting activities and the protocols that must be observed when your Club is conducting any activity for your participants. Be aware that the Queensland Government advice is constantly being upgraded in this current COVID situation. Current Queensland Government advice with community sport is (at 11 January 2022):

**Restrictions for sport, recreation, and fitness organisations - Outdoor Sport**

If you are sick or unwell you stay away from all training and games and go and get tested.

Outdoor based organisations are no longer considered a restricted business, activity or undertaking. Therefore, organisations are not required to comply with the COVID Checklist.

Both vaccinated and unvaccinated people can participate in sporting activities.

Both vaccinated and unvaccinated people will be permitted entry to indoor sport centres, indoor social sporting and recreation-based activities and community clubs, however occupant density limits of one person per two square metres will apply.

Unvaccinated persons will not be permitted to clubhouse or function rooms with food and beverage services, cafes, pubs clubs and bars (licensed areas).

Both vaccinated and unvaccinated people are able to visit a canteen for takeaway

It is not possible for contact sports to observe physical distancing while undertaking activity, however physical distancing should be observed at all other times, where possible.

Whilst not mandatory, it's best practice to continue to clean frequently touched surfaces and shared equipment.

Indoor spaces associated with outdoor venues such as clubhouses are required to follow occupant density requirements of one person per four square metre

**TRAINING SESSIONS**

On arrival, sign in using QR Code.

Train in groups as directed. Training in smaller team/squad groups should be considered.

Everyone to have their own drink bottle labelled with name.

Before training commences, players should wash their hands and apply hand sanitiser.

Leave the ground when training finishes.

**DRESSING ROOMS**

 Avoid congregation in dressing rooms. Use dressing rooms only as required and conduct team gatherings outdoors.

At all times observe the four square metre rule – signs should be placed at the entry of each dressing room with the maximum number displayed.

**HYGIENE**

Before training and matches, players should wash their hands and apply hand sanitiser after arrival at the ground and before taking the field for warm up training.

**CANTEEN OPERATIONS**

All Canteen staff to always wear gloves and face mask.

Food can be prepared and in line with appropriate hygiene procedures.

Tea and Coffee to be sold in disposable cups only.

**OFF THE FIELD**

Maintain social distancing.

No forming huddles either off or on the ground.

Leave the ground as soon as possible after training and games.