



CENTRAL GAUTENG LIONS

Covid-19 Protocols

ARRIVING AND OFF THE FIELD OF PLAY:

1. Masks must always be worn during travel including when using team buses. For the teams using team buses for players, temperatures must be taken prior to on-boarding to ensure that players not feeling well are sent home. It is the responsibility of the team to ensure that all checks are done to minimise the risk of mass infections.
2. A covid-19 compliance officer must be appointed at all venues. He/She must oversee all protocols and the implementation thereof.
3. All players to be screened upon arriving at the match venue and should be sanitized before entering the facility and when leaving.
4. Usage of dressing must be kept to the minimum number to avoid over crowding and seating arrangements must always also practice social distancing with masks worn.
5. No spectators allowed at the field, only players and team management.
6. No equipment sharing and, in the situation, where this is unavoidable, the equipment must always be sanitized prior to usage.
7. No sharing of water bottles and towels will be permitted.
8. Hand washing bays must be available with soap and sanitizer available.
9. All teams must have teams available on hand with temperatures of players taken on the day of the match. These will be handed to the match officials prior to the toss.
10. All teams will adhere to the covid-19 protocols as required and stipulated by the department of health, Department of Education and Department of Sports and REC practising good hygiene habits.
11. Lunches will not be provided and in the instance where hosting teams prefer to do so, it must be packed lunches to avoid sit down lunches.

ON THE FIELD OF PLAY:

1. No sharing of water bottles is allowed.
2. No use of saliva is allowed and if any player does so, the ball will be handed to the umpires to wipe with the sanitizing towels as per ICC regulations.
3. Avoid handshakes and any form of touching during celebrating wickets etc.
4. Umpires and not to handle any items belonging to players. Teams are to make other arrangements with their belongings.

AFTER THE MATCH:

1. No handshakes or touching of any kind is permitted.
2. No showering allowed. Teams are to depart straight after the match.
3. No socializing allowed after the match.
4. Social distancing to be maintained and masks must be worn when leaving the premises.