

SPORTS VENUE COVID-19 OPERATIONS PLAN

DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP SERVICE DEPARTMENT – PARKS



ATHLETIC EVENTS: FIELD USE PERMITS & SPECIAL EVENT PERMITS

GENERAL

- Athletic fields and open green space may be reserved for athletic practices, games, and competitions.
- Deerfield Township grants exclusive use of athletic fields and open green space to third party organized sports organizations through Field Use Permits and Special Event Permits.
- Deerfield Township does not provide staffing for athletic events.

SAFETY PROTOCOLS

REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Please visit www.coronavirus.ohio.org regularly for the most up-to-date information.

Document	Link
ODH Director's Order Signed August 28, 2020	https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/publicorders/DO-Sports-First-Amended-08.28.20.pdf
Youth, Collegiate, Amateur, Club and Professional Sports	https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/responsible/Youth-Collegiate-Amateur-Club-Pro-Sports.pdf
Sports Venues	https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/responsible/Sports-Venues.pdf

COMPLIANCE

- The Permit Holder is responsible for ensuring that participants, coaches/staff, volunteers, vendors, and spectators follow all applicable sector specific operating requirements in effect under the Responsible RestartOhio at the time of permitted use.
- Each Permit Holder shall designate, in writing and prior to facility use, a compliance officer whose responsibility it is to ensure that all applicable Ohio Department of Health Director's Orders are followed under the permit.
- The Permit Holder shall provide the name, phone number, and email address of their organization's compliance officer to Deerfield Township at the following email addresses: jsmiddy@deerfieldtwp.com and parksinfo@deerfieldtwp.com.

ACCOUNTABILITY FOR SPORTS VENUE REQUIREMENTS

- When Deerfield Township facilities are in use under a Field Use Permit or Special Event Permit, the Permit Holder shall assume responsibility for all applicable mandatory sector specific operating requirements of Sports Venues unless expressly indicated as a Deerfield Township responsibility below.
- Deerfield Township assumes responsibility for the following mandatory requirements for Sports Venues.
 - Deerfield Township will clean and disinfect restroom facilities one time per day.
 - Deerfield Township will display the CDC print resource [Protect Yourself and Others from COVID-19](#) as signage concerning hygiene, physical separation, and face coverings.
 - When Deerfield Township is notified that a COVID-19 case has been identified at the venue, Deerfield Township shall assume responsibility for closing the facility, contracting with an appropriate cleaning company, and covering the cost of the cleaning services.