

MHA Return to Play updated on 2/10/2021

Please be aware of the “Return to Play Standards” that have been set forth by the State of Michigan and the Michigan Amateur Hockey Association (MAHA). The Manistique Hockey Association is required to follow these guidelines. For additional information, please refer to www.maha.org.

In addition to the standard rules and requirements for participation in youth hockey, the following practices and procedures will be followed until further notice:

- Appropriate face shields/masks are required by all players, coaches and spectators while inside the arena. This is for both on and off the ice.
- Social distancing (defined as 6 feet) should be maintained whenever possible. This is for both on and off the ice.
- Hand hygiene should be performed when entering the arena and after contact with any high touch surfaces.
- Players and/or coaches with any COVID-19 symptoms SHOULD NOT participate in any team related activity.
- All players, coaches and/or spectators exhibiting signs or symptoms of an illness SHOULD NOT enter the facility at any point until symptoms are resolved.
- All players, coaches and/or spectators awaiting results from a COVID-19 test SHOULD NOT be in the facility until a negative result has been confirmed and symptoms are resolved.
- All MHA members MUST inform the coach/association/team of any positive test for someone in your household, or any confirmed exposure to an individual who has tested positive for Covid19.
- Water bottles will not be supplied by the Association/coaches. All players are required to bring personal water bottles to only be used by that player. Names should be prominently written on the bottle to avoid any confusion.
- Players are required to arrive fully dressed. Benches will be available for putting on skates and helmets.
- Player drop off will be NO MORE than 10 minutes prior to the scheduled practice/game time.
- We ask all families to be PROMPT with pickup.
- Spectators will be limited to **2 per player**.
- The concession stand will be closed until further notice. Vending machines will be available.

- The warming area on the second level as well as the concession stand area will be closed.
- The restrooms within the concession stand area will remain open.
- If infection rates rise and schools close within our district the Association will follow suit and close until we can safely reopen with the schools.
- There will be no open skating at this time. The Manistique Hockey Association is committed to providing a safe environment for all of our members during this unprecedented time. Although not ideal, these practices and procedures will help us reduce the risk of exposure and hopefully allow us to have a full season of hockey!