

Game Day Procedures and Protocols

As the season is getting ready to kick off this weekend, we are wanting to put some mandates out there that ALL TEAMS, PARENTS, Club Admins/Coaches, Team Managers, and Players WILL ADHERE to.

First and Foremost,

- 1) **Health Assessments** must be complete before every game for players (should be completed by the players parent, NOT a club staff or coach). No health assessment submitted; no play permitted. Referees, Coaches, Team Managers and Club Staff should also be conducting self-checks of themselves before entering the fields. Health Assessments should be provided by each club to their parents of each player.
- 2) **NO MASK – NO ENTRY to any game under AAYSA. (This is not a choice)**
 - a) Coaches must ALWAYS wear their mask to and from their vehicle and throughout the game on the sidelines (unless giving direction)
 - b) Players must ALWAYS wear their mask to and from their vehicle, and on the sideline always (only exception is when on the field playing)
 - c) Spectators (Parents/Family Members) in accordance with the CDC all people age 2 and older must wear masks. Masks must always be worn to and from their vehicle and on the sideline.
- 3) **Game-Cards:** must be turned in immediately after the game by the home team club, we highly suggest that the opposing team takes a photo of it once all signatures have been added. All players who are present MUST be checked in on the gamecard for proper contact tracing if needed. Coaches before signing please make sure all your correct players are checked in on the game card (with a check next to their name) and all is correct. If it is not please address it there with the refs and ensure its correct. YOU MUST SHOW VIRTUAL CARDS for your Players. Coaches MUST always have Visible their kid-safe badge.

*****Those in violation will be asked to leave the game*****

Seating Arrangements:

Home team players will sit on the same side of the field as the home team parents with the halfway line separating them, and on the opposite side of the field will be the Away team (Document can be found on aaysa.org home page)

It is best practice for players to bring their own water and not share any items with others on their team. We encourage parents and players to carry their own sanitizer to games as well.

All teams must adhere to South Texas Reporting Protocols

All of the above mandates should be followed during all AAYSA games. Clubs can impose a more restrictive mandate for their location; however, it must be on their website and shared with the coaches to provide to their opponents to share with their parents 1 week prior to game day.