

# Guidance for Oklahoma's Open Up and Recover Safely Plan: Overnight Camps

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## **Sanitation & Disinfecting Guidelines**

- You are encouraged to develop, implement, maintain and revise a cleaning and disinfecting plan for your campgrounds, as well as, establish procedures in the event a camper or staff member becomes ill. This may include the following:
  - Separating campers who are sick and notifying parents immediately of any illness.
  - Safely taking sick campers home or to a healthcare facility and thoroughly disinfecting rooms and materials used to care for sick campers.
  - Have trained back-up staff

## **Enhanced Hygiene Considerations**

- Ensure that access to handwashing/hand sanitizing facilities and supplies are available for employees and campers.
- Encourage employees and campers to use good hygiene including proper handwashing and observe respiratory etiquette. Discourage sharing of personal items.
- Consider offering options for staff and campers who are in vulnerable populations (e.g. teleworking or virtual learning opportunities).
- Consider messages to remind campers to prevent the spread of COVID-19. These messages may include suggestions to stay at home if you are sick or do not feel well, and what to do if you're sick or feel ill.

## **Social Distancing Guidelines**

- It is at the discretion of camp organizers or local officials to determine when and if social distancing measures should be applied.
- Camp organizers should use their best judgement taking into account factors such as location and size of venue when determining the appropriate levels of social distancing and group size.

For additional details on overnight camps we recommend using the latest [CDC guidelines](#) to reduce exposure to the virus.

*Please note this guidance is not comprehensive, it is intended to serve as a tool to help camp organizers establish general protocols encountered in various situations. Effective safety measures that protect employees and citizens are critical to a successful reopening of our great state. There are unique situations not covered here, and we rely on collaboration with our local officials, businesses and citizens using their best judgement during this unprecedented time. We must all take responsibility to protect those in our community. Thank you for doing your part to ensure the safety of all Oklahomans.*