



## **2021 Summer Camp Protocols for Operations, Sanitizing, and Social Distancing**

Until regulations and recommendations change with the PA Department of Health and Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Twirl will implement the following policies for the operation of 2021 summer camps:

- Camp staff members and campers must stay home if they are feeling ill, displaying symptoms of COVID-19, or have had close contact with someone with COVID-19 in the past 14 days.
- All camp staff members are required to wear face masks.
- Face coverings are required for campers as they enter and exit the building and any time they are out of their social distancing squares. We anticipate that by summer 2021 face coverings will not be required for campers for the entirety of the camp, as they weren't required for summer camps in 2020. However, if the PA Dept of Health and CDC require that children wear masks at all times, Twirl will comply with this regulation.
- All camp staff and all campers have their temperature taken at the beginning of the day. Campers and camp staff are not allowed inside the building and will be sent home if their temperature exceeds 100°F.
- Camper drop off and pickup happens at their cars in the parking lot to limit exposure inside the building. Staggered drop off and pick up times will be assigned for efficiency and parking lot safety. Parents and caretakers are not allowed in the building during drop off and pickup. Please take this into consideration for campers who might have separation anxiety.
- Campers wash their hands or use hand sanitizer when they arrive at camp, when they change rooms, and as they leave camp.
- Campers are divided into smaller groups not to exceed nine campers. To limit exposure, these groups remain as separate from each other as possible.

- Bathroom surfaces that are touched including but not limited to door knobs, faucet handles, toilet flush handles, toilet seats, and liquid soap pumps will be sanitized every hour.
- Non- bathroom door knobs, door handles, light switches, and other items that are touched throughout the day will be sanitized regularly.
- There will be no sharing of dance props or craft supplies. Individual campers will be assigned a dedicated craft supply packet for individual use only. Packets may include crayons, markers, glue sticks, scissors and other items used for crafts and/or dance props. These will be sealed in a bag and labeled with the camper's name for use only for that individual camper. Campers will keep these supplies at the end of the camp.
- Outside and interior doors will be open as much as possible to allow for air circulation.
- As much as possible, staff and campers will maintain a social distance of 6 feet. Handing out craft supplies and walking campers in and out of the building may be exceptions. To ensure proper social distancing there will be taped squares on the floor designating individual dance and craft/snack areas.
- Craft and snack activities will not take place sitting at a table as they have in the past. These will happen with campers sitting on the floor within taped areas.
- Campers will provide their own their own snack and water bottle.
- Acrobatics mats will have designated socially distanced taped off squares for individual acrobats. Mats will be cleaned and sanitized between each use.
- Floors will be steam cleaned before each camp and every time campers switch rooms.