



Storyoga Inc. COVID19 Safety Plan

Measures we have implemented to limit our exposure and transmission of COVID-19

- **Routine daily screening for all staff and students:** all parents (on behalf of their child) and staff are required to complete an online screening questionnaire before arriving each day. A link to this screening form is available on our website under our COVID19 page.
- **New health and wellness policy for children, parents, caregivers and staff:** no-one will be permitted to attend the program if they have symptoms of COVID-19 or have travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days or have been identified by public health as a close contact of a person with a confirmed case of COVID-19. Children or staff with symptoms are required to self isolate for 10 days and may return to Storyoga once they are assessed by their family physician or nurse practitioner and it is determined that they do NOT have COVID-19 and their symptoms have resolved.
- **Amended schedule and programming:** an amended schedule has been implemented to allow for an increase in time spent outdoors as per licensing and BCCDC recommendations.
- **Amended drop-off and pick-up procedure to take place outside:** drop off and pick up will take place at the playground gates in the back field **rain or shine**. Parents will not be permitted to enter the building unless absolutely necessary to minimize close contact and possible transmission. If necessary, only one parent or caregiver will be permitted to enter the budding at a time. Parents or caregivers are required to use alcohol based hand sanitizer before entering.

Only one family will be permitted to approach the gate at a time. Heart posts have been added to ensure a 2 metre distance while waiting to approach the gate. Only one parent will be permitted to enter the playground space at a time if necessary.

- **Staff and children will follow stringent health protocols:** staff will wash or sanitize hands upon entering the building and will practise frequent and thorough hand washing throughout the day.

Children are required to sanitize their hands before entering the playground with alcohol based hand sanitizer provided. Parents are encouraged to as well.

Hand washing stations having been added outside with hand soap and outdoor hand towels. Children will be encouraged to wash hands more frequently as we increase the amount of time spent outdoors.

- **Routine and frequent environmental cleaning:** all high touch surfaces (door handles, light switches, washrooms, sinks, etc.) will be cleaned 2 - 3 times per day. A daily cleaning log will be signed off on and maintained. All outdoor materials will be washed at the end of each day and all outdoor materials.

We will be limiting the number of toys and materials available indoors and sanitizing each item at the end of each day. All surfaces will be sanitized.

- **Staff training:** we have a training plan to ensure everyone is trained in workplace policies and procedures. All staff will receive the policies for staying home when sick. Staff will practise social distancing when possible. We have posted signage within our workplace, including effective hygiene practices

Managers have been trained on monitoring workers and the workplace to ensure policies and procedures are being followed.