



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 refer to a daily health check form before arriving each day.
- **New health and wellness policy for children, parents, caregivers and staff:** no-one will be permitted to attend the program if they have any of the listed “Key Symptoms of Illness” outlined in the daily health check, if they have returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days, and/or if they have been identified by public health as a close contact of a person with a confirmed case of COVID-19.

If parents (on behalf of their child) or staff answer “YES” to two of more of the questions included under “Key Symptoms of Illness,” or staff or children have a fever or difficulty breathing, a health assessment is required. A health assessment includes calling 8-1-1, or a primary care provider like a physician or nurse practitioner. If a health assessment is required, staff and children are not permitted to return to Storyoga until COVID-19 has been excluded and their symptoms have resolved.

If parents (on behalf of their child) or staff answer “YES” to only one of the questions included under “Key Symptoms of Illness” (excluding fever and difficulty breathing), staff and children are required to stay home for 48 hours from the cessation of symptoms. If the symptom/s persists or worsens, a health assessment is required. A health assessment includes calling 8-1-1, or a primary care provider like a physician or nurse practitioner.

If parents (on behalf of their child) or staff answer “YES” to questions 2 or 3, staff or children are required to self-isolate for 10 days unless COVID-19 has been excluded and staff or children are symptom free.

- **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 building at a time. Parents or caregivers are required to use alcohol based hand sanitizer before entering and are required to wear a mask.

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 new 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.