



Communicable Disease Plan

Camp Skyline recognizes the unique risks and challenges that communicable diseases present to the camp community. In response to these risks and challenges, this Communicable Disease Plan (CDP) outlines prevention, response, recovery, and mitigation policies and procedures to lower the impact of a communicable disease on the camp community. Some policies and procedures are subject to change depending on the rate of transmission, severity of symptoms, and availability of treatment for a disease.

Examples of Communicable Diseases

- Lice
- Strep Throat
- Pink Eye
- Flu (Influenza)
- Fifths Disease
- Mono
- Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease
- COVID 19

Prevention

	Activities	Tools/Consideration
Before Campers and Staff Arrive	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask Camper/Staff to arrive Healthy 2. Collect and Review Health History with Record of Immunizations 3. Describe Health Screening Process for staff and families before arrival 4. Evaluate/order supply of protective equipment: gloves, masks, face/eye shields. 5. Conduct Health Screenings for both 	<p>Included A Healthy Camp Begins & Ends at Home (campnurse.org) pdf in family newsletters prior to camp start</p> <p>Health Screening Form</p> <p>Staff will have one on one within the first 48 hours of arrival. Campers will receive screening during the check in process.</p>



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	<p>staff and campers that includes screening for communicable disease</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Identify the CDP Team responsible for critical services & conduct training prior to the start of camp. 7. Define Tipping Point for Launching CDP Interventions 8. Define Isolation capabilities & criteria for sending home 9. Contact appropriate insurance, Camp Physician, and Local Health Department 10. Consult local officials regarding regional quarantine guidelines and outbreak control measures 	<p>Executive Director, Health & Wellness Director, Board of Directors President, & Camp Physician</p> <p>Two or more staff or campers is considered an outbreak. Campers would be sent home. Staff will isolate here at camp or go home if possible. Post isolation information in staff living area and parent policies</p> <p>If an outbreak occurs we will communicate camp's practices and capacity. Skyline's infirmary can hold two people, one additional room with a private bath for isolation. Staff can isolate at home if nearby and able to get there. For staff or campers who are experiencing COVID symptoms but testing negative we will monitor for 48 hours and evaluate responsibilities and risk management during the 48 hours.</p>
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<p>When Campers and Staff are Present</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Orient and train staff to illness reducing strategies 2. Maintain access to resources 3. Conduct daily review of health log 	<p>Staff training session to go over communicable disease plan</p> <p>CDC website (cdc.gov) Membership to ACA - Community Resources – Public health dept, Camp Physician</p> <p>Identify communicable disease hot spots in need of monitoring or intervention</p>
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Intervention

	Activities	Tools/Consideration
<p>Outbreak Occurs</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Convene meeting of CDP Team 2. Identify symptoms and illness as soon as possible. 3. Identify key health services support needs 4. Food services 5. Communication plans 6. Facilities 	<p>Daily Meetings once Outbreak occurs – revisit processes daily.</p> <p>Consult with medical providers & provide ongoing updates during the outbreak.</p> <p>Staffing, isolation arrangements, supplies & PPE, prevention of cross contamination, care for well staff & campers, medication management, documentation.</p> <p>Meals/Nutrition plans for Ill campers and caretakers; augment menu as needed to keep folks healthy.</p> <p>Executive Director and/or Health and Wellness Director to speak to families, media, public health dept, insurance, unaffected campers/staff, collect/save documentation of communication</p> <p>Access to separate toilet and hand-washing facilities; emptying trash; ventilation/climate control; transportation, laundry service</p>



Recovery/Mitigation

	Activities	Tools/Consideration
Resolution	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CDP Team Evaluation 2. Documentation 3. Debrief Camp & facilitate return to-routine camp practices. 4. Update/revise staff, parent and camper materials to more effectively address CDP. 	<p>Provide critical incident debriefing</p> <p>Review all operational activities to determine effectiveness and identify potentials for change; update policy/procedures.</p> <p>Confirm completion of documentation by all required individuals – health center staff, spokesperson(s), camp director, business manager, insurance carrier.</p> <p>Listen to experiences of all staff and campers who wish to share experience. Allow time for staff rest and recuperation.</p>

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