

# ASAA Mix Six Volleyball State Championships COVID-19 Requirements

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## Points of Emphasis

- We will not allow any volleyball event to take place unless all protocols can be followed.
- We recommend that people who are at increased risk for severe illness including coaches, students, staff and officials, consult with their health care provider to determine whether participation in activities or events is prudent under the circumstances. Information from the CDC on who are at increased risk can be found at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/>
- There will be a designated individual on site responsible for monitoring and following all screening, cleaning, and social distancing protocols.
- Teams are required to screen their participants prior to arriving at the venue and submit a report to ASAA upon arriving at the school
- Teams are responsible to bring their own towels, hand sanitizer and medical kits. OPA will be onsite.

## Facilities

- Cleaning and disinfecting will be conducted in compliance with CDC. The most current guidelines can be found at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/clean-disinfect/index.html>
- Bleacher seating will be marked and restricted such that there is 6 feet of physical distancing and every other row is unoccupied.
- Hand sanitizer will be available to all attendees. Announcements will be made encouraging all individuals to use often.
- Ventilation systems will be inspected to insure they operate properly.
- Team bench areas will be blocked off to keep participants and spectators separated.
- No Concessions and no food or drink in the gym.
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## Attendees

- Prior to attending advisors, coaches, supervisors & participants must sign a waiver of liability related to COVID-19.
- Friday and Saturday morning there will be no spectators allowed. Limited tickets will be available for games 17-20 on Saturday afternoon.
- Teams must leave the school 15 minutes following the conclusion of their last game of the day.
- All attendees must have a mask on at all times while at the school. This includes but not limited to coaches, athletes, spectators, officials, media, and anyone else in attendance. (See Mask Protocols)

- Individuals must bring their own water bottle that is labeled and filled. No sharing of water bottles.
- No pre or post-game handshakes or high fives between teams.
- Avoid all non-sport related contact. Example: high fives, fist/elbow bumps, group celebrations, huddles, etc.

### **2021 ASAA Mix Six Volleyball Operational Details**

- Follow all NFHS Volleyball Rules Considerations.
- Locker rooms will not be available. Teams are to come dressed to play.
- Balls will be sanitized prior to and after use by wiping down with a non-alcohol wipes.
- Warm-up balls will be provided.
- Two sanitized back up balls will be at the scorer's table.
- Plastic shields covering the entire face will not be allowed in volleyball due to the risk of unintended injury to the person wearing the shield or others.
- Team benches will be limited to essential personnel (coaches & participating players with a maximum of 10 in chairs and 6 on the court).
- Benches will be spaced for social distancing.
- Because yelling and cheering are discouraged artificial noise makers that do not interfere with the official's whistle are allowed. No use of airhorns or megaphones.