

## Municipal Arenas Procedures and Guidelines

Each individual user group will be responsible to abide by the following procedures and guidelines for each scheduled use of municipal arenas:

1. The Province of New Brunswick screening questionnaire process (<https://www2.gnb.ca/content/dam/gnb/Departments/h-s/pdf/ScreeningEF.pdf>) will be posed to every participant, coach, spectator regarding Covid-19 prior to entering the facility. If anyone answers YES to any of the questions in the questionnaire access will not be granted to enter the facility and should immediately follow the directions indicated on the questionnaire.
2. User groups will collect contact information for all players, spectators and volunteers who are associated with each group booking to assist in any contact tracing. Each entrant of the facility shall register with name, venue, contact number and email to facilitate contact tracing should it be required by the health authorities.
3. While on the premises of City of Fredericton municipal arenas (parking lot, within the arena, common areas and dressing rooms) physical distancing of a minimum of 6 feet / 2 metres separation will be maintained between patrons, spectators, players, coaches and employees of the City of Fredericton. On ice activities must follow each individual sports return to sport plan as per the National or Provincial Sport Organization.
4. User groups will only be permitted in the building 15 minutes prior to their activity/ice time and must exit 15 minutes after their session. There will be no early admittance to the facility.
5. If groups wish to complete a warmup prior to their booking, it will take place outside of the arena complex.
6. Participants will be directed to all entrances and exits of the facility. Signage will direct participants to and from their designated ice surface to control the flow of patrons.
7. Participants must come to the facility dressed in most of their equipment and ready for their activity.
8. Dressing rooms will be open for a limited number of participants to finish preparing and remove items for departure. (i.e. skates, helmets, etc. with mandatory mask use.
9. Showers will remain closed during this stage.
9. Player's benches will be sectioned. Participants must sit within the section and utilize only one section during their session.
10. Participants will all use their own water bottles –absolutely no sharing! Please fill at home.
11. Please do not bring outside food into the rinks.
12. Users should encourage their participants to bring their own alcohol-based (60-70 percent) hand sanitizer to used after touching surfaces within the arena.
13. Drinking fountains will not be available for use.
14. On ice physical distancing will be supported by use of cones and markers placed/drawn on the ice surface. Coaches will design practices/activities to minimize the amount of contact during a booking.

15. On ice competition is permitted if allowed under the return to sport guidelines of individual National or Provincial Sport Organizations, I.E Hockey New Brunswick.

17. User groups are not permitted to store equipment on premises

18. User groups should sanitize equipment prior to and after their rental.

19. Upon entering the facility, the parent or guardian must go directly to their arena pad and remain in the stands in the marked viewing area in the stands.

20. Wearing of gloves will not be permitted by patrons of the facility. Frequent hand washing by patrons is recommended.

21. Face masks are mandatory in the building.

22. Limit number of patrons in washrooms to ensure physical distancing.

23. Limit of 40 participants on ice.

24. Limit of 100 people in the facility per ice time including on ice participants.

23. Loitering in common areas/lobby is prohibited before and after rentals