

The BRAWL is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for all our tournament workers, officials, coaches, parents, and participants. To ensure we have a safe and healthy environment, the BRAWL has developed the following COVID-19 Preparedness Plan in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Our goal is to mitigate the potential for transmission of COVID-19, and that requires full cooperation among all our attendees. Only through this cooperative effort can we establish and maintain the safety and health of all person in our workplaces.

The COVID-19 Preparedness Plan is administered by Jon Davis, who maintains the verbal authority and responsibility for the plan. However, tournament volunteers and attending teams are equally responsible for preparedness planning, implementing, complying with and providing recommendations to further improve all aspects of the COVID-19 Preparedness Plan. The management committee for the BRAWL fully supports enforcing the provisions of this plan. Neither the BRAWL nor the plan administrator make any guarantees with regard to the effectiveness or shall be responsible for any adverse events resulting from implementing this plan and individuals partaking in any such tournaments do so at their own risk.

The BRAWL is serious about safety and health and protecting our attendees. It is recommended that until COVID-19 is either eradicated, a vaccine is developed, or a cure is found, there is no way of completely eliminating the risk of fatal infection. Therefore vulnerable populations and people with risk factors such as: >65 years old, asthma, chronic lung disease, serious heart conditions, immune suppression, severe obesity, diabetes, liver disease, should avoid the BRAWL until a vaccine is developed or a cure is found.

The BRAWL's COVID-19 Preparedness Plan follows the industry guidance developed by the state of Minnesota and MN USA Wrestling, available at the Stay Safe Minnesota website (<https://staysafe.mn.gov> and mnusawrestling.org), which is based upon Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) guidelines for COVID-19, Minnesota Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MNOSHA) statutes, rules and standards, and Minnesota's relevant and current executive orders. It addresses:

- Ensuring sick members stay home;
- Social distancing – people must be at least six-feet apart;
- Member hygiene and source controls, including face coverings;
- Tournament cleaning and disinfection protocol; and
- Communications and training practices and protocol.

The BRAWL has reviewed and incorporated the industry guidance applicable to our tournament provided by the state of Minnesota for the development of this plan, including the following industry guidance for Organized Sports along with guidance from USA Wrestling. Other conditions and circumstances included in the industry guidance and addressed in the plan that are specific to the BRAWL include:

- Additional protections and protocols for wrestlers, volunteers, officials and coaches;
- Additional protections and protocols for face coverings and personal protective equipment (PPE);
- Additional protections and protocols for access and assignment;

- Additional protections and protocols for sanitation and hygiene;
- Additional protections and protocols for managing occupancy;
- Additional protocols to limit face to face interaction, and
- Additional protections and protocols for certain types of businesses within an industry.

Ensure sick individuals stay home and prompt identification and isolation of sick persons

All BRAWL participating teams and volunteers have been informed of and are encouraged to self-monitor for signs and symptoms of COVID-19. The following policies and procedures are being implemented to assess members health status prior to entering the tournament and for individuals to report when they are sick or experiencing symptoms.

- No athlete, coach or worker should be present with signs or symptoms of COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- Anyone with a documented case of COVID-19 must be cleared by his or her physician to participate in competition.

The BRAWL will promptly remove from the tournament any individual they believe is demonstrating symptoms of COVID-19.

Venue Capacity Limits

The BRAWL will operate two venues with separate entrances and restrooms. The participants in each venue will be isolated from the other venue. Those in attendance shall practice social distancing.

To maintain a maximum of 250 people in a venue, the BRAWL will be hosted in two sessions, with eight teams in a venue. Each team is allowed a maximum roster of 21 wrestlers and six adults.

Tournament Worker hygiene and source controls

Basic infection prevention measures are being implemented at our tournaments at all times. Tournament Workers are instructed to wash their hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water frequently throughout the day, but especially at the beginning and end of their shift, prior to any mealtimes and after using the restroom. All individuals at the tournament are required to wash or sanitize their hands prior to or immediately upon entering the facility.

Tournament Workers and all individuals at the tournament are being instructed to cover their mouth and nose with their sleeve or a tissue when coughing or sneezing, and to avoid touching their face, particularly their mouth, nose and eyes, with their hands. Tournament Workers and all individuals at the tournament are expected to dispose of tissues in provided trash receptacles and wash or sanitize their hands immediately afterward. Trash receptacles will be available to all workers and other persons entering the workplace.

Face Covering Requirements

In compliance with the Governor's Emergency Executive Order 20-81, all individuals at the tournament will be required to wear a mask or face covering, unless exempt under Section 8 of the Order.

- Wrestlers actively wrestling will not need a mask / face covering while they participate in the physical activity of this sport but when their match is over a face covering is required to be put on.
- All individuals attending the tournament are expected to provide their own mask or face covering. This includes coaches - all coaches are required to wear masks or face coverings at all times.
- Officials must wear a mask or face covering (face shield is acceptable). A handheld whistle, if used, is also acceptable.

Tournament cleaning and disinfection protocol

Regular practices of cleaning and disinfecting have been implemented, including a schedule for routine cleaning and disinfecting of mat surface, equipment, and participating team areas. Mats should be disinfected prior to the start of each session.

Communications and training practices and protocol

This COVID-19 PREPAREDNESS PLAN is being sent to all teams and volunteers and posted via the BRAWL website.

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