



## COVID-19 FIXTURE PROTOCOLS

### 1. REGISTRATION

- (a) **Health Screening** The Club Covid Officer or nominated person will conduct a verbal or written health screening prior to each match on each fixture date for all its participants-players, coach(es) and umpires.
- (b) **Test and Trace** All participants to use Essex Metropolitan Netball Association's ("EMNA") Quick Response "QR" code on England Netball ENgage platform prior to each match to include relevant court No. **EMNA QR** code will be on signage at Redbridge Sports Centre ("RSC").

### 2. SOCIAL DISTANCING AND SANITISATION

- (a) All participants to maintain social distancing in accordance with the modified rules. Please refer to infographics signage at RSC on social distancing behaviour and sanitisation requirements, as recommended by England Netball and guidance issued by HM Government. Individual hand sanitisation, by all participants, to be carried out before, during and after each match.
- (b) RSC prohibits spectators, except parents who may watch from outside court, in groups of up to six.

### 3. UMPIRES

Umpires to conduct pre briefing with teams during 2m social distance nail check, to advise of expectations and how they will carry out Covid-19 game management, sanitisation and post/ball sanitisation if needed during play. Special attention to be given to junior players.

### 4. GET IN – PLAY SAFE – GET OUT

- (a) All players, officials and volunteers arrive ready for activity. At the end of each match all participants to clear the court area and venue immediately to avoid congestion; following one-way signage as indicated by RSC.
- (b) No onsite changing facilities: Pavilion indoor and external toilet facilities available, toilet facilities in the Jean Brown Indoor Arena ("JBIA") not available.
- (c) Payment for parking may be made using the App or available Kiosks in the JBIA.

### 5. COVID-19 SYMPTOMS

Any participant who develops COVID-19 symptoms, up to 48 hours after any fixture must report to NHS Test and Trace and notify the Club Covid Officer or EMNA Covid Officer if the test is positive.

### 6. BREACHES

Persistent breaches of the EMNA League Rules for the modified game and Fixture Protocols may be considered a Disciplinary Offence under England Netball's Disciplinary Regulations and actioned accordingly.

