1. Frequent Handwashing
   - Staff and youth will follow proper handwashing procedures.
     - Soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
     - Alcohol-based hand sanitizers with at least 60% alcohol can be used if soap and water are not readily available.
   - Handwashing takes place at the following times:
     - Upon arrival
     - Before and after preparing food or drinks
     - Before and after eating or handling food
     - Before and after administering medication or sunscreen
     - Before and after using the toilet
     - After encountering bodily fluid

2. Cleaning and Disinfecting
   - Designated spaces will have hand sanitizer, sanitizing wipes, and gloves.
   - Disinfectant/cleaning spray will be provided by the program.
   - High touch areas will be sanitized throughout the day by staff and each morning by maintenance staff.

3. Arrival, Departure and Program Time
   - Hand sanitizer provided for parents/guardians and participants to use at sign in/sign out.
   - Face Coverings are strongly recommended but not required.
   - Maintaining three feet of physical distancing is recommended for indoor programming. Visuals will be present throughout programming spaces, to remind youth and staff of safety protocols.
   - Before youth attend programming or school, parents/guardians should screen them to ensure those with symptoms are not attending.
     - You must not go to the program if ANY of these are true about the youth or staff member:
       3. May have been exposed to COVID-19 (unless up to date with vaccinations/boosters and/or had COVID within 90 days).
       4. Is waiting to get tested, is waiting for COVID-19 test results, or lives with anyone who has symptoms and is getting tested for COVID-19.

4. Plans for sick children and staff
   - Staff and participants need to conduct daily health checks before attendance at MPRB Rec Plus
   - If a youth or staff member develops any symptoms of illness consistent with COVID-19 while at Rec Plus, the following procedures will be followed:
     - Parents and/or emergency contacts will be called and asked to pick-up their child immediately.
     - The ill youth or staff will be isolated in a separate health designated space while they wait to be picked up or until they are able to leave the facility on their own (if staff).
• After the ill person leaves the facility, staff will disinfect areas where the staff or youth were present.
• When there is a positive COVID-19 case in a program, close contacts will be notified by email. Close contacts do not need to quarantine if they are up to date with COVID-19 vaccinations and boosters OR if they had COVID-19 within the last 90 days. Vaccination status for staff is held by Human Resources. Vaccination status on file for participants is needed to return within the five days.

5. Building Closures

The decisions regarding if MPRB buildings close due to COVID-19 is affected by the following:
• The timeliness of when cases are reported, time in the facility, when they were positive, if they were symptomatic in facility, and/or what areas of the facility did they occupy.
• The CDC guidelines for the required cleaning and disinfecting when someone has been sick in a facility are rigorous. The CDC gives the option of letting time elapse (shutting down the facility) rather than performing the required intense cleaning and disinfection. If more than 3 days has passed since the sick person was last in the facility, nothing beyond normal cleaning must be done. If someone reports a case when 3 days have already elapsed since the COVID-19 positive person was last in the facility, then we only must do regular cleaning. (This may cause a close contact letter but not a site closure.)
• Many of the MPRB Recreation Centers do not have mechanical ventilation; for facilities with mechanical ventilation, the CDC allows some considerations.

6. Workplace ventilation

In buildings with Central Air, windows should be kept closed to maintain proper air balance throughout the building so air handling systems work as planned. Windows are open for ventilation in non-AC buildings. Fans are used to push fresh air through the facility.

7. Meals and snacks

• A morning and afternoon snack are provided by Minneapolis Public School Culinary and Wellness Services.
• Meals will be pre-packaged for individual use.
• Food areas will be cleaned and disinfected by staff before and after use.
• Participants and staff will wash hands before and after.

8. Field trips and events

Field Trip locations that require vaccinations and masks will not be utilized.

9. Communications and Training

• Rec Plus staff receives updated training on COVID-19 safety measures. New staff will receive it during their on-boarding training.
• Child Care Specialist, Rec Facility Supervisor, Child Development Supervisor and Child Development Manager are responsible for on-going coaching of youth and staff around these procedures, monitoring to ensure they are followed, and asking youth and staff to make corrections as needed.
• The COVID-19 Preparedness Plan will be made available to view at the site as requested.

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