

Site-Specific Protection Plan for East County Performing Arts Center

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General Safety and Health Protocols

- Lobby is closed to viewing for parents of dancers 7 and up
- Water fountains are closed
- All people age 2 and over are required to wear masks. Even in classes.
- Personal prop bags are available for purchase
- Hand sanitizer is available at the front desk

Cleaning protocols

- The studio is cleaned in its entirety daily either before or after classes. Including disinfection of all surfaces by a professional commercial janitorial company.

Drop off and pick up procedures protocols

- Dancers cannot be dropped off more than 5 min early for class or pick up more than 5 min late
- Dancers are encouraged to wash their hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer before starting class.

Employee Training

- Review protocols
- Staff must complete a Self Screening
 - You can use an online self checker here-
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>
 - Do not come into work if you are/have sneezing, coughing, runny nose, sore throat, fever of 100 or higher.
- Review Covid-19 general education
<https://www.gov.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Update-on-California-Pandemic-Roadmap.pdf>
 - From
https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/CDPH%20Document%20Library/School%20Guidance_ADA%20Compliant_FINAL.pdf

COVID-19 is a respiratory illness caused by a novel virus that has been spreading worldwide.

Community-acquired cases have now been confirmed in California. We are gaining more understanding of COVID-19's epidemiology, clinical course, immunogenicity, and other factors as time progresses, and the situation is changing daily. CDPH is in the process of monitoring COVID-19, conducting testing with local and federal partners, and providing guidance and resources to prevent, detect and respond to the occurrence of COVID-19 cases in California. At this time, community transmission of COVID-19 has occurred in California. Educational institutions should prepare for possible impacts of COVID-19 and take

precautions to prevent the spread of COVID-19, as well as other infectious diseases, including influenza and gastroenteritis.

- The Ca SIP will not eliminate the disease it will slow the spread so medical teams can prepare and not be overwhelmed by an influx of patients.

- Staff must wash their hands or use hand sanitizer after using the restroom.
- All teachers and staff must wear masks
- All teachers and staff are encouraged to be vaccinated

Our exposure follows the guidance of the Contra Costa Department of Health

- If a dancer has tested positive
 - We notify the class of a mask to mask exposure
 - We contact the student who has tested positive
 - Who were they in contact with without a mask
 - We notify the parent of those dancers privately
 - The dancer who had unmasked contact will be asked to quarantine
 - Quarantine time is 10 days without a test or
 - Dancer can test 5 days after exposure and return to class with a negative test on day 8
 - The entire class does not need to quarantine since it was a mask to mask exposure
 - If the exposed dancer(s) is fully vaccinated the exposed dancer does not need to quarantine
 - Fully vaccinated means having both shots and 2 weeks have passed since the last does.
- If there is a family member at home who tests positive for covid
 - We do not notify the class
 - Exposed dancer must quarantine
 - Quarantine time is 10 days without a test or
 - Dancer can test 5 days after exposure and return to class with a negative test on day 8 as long as the dancer has not been in contact with the family member who tested positive..
 - When a dancer needs to quarantine the dancer should take class via zoom
- If a teacher has tested positive
 - We notify the class of a mask to mask exposure
 - The teacher will quarantine for 10 days
 - Teacher will zoom in to classes when appropriate and have subs when appropriate.
 - The class does not need to quarantine since it is a mask to mask exposure
- If a teacher or staff member has been exposed, but does not test positive
 - We do not notify the class

- If the teacher or staff member is vaccinated he/she does not need to quarantine
- If the teacher or staff member is vaccinated he/she must quarantine
 - Quarantine time is 10 days without a test or
 - Teacher can test 5 days after exposure and return to class with a negative test on day 8 as long as the dancer has not been in contact with the family member who tested positive..
- Teacher will zoom in to classes when appropriate and have subs when appropriate.