

RISK ASSESMENT – TRIMDON UNITED JUNIORS FC

Title	Covid 19 – Match Play
Location/Area	Trimdon Community College Association
Assessor	Andy Coulthard & Ian Grimley – Chairman / Safeguarding & Secretary / Manager
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The following Risk Assessment should be read in conjunction with the COVID 19 Football Association guidance provided online at <http://www.thefa.com/news/2020/jun/01/grassroots-football-covid-19-guidance-update-010620>

This assessment and that of its delivery must also take into account the FA's Safeguarding Policy available online at <http://www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/section-11-the-complete-downloads-directory>

Hazard / Issue / area of concern	Inherent Risk Level H/M/L	What are the controls in place, which reduce the risk?	Further Action required	Risk level after H/M/L	Who is responsible
Limiting the Spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) in general across the community	M	<p>TUJFC have direct contact to every footballers family, coach and volunteer within their club</p> <p>Communication can be carried out fast through social media</p> <p>TUJFC has been reinforcing the Govt. messages through social media and text</p>	<p>When returning to match play a Track and Trace Register will be utilised at all games for home and away teams; the data will be kept for 21 days in line with government guidelines and then destroyed.</p> <p>Trimdon United Juniors FC Team Manager will be responsible for obtaining the data required and passing to club secretary.</p>	L	Secretary

Venue Permission to use Use of outside grassed area only - open access Access by visitors, parents & players	M	The College is closed at present to community use	An updated RA specific to Covid 19 for match play will be provided to the community college for their permission and issuance	L	Chairman
		To use the school grounds out of school hours a RA is required and booking procedures followed through the Community College.	The Club will notify the college of usage, but will follow the same programme of usage that each team now operates	L	Secretary
		Although the school can be locked to stop traffic entering the school perimeter can be easily accessed. The Club monitor this when coaching, practicing or playing games – Safeguarding policy	Coaches, parents and visitors, volunteers will need to be vigilant regarding social distancing protocols with anyone that enters the site that is not participating in training	L	Coaches, Parents, Volunteers
		All visitors, parents and players should enter and leave by the main gate and if in cars should park in car park	Visitors, parents and players will be notified to enter and exit as usual, when parking, do not park next to each other unless there is no parking spaces available. Always try and leave a space between each car and do not enter or exit the same time as your neighbouring car.	L	Coaches, Parents, Visitors, Volunteers

		Hand sanitisation	All coaches, parents, players and visitors, and volunteers will be asked to use hand sanitisers on arrival at the ground and prior to leaving the ground to help prevent too spread of COVID-19	L	Coaches, parents, players, visitors and volunteers
Parents/carers and players Match Play Age group Being clear about what this entails Reassurance Supporting their son/daughter/s Current situation at home	M	Contact with parents and players is regular via text and Facebook. Club code of conduct in place and signed up to Safeguarding policy and welfare officer details available and in place Know their team manager and coach During Games parents/carers and family have been able to attend and watch coaching	Club will contact each family to explain what the club intends to do regarding reintroducing match play and ask if they want their child/ren to return No pressure will be placed upon the players to return and the final decision made by their parents/carers and themselves will be respected by all. This will not affect any player when it comes to future training or team selection. Inform parents/carers and players of FA COVID 19 procedures which the club has adopted, operating alongside the ongoing safeguarding procedures Each Clubs manager, and if required the secretary and Chairman/welfare officer will be available for any parent/carer/player wishing to ask any question	L	Chairman Welfare Officer Secretary Manager Parent Carer Player

			Any household that has a shielded or extremely vulnerable person living there should not attend matches until the Govt. guidelines change.		
Delivery of match play Knowledge of attendance Rules of session Use of volunteers Health & hygiene Social distancing First aid Behaviour	H	Each team will be supervised by a club manager/coach along with their volunteers Each coach has a minimum of an FA Level 1 coaching qualification and is DBS checked and first aid trained Volunteers are DBS checked Player, coach, volunteer and parent/carer code of conducts are in operation	Manager/coach will have a list of all players who will be attending that match COVID 19 procedures for match play will be circulated to all players wishing to return before their first session so they are familiar with what is expected of them and their parents/carers before, during and after each session. Upon arrival on site each player should social distance from other players and groups. The coach and manager will, whilst social distancing explain the match, what will take place and how this will be done. During breaks in play and before and after the game the 2m social distancing policy should be applied Only time this may change is if a player is injured and depending upon that injury may need support from a coach/manager. If this is required the coach/manager should immediately put on facemask and protective gloves	L	Manager/coach Volunteer Players Parents Chairman Club welfare Off Secretary

			<p>provided in first aid kit. Upon completion of first aid coach/manager should place gloves in plastic bag and dispose off in own bin. Masks should be washed.</p> <p>Throughout the match the coach/manager will be talking to and encouraging/reassuring players</p> <p>Any misbehaviour or breach of the Club and COVID-19 rules will see players spoken to and warned. Their parents/carers, if still present, will also be spoken to. If the breaches continue then this will not be tolerated and the player will be asked to leave and parents/carers spoken to, if still present, and if not contacted after the session and situation explained to them.</p> <p>If parents/carers breach the Club and COVID-19 rules then the coach/manager will speak with them appropriately and if they continue to breach them then they will be asked to leave the site.</p> <p>Permission for that parent/carer to return to a training session can only be given after they have spoken with the coach/manager and apologised and this has been signed off by the Club secretary or Chairman</p>		
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<p>Hygiene, contamination, PPE</p> <p>Risk of contamination and transfer</p>	<p>M</p>		<p>Players will be encouraged to bring their own hand wash sanitiser and water bottle.</p> <p>Each coach/manager will be provided with a hand wash sanitiser.</p> <p>Each player/coach/manger will need to sanitise their hands before and after match and when relevant during.</p> <p>All equipment should be wiped down with antiseptic wipes / bleach sprays before, during and after sessions</p> <p>Contact with equipment should be kept to a minimum.</p> <p>Goalkeepers will need to wear gloves as will the coach/manager or volunteer working with them.</p> <p>Each team will be issued with a face mask, antiseptic wipes and antiseptic spray/gel.</p>	<p>L</p>	<p>Players Parents Carers Management Coaches Volunteers</p>
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