

# 2021 Covid-19 Guidelines

## Woodcrest Retreat

Woodcrest desires to be a place of restoration and hope to our community. These guidelines are in response to the lifting of Pennsylvania's restrictions. We will continue to follow reasonable mitigation efforts to reduce the spread of Covid and other communicable diseases. These guidelines are put in place on 6/8/21 and are subject to change. The following is a highlight of our key procedures.

- **First and foremost, we continue to emphasize that if a camper is sick, do not send them to camp.** This is the primary way we can create a healthy environment.
- **With the continued decrease in reported cases and easing restrictions, we will not be doing daily temperature checks.** Campers who are feeling sick will be immediately directed to our health care providers who will do a temperature check and screening for symptoms.
- **Masks:** With the lifting of Pennsylvania's mask mandate, we are not requiring parents, staff, or campers to wear masks at Woodcrest this summer. If parents or campers wish to wear a mask, we desire to create an environment where one would feel comfortable doing so.
- **A strong communicable illness plan.** Campers with Covid-like symptoms will be sent home at the discretion of camp leadership.
  - Parents of the child will be contacted. Woodcrest is able to offer onsite an antigen self test with parent permission. If camper receives a negative test, the campers in the immediate group do not need to go home.
  - If test is positive, the immediate group would be sent home with a prorated refund. We would also notify by email all parents in the impacted program but will not offer a refund for parents who decide to pull their child from the program.
- **Group Size** We will continue to keep campers in smaller groups but with the lifting of restrictions, we have modestly increased the size of groups but are still minimizing the potential exposure between groups.
- **Other key precautions**
  - **Outdoor programming** will remain in effect as much as possible and as weather permits.
  - **Handwashing stations and use of hand sanitizer** will be emphasized.
  - **Continuance of our high standards of cleaning restrooms and high traffic areas**
  - **Modified** Parent's Program for Overnight Camp

We are asking parents to understand the risks of attending camp, and have added a "Risk Awareness" consent line to the camper Health Release form.

Thank you for considering Woodcrest as your summer camp destination. We have been so encouraged away by the support we have received from parents and our community. We welcome any feedback as we move towards having a safe and fun summer together.

