

COVID-19 Safety Plan Guidelines for Camping

A safety plan must be submitted to the Oregon Trail Council office no less than 72 hours prior to camp-out. Failure to do so will result in cancelation of reservation. Please submit safety plan via email to simpecoven@otcbsa.org AND pkillip@otcbsa.org

Below is a suggested layout for your safety plan, including some recommendations. It is expected that you put into your own words how everyone intends to maintain State Regulations regarding COVID-19.

Before Camp-out:

What precautions will be made to ensure each camper has not been exposed prior to camping?

Suggested questions for each camper include, but are not limited to:

- Have you or anyone in your household had any of the following symptoms in the last 21 days: sore throat, cough, chills, body aches for unknown reasons, shortness of breath for unknown reasons, loss of smell, loss of taste, fever at or greater than 100 degrees Fahrenheit?
- Have you or anyone in your household been tested for COVID-19?
- Have you or anyone in your household visited or received treatment in a hospital, nursing home, long-term care, or other health care facility in the past 30 days?
- Have you or anyone in your household traveled in the U.S. in the past 21 days?
- Have you or anyone in your household traveled on a cruise ship in the last 21 days?
- Are you or anyone in your household a health care provider or emergency responder?
- Have you or anyone in your household cared for an individual who is in quarantine or is a presumptive positive or has tested positive for COVID-19?
- Do you have any reason to believe you or anyone in your household has been exposed to or acquired COVID-19?
- To the best of your knowledge have you been in close proximity to any individual who tested positive for COVID-19?

If a camper answers “yes” to any of the questions above, we recommend they do not attend the camp-out in order to minimize the exposure risk.

Traveling to Camp-out:

Carpooling with people outside of one's own household is not recommended. If carpooling is the only option, it is recommended that windows are cracked, masks are worn and as much distance is kept as possible.

During Camp-out:

What contingencies will be in place in regard to tent placement, sleeping arrangements, ensuring distancing and face covering requirements are met and so on?

Sanitation Procedures:

What procedures will be used to maintain proper and thorough sanitation? Be sure to consider bathrooms and food preparation/service.

During Activities:

How will activities be modified to maintain State Regulations?

After:

Decide in advance how you will handle contact tracing, and communications with everyone if a camper is later diagnosed with COVID-19 or is suspected of contracting COVID-19 in the days or weeks following the camp-out.