



Umpire Role

- ❖ Confirm your exact start and end time for you game(s).
- ❖ Make sure your personal equipment is clean and sanitized.
- ❖ Arrive at the ballpark fully dressed if possible. You may use available facilities to put on protective gear.
- ❖ Remember to bring two face coverings/masks with you.
- ❖ Have your own clearly marked water bottle and/or snack.
- ❖ Check in with the Attendance Tracker and Screener upon arrival at the ballpark/facility/venue.
- ❖ Go immediately to your designated area.
- ❖ Do not handle any equipment, other than your personal gear.
- ❖ No spitting, gum, sunflower seeds, etc.
- ❖ Maintain physical distance protocols when meeting with coach or your partner.
- ❖ Recommend frequent sanitizing, but a minimum of once per inning by washing at least 20 seconds with soap and water or using an approved hand sanitizer.
- ❖ Umpire may choose to wear gloves as well. Avoid touching your face as much as possible.
- ❖ After the game is over, leave the park promptly.
- ❖ Face masks for all participants are strongly recommended while off the field of play and required when physical distancing cannot be maintained. Face coverings for virus contagion are mandatory for the plate umpire, provided that should they be unable to wear a face covering due to an underlying health issue or breathing/overheating concerns, the home plate umpire has the option of calling the game from behind the pitcher's circle as an alternative to wearing a face covering.
- ❖ Umpires will not be considered to be part of a cohort, but by following these guidelines, may interact with different cohorts without having to quarantine.