



# THE SAFE SIX



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## PREPARE THE FACILITY

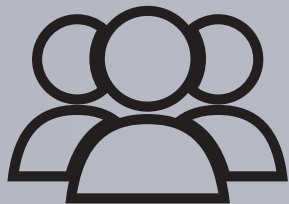
### Cleaning plans and facility inspection

- Ensure safety of all participants/athletes
- Clean contact surfaces with products from approved lists from governing authorities
- Ensure compliance with local municipalities regarding approved use/activities for that field/diamond
- Post or communicate safety requirements at each location



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## PREPARE PARTICIPANTS



### Member communication & deciding when participants can return to modified softball activity

- Mitigate anxiety of returning to group activities through planning and communications
- Consider why people can benefit from returning to organized softball activities
- Develop return to play plan
- Advise on alternate means of safe commuting
- Prepare and post reminders of social distancing and cleaning protocols

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## CONTROL ACCESS

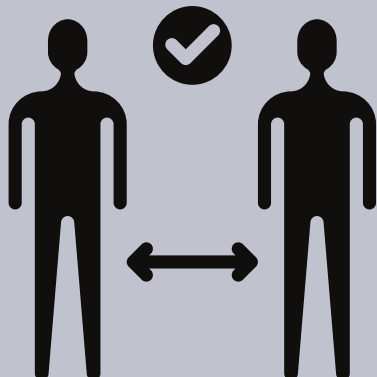
### Protocols for safety and health checks prior to participating in activity

- Control entry points of participants
- Reconfigure gatherings for social distancing
- Consider temperature screening
- Provide sanitizer, wipes, PPE as appropriate



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## CREATE SOCIAL DISTANCING PLAN



### Decreasing density and increasing distance between participants

- Stagger arrival and departure times
- Specify assignments to ensure smaller group sizes
- Enforce stringent cleaning protocols for shared equipment
- Prohibit shared use of water bottles, food or physical touching

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## REDUCE TOUCH POINTS

### Cleanliness policy for personal hygiene and equipment

- Maintain recommended cleaning and disinfecting practices
- Supply disinfectants near equipment for quick use
- Provide designated cleaning/disinfecting champion to clean equipment at all softball activities
- Enable DIY cleaning through hand sanitizer, disinfectant wipes and other such products
- Sanitize all equipment, frequently
- Institute a clean ball bag policy



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## COMMUNICATE WITH CONFIDENCE



### Recognize the fear in returning, communicate transparently, listen/survey regularly

- Ensure leadership alignment between Provincial & Municipal authority and its membership
- Establish two-way communication
- Ensure a trusting and transparent culture
- Clearly set participant expectations with an emphasis on making them feel secure