



**BOY SCOUTS
OF AMERICA**
CALIFORNIA INLAND EMPIRE COUNCIL

SUBJECT: CIEC, COVID-19 UPDATE 05-03-2021

The California Inland Empire Council is dedicated to the safety of our leaders, Scouts, and their families. Our Council leadership remains vigilant in monitoring state and county safety conditions. We will continue to work alongside our local health officials to determine the most appropriate response to the conditions at hand and for a safe return to all in-person Scouting.

As we transition toward the much anticipated full return to Scouting in the California Inland Empire Council, the following guidelines have been adopted from the guidance of our state and county Departments of Health.

Pack, Troop, Crew, and Ship Activities and/or Meetings:

- Physical distancing and wearing of face coverings are required for all meetings and activities, indoors and outdoors.
- Two deep leadership and BSA youth protection requirements apply.
- An attendee roster or unit meeting roster is required for every activity and/or meeting.
- Outdoor Activities and/or Meetings can be held with the Maximum of 100 people.
- Indoor Activities and/or Meetings can be held with a Maximum capacity of 25% in settings where capacity limits exists or 25 people or whichever is fewer.
- Indoor Activities and/or Meetings can be held with a Maximum capacity of 150 people if all guests are tested or show proof of full vaccination.
- **Overnight camping is not permitted at this time.**

If you have a fever, cough, or other symptoms associated with COVID-19, or if you believe you may have been exposed to COVID-19, must not participate with any in-person Scouting meeting nor should attend any Scouting activity/event. People who think they may have been exposed to COVID-19 should contact their healthcare provider immediately.

Physical distancing, in combination with the use of face coverings, decreases the risk of COVID-19 from respiratory droplets. Physical distancing between youth/adults must be maintained as much as possible, and youth/adults must always use face coverings, pursuant to the CDPH guidance regarding face coverings.

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