



CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF THE FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

COVID-19 Safety Protocols

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, California Association, FFA (“CA FFA”) has been exploring different and reasonable ways to provide services to all students. It is important to realize that this continues to be a fluid situation and teachers should review District, County and State protocols regularly. Though CA FFA and its agents will work hard to implement and abide by these protocols, neither the guidelines themselves nor even guidance from the CDC would allow CA FFA to guarantee an environment that is entirely free of COVID-19 related risks. CA FFA COVID-19 Safety Protocols include:

- Individuals who currently or within the past fourteen (14) days have experienced any symptoms associated with COVID-19, which include fever, cough, and shortness of breath among [others](#); should refrain from attending the event.
- Attendance logs will be required for all in-person events. These records will be maintained for a minimum of thirty (30) days and will be available to Public Health officials should a participant and/or a member of the participants’ household be diagnosed with COVID-19.
- Participants who develop signs of illness during an in-person activity, must be separated from other participants immediately and leave the premises as soon as safely possible. Disinfection measures will immediately be taken to reduce potential exposure.
- Any individual attending who reports they have COVID-19 or believe they were exposed during a CA FFA event, should contact Charles Parker - cparker@cde.ca.gov, who will inform all event attendees based on the information provided on the events Contact Tracing Form and report to the local health department.
- Appropriate sanitation supplies will be available throughout CA FFA events.
- Face masks will be encouraged for all participants but all requirements for face masks, or “social distancing” will be enforced based on site, local or county requirements where the event is held
- All meeting spaces will be cleaned and disinfected prior to and following use.
- Hand washing facilities (soap and water), hand sanitizer, and tissues will be available to all participants.
- Activities are subject to cancelation or rescheduling.

It is CA FFA’s goal to provide safe and educational events. CA FFA will continue to monitor County and State Health Departments guidelines to ensure we are adhering to their recommendations. Any changes will be communicated to teachers/advisors.

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For all in-person events hosted by California Association, FFA under the direction of the California Department of Education, we are asking that every Advisor/Teacher or Chaperone complete a [Contact Tracing Form](#).

If someone does contact CA FFA about contracting COVID-19 within 2 weeks of an event, those listed on the event's Contact Tracing Form will be notified along with administration and local health departments.

As the Teacher/Advisor or Chaperone of students in attendance to a CA FFA in-person event, you acknowledge and agree to the following:

1. Waiver and Release. You hereby release and forever discharge and hold harmless California Association, FFA and its agents from any and all liability, claims and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from you or your student's participation in activities associated with the California Association, FFA. You understand that this release discharges California Association, FFA from any liability or claim that you may have against the association with respect to the COVID-19.

2. Assumption of Risk. You further understand that you or your student's participation may expose him/her and others to unavoidable COVID-19 community spread. As such, you hereby expressly and specifically assume the risk of injury or other harm, and expressly release California Association, FFA from all liability for injury, illness, or other issue resulting from or in any way related to you or your students' participation.

3. Adhere to all California Association, FFA Policies and Procedures: You agree that you and your students will follow all implemented policies and procedures required by California Association, FFA, the facility hosting the event, the county the event is in or the CDC. If at any time during the event you or your students do not adhere to the items outlined above, you acknowledge that you will be asked to leave.

BY CHECKING BELOW, YOU ACKNOWLEDGE HAVING READ AND AGREEING TO ALL OF THE ABOVE-TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Yes, I Agree