

## **Skydive Chicago Tentative Opening May 31, 2020 (Illinois Phase III) Response Plan Summary**

This plan will be updated as needed to comply with governing regulations and based on information provided to us from the Illinois Department of Health, local health department and CDC.

For the safety of our staff, contractors and customers please do not come to the hangar if you are sick and please no one under the age of 18 at the hangar. No spectators on the property. If you are not staff or skydiving please do not come to the hangar. Common areas closed to congregate.

Everyone must wear a mask or "buff" covering their mouth and nose at all times indoors and when 6 feet of separation can't be maintained. No handshaking or fist bumping.

Every day you arrive you will be asked to fill out a "symptom checklist" (see below) and have a touchless temperature check. Employees and contractors will check in with the department manager, tandems will check in the auditorium, fun Jumpers will check in manifest office please walk around the hangar and enter on the west side.

Sample Symptom Checklist:

1. Do you have Coronavirus (Covid-19)?
2. Have you been exposed to anyone with Coronavirus (Covid-19) in the last 14 days?
3. Have you traveled outside the United States in last 14 days?
4. Do you have a cough?
5. Do you have shortness of breath or difficulty breathing?
6. Do you have a fever; which is a temperature at or above 100? My temperature is \_\_\_\_\_.

If you answer yes to any of the symptoms then you will be asked to leave the hangar and wait 72 hours until you are symptom free, without medication, or until 14 days has passed depending on your response.

### **Department Safety Summary**

Safety is always Skydive Chicago, Inc.'s main focus and as such we have spent weeks preparing for opening and continue to prepare daily. This list is a summary of the safety measures being taken and in no way is conclusive. Staff and contractors will be trained on full procedures and a full 12 page "Skydive Chicago Response Plan" can be provided upon request.

#### **Tandem Checking In Auditorium:**

1. Limit 10 students checking in every hour.
2. Go to the east entrance, the closest door to the parking lot, and into the auditorium for check in.
3. Everyone is highly encouraged to do the waiver, class and full payment prior to arrival.
4. Symptom checklist, temperature, mask worn indoors and when 6 feet separation can't be maintained
5. Neck buffs and goggles are required for your skydive. The mask that you bring may not be suitable for skydiving; therefore, we will provide them for you unless you would like to purchase your own from Rock Sky Market gear store located on the property. Neck buffs will be worn once and washed nightly. Goggles will be dipped in alcohol and dried after every load.
6. Doors to auditorium to stay open.
7. Signs and floor decals to instruct where to go and encourage social distancing.
8. Groups will be called over PA and by text message to the hangar for their jump.

#### **Tandem Area Hangar:**

1. Mask must be worn.
2. Sign and floor decals to instruct where to go and encourage social distancing.
3. Hand sanitizer provided.
4. High touched areas cleaned after every use by instructors.
5. Instructor to harness student to limit contacts.

#### **Tandem Instructors:**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, masks worn indoors and when 6 feet separation can't be maintained.
2. Video room only to be used to house equipment.
3. Required to wear masks and full-face helmets on skydive.
4. Refrain students from using toggles.
5. Tandem harness cleaned nightly.
6. 2 assigned rigs each day.

#### **AFP Students**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, masks worn indoors and when 6 feet separation can't be maintained.
2. Assigned an instructor, rig for the day and log rig use.
3. First part of class by Zoom and second part limited to 5 people.
4. 6-student limit per day.
5. Student and instructor assigned a room for the day.
6. Debriefing station cleaned after every use by instructor.

#### **Manifest**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, mask worn indoors.
2. Employees remain at same workstation with constant sanitization.

3. Hand sanitizer available at every workstation.
4. Limit to 3 customers with doors open at all times.
5. Jumpers encouraged to use Burble to manifest.

#### **Loading Area**

1. Loaders will have daily Symptom Checklist, temperature, mask must be worn in loading area.
2. Jumper is responsible for showing gear tag to the loader.
3. Only loader, grounds, S&TA may use the Kubota and drop zone truck and jumpers must get in the bed of the vehicle.
4. Kubota and drop zone truck to be wiped down after every use.
5. No handshaking or fist bumping.

#### **Aircraft**

1. Masks or buffs worn the entirety of plane ride and skydive even if you have a full-face helmet.
2. Limiting 9 slots plus pilot.
3. Inside aircraft will be fogged every night with "Transform Antimicrobial Interior Disinfectant"
4. The cockpit is off limits to anyone but the pilot; therefore, a divider has been placed in the plane. Pilot will disinfect cockpit.

#### **Packers**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, masks worn indoors.
2. Packing area roped off to maintain social distancing.
3. Instructors to stow their own toggles.
4. Use of hand sanitizer or wash hands after every pack job and avoid touching face.

#### **Grounds**

1. All doors on hangar to be open whenever weather conditions allow.
2. If door can't be open there will be foot handles added for a no touch experience.
3. Bathrooms will have a cleaning chart posted and cleaned throughout the day.
4. Contact points will be disinfected throughout the day.
5. Every night the hangar, bathrooms, offices and auditorium will be disinfected.

#### **Maintenance**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, masks worn indoors and when 6 feet separation can't be maintained.
2. All aircraft maintenance in the hangar will have a barrier set up around the work area to allow for social distancing.

#### **Eat UP**

1. Symptom Checklist, temperature, mask and gloves worn.
2. The food truck will be parked on the southside of the hangar with social distancing markers for ordering.
3. If food truck unavailable there will be delivery or curbside pick up. Orders can be place via phone, text or social media.
4. Menus will be replaced with signs, on social media or a "take away" menu for personal use.
5. Use disposable and single use items per Illinois Department of Health.

#### **Rock Sky Market**

1. Employees will have daily Symptom Checklist, temperature, and mask worn when 6 feet separation can't be maintained.
2. Please do not touch merchandise an team member can help with merchandise.
3. Countertops, work surfaces, and pens disinfected after every use.
4. Customers needing custom measurements, will be asked to have someone they shelter with to take measurements with guidance from a team member.

#### **Rigging loft**

1. Riggers will have daily Symptom Checklist, temperature, and mask worn when can't maintain 6 feet social distancing.
2. Only team members allowed.
3. Riggers not to share tools.
4. General rule, rigging work will be placed in a bin for 3 days before and after work completed. It is up to the customer and rigger if 6 day waiting period is not allowed whether to proceed.

#### **Events**

Due to the current pandemic and Illinois regulations and recommendations, events at Skydive Chicago will be evaluated, adjusted, postponed, or cancelled as appropriate to insure the best and safest experience for participants. In accordance with Illinois' phase 3 opening plan, events upon SDC's opening will be limited to a number of participants for us to safely accommodate groups of no more than 10 people within 6 feet of each other. All participants will be required to wear facemasks at all times. Extra sanitation supplies and extra space to maintain social distancing will be available to participants and organizers. Registration and waivering that can be done online ahead of time will be done online to reduce the number of personal transactions required. Participants are expected to maintain 6 feet social distance from others whenever possible throughout the event.

As Illinois progresses to phase 4 of the opening plan, events will be expanded to allow a number of participants which we can accommodate in groups of no more than 50 people within 6 feet of each other and all participants will continue to be expected to wear face masks. Events will resume without restriction when Illinois moves to phase 5. Only digital events will take place during phase 1 and phase 2 of Illinois' reopening plan. We will maintain a flexible cancellation and rescheduling policy for event participants and organizers, as we understand the flexibility required at this time. Event organizers and participants will be notified regularly with any changes or updates to events as soon as they are available.

**For the prompt identification and isolation of sick people**

If you or someone you know are showing symptoms of coronavirus please leave the hangar immediately for self isolation and call Heidi at 815-993-0529. At that time we will shut down operations for 24 hours to clean and coordinate with state and local officials. Illinois Department of Health recommends to stay at home for 7 days after the onset of symptoms and 72 hours symptom free without medication before resuming contact.