

COVID-19 “At-Risk” Camp Participant Statement MUST BE COMPLETED AND BROUGHT TO CAMP

Participant Name _____ Troop 1199 (Select one) BOY GIRL

Your safety and the safety of all our members, their families and our volunteers is Troop 1199’s top priority. While there is still much uncertainty regarding COVID 19, we are monitoring the information provided by health experts and government agencies to help keep safe those who choose to come to camp.

Our council leaders continue to coordinate with state and local health departments to ensure we are informed of and comply with their guidance to mitigate the risks COVID-19 being contracted at camp.

Based on Circle 10 guidelines, our mitigation plan includes:

- Pre-attendance education,
- Health screening conducted prior to travel to our camp, including a temperature check.
- Additional Health screening may be conducted upon arrival at other organized activities by camp health officers.
- Limitations on visitors in camp.
- Hygiene reminders while at camp.
- Close Adult supervision of cooking/serving and other interactive activities.
- Extra handwashing /sanitizer use is highly encouraged.
- An emergency response plan that includes an isolation and quarantine protocol should a person at camp develop symptoms of COVID-19 or other communicable disease.
- Follow-up communications after the event if any participants have developed symptoms.

These precautions are important, but these efforts cannot eliminate the potential for exposure to COVID-19 or any other illness while at camp. Experts have said that people with COVID-19 may show no signs or symptoms of illness, but can still spread the virus, and people may be contagious before their symptoms occur. The fact is that someone with COVID-19 may pass the required health screenings and be allowed into camp. We also know the very nature of camp makes social distancing difficult in many situations and impossible in others. Information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that older adults and people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions are at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19. *If you are in this group, please ensure you have approval from your health care provider prior to attending camp.*

Every camper, volunteer, and Scouting family must evaluate their unique circumstances and make an informed decision before attending camp. We hope this information will be helpful as you make that choice.

I have read and understand all of the above information. I agree to notify the troop leadership if my scout or anyone in our household has symptoms of or a positive test form COVID-19 within 14 days of the event.

Signature of Parent / Guardian /Adult

Date