



2022 ON-SITE SUMMER CAMP HEALTH & SAFETY GUIDELINES (Approved 3/13/2022)

In an effort to keep all campers and staff safe and healthy, Badlands Ministries has permanently adopted some of the COVID-19 preventative measures we took during our past two summers. These changes are minor and sensible and have no negative effect on camp life as we know and love it. **Because campers stay in small cabin groups and are able to be outdoors and practice social distancing, risk to possible COVID19 and other communicable illnesses is minimized.** We look forward to another safe, fun, and faith-filled summer!

If your camper has any pre-existing medical conditions, please seek advice from your primary care physician for a recommendation on whether or not you should attend camp in 2022.

Contained below is an overview of the modifications we will continue to use for the summer of 2022:

Health Screenings

- Upon arrival at camp, all campers will be asked whether they have had any recent symptoms of illness over the past 2 weeks.
- Temperature and symptom checks will be performed on any campers not feeling well during the week

Physical Distancing/Masks

- Campers will be in close contact with others within their cabin group. Campers and staff will not be required to wear masks within their small cabin groups.
- Camp activities will be modified to emphasize physical distancing between cabin groups.
- Campers may need face coverings indoors in special circumstances if social distancing is not possible. We do not anticipate masks being needed often, but will have masks at camp just in case.

Meals

- Meals will be served buffet-style by designated staff. Campers will receive their food in the cabin groups and will stay 6' back from the serving window unless serving area safety guards are in place.

Hygiene/Cleaning

- We will promote good hygiene practices such as hand washing, use of hand sanitizer, refraining from touching your face, limiting unnecessary contact, etc.
- Cabin groups will have designated times each day for showering in the Jordan River bathhouse. High-contact surfaces in the bathhouse will be disinfected after each cabin group.
- Common area restrooms will be cleaned by designated staff members throughout the day.

Registration/Check-In

- Check-in at the start of the week will be "drive-thru" style. Campers and their families will drive through several check-in stations as they ultimately make their way to their cabins. Family members will be allowed to get out of their cars to help unload camper luggage and say goodbye.

Closing Worship

- At this time, we are encouraging parents and families to watch our weekly camper led closing worships online via Facebook. These services will be recorded and can be watched any time. We do plan to hold these serves outside as weather permits, and will accommodate parents and families as space allows.
- Those who come to pick up campers at check-out will be directed to drive-thru pick-up locations to get their campers and their belongings.