

# COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS AT GIRL SCOUT SUMMER CAMP



We're so glad you're interested in sending your girl to GSWPA summer camp. We know there is a lot to consider during this time, but please know there is nothing we take more seriously than the safety and well-being of our girls, volunteers, and council staff. We are listening to experts, taking the necessary precautions, and implementing protocols in order to provide the safest possible experience at our camp properties this summer.

Our efforts include:

- Guidance from the American Camp Association (ACA) and Association of Camp Nurses (ACN)
- Following guidelines from the CDC, state, and local authorities
- Limiting overnight resident camp by 50%
- Mask wearing
- Social distancing
- Frequent handwashing
- Hand sanitizer/washing stations throughout camp
- Disinfecting surfaces daily
- Creating adequate space from others during all camp activities
- Structuring camp sessions into separate pods where campers will participate in all camp programs and meals. There will be no interaction with other pods.
- Increased health screening at camper check-in and check-out.
- Reducing contact when arriving and leaving GSWPA camps by staggering check-in and check-out times.

We are proud to be working closely with the ACA and ACN to make sure our safety measures remain up to the highest standards. The most strict county COVID-19 guidelines within our western Pennsylvania service area will be adhered to at all GSWPA camps, regardless of which county the camp resides. All registered participants will receive more information in their confirmation letters as well as a communicable disease mitigation plan.