

Restoring Maryland 4-H In-Person Programs

Baseline Conditions as of July 1, 2021.



LOCATION

4-H Activity may be held outdoors or indoors.

- **Outdoors:** Physical distancing restrictions have been lifted. Please continue to respect the personal space and comfort level of participants.
- **Indoors:** 4-H activity must comply with local school system directives on physical distancing.



DIRECTIVES

4-H Activity must comply with local directives for indoor or outdoor gatherings. *Please note, some 4-H activities are required to follow additional guidelines (i.e. camp & overnight activities).*



1 adult volunteer for every 10 youth ages 8-18



1 adult volunteer for every 5 Cloverbud members ages 5-7

SIZE

There are **no** restrictions on capacity sizes. 4-H activity must comply with local school system directives on physical distancing. All 4-H activities must include **at least 2** UME Volunteers or 4-H Faculty/Staff leaders. Please be mindful of 4-H youth/adult ratios.

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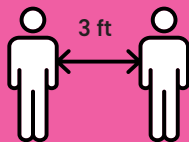
HEALTH PLEDGE

All youth and adult participants must affirm they are well enough to participate in the 4-H activity when signing the attendance form for the 4-H activity. Individual health pledges will no longer be required.



FACE COVERING

- **Outdoors:** 4-H, as guided by the Maryland Health Department, strongly recommends that all non-vaccinated individuals over the age of 2 continue to wear face coverings in all outdoor settings where physical distancing cannot be maintained.
- **Indoors:** 4-H activity must comply with local school system directives on mask requirements indoors.



PHYSICAL DISTANCING

4-H activity must comply with local school system directives on physical distancing.



HAND HYGIENE

All 4-H Activity participants must have access to supplies for hand hygiene (hand sanitizer, sink with soap and water, etc).



CLEANING

Cleaning and sanitizing supplies must be available. High-touch surfaces and shared equipment or materials must be sanitized.

