

**PREMIER CUP 2021 RISK MITIGATION PLAN**

* Teams and limited spectators will be put on opposite sides of the field
* Will provide additional trainers (with proper PPE) to tournament sites
* Bathrooms and high touch areas cleaned every hour; hand sanitizer stations throughout site
* Benches removed during tournament
* Separate 6-foot area designated for each player on sideline
* Spectators limited to one per family
* Health check/waiver for each individual participating in the tournament
* Masks – players must wear a mask when traveling to and from the field. On sidelines, coaches and spectators must wear mask at all times
* Will enforce social distancing rules, when possible
* Signage throughout site concerning protocols
* Balls will be wiped down before, at halftime, and at the end of each match
* Starting game times staggered; teams/age groups kept in pods
* Game time lengths reduced
* Will abide by list of states that have mandated quarantine by Maryland – will not accept/invite
* Bethesda will provide pre-event communications regarding expectations and protocols
* All event staff will receive pre-event training on protocols and guidelines
* Teams must leave bench area immediately at the conclusion of the match; teams for the next match cannot come to the field area until the bench area is completely cleared
* No sharing of water bottles, drinks, food, or personal items
* Hand contact of any kind is not permitted