



INFORMATION BULLETIN

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TO: OMHA Member Associations
CC: OMHA Board; OMHA Convenors
FROM: Ian Taylor - Executive Director
SUBJECT: Return to Play – Stage 3b) – September 1, 2020



Following up on bulletin [200808-40-I](#), **OMHA Return to Play – OHF Stage 3b) programming will begin effective September 1st.**

- Players must be registered for the 2020-21 season in order to be eligible and covered by Hockey Canada insurance. Players may participate with their Home Association or the Association with which they were registered for the 2019-20 season.
- Players registering for the very first time will register with the Association identified as their residential (home) Association.
- Associations may now begin to collect registration fees for programming associated with Stage 3.

Associations should refer to the following documentation included with this bulletin for further information. Questions should be directed to your Regional Director.

- OHF Return to Hockey Framework document
- OHF Return to Hockey Stage 3 - Bulletin
- OMHA Return to Hockey Framework - Addendum
- OHF Return to Hockey Plan & Protocols Checklist
- Health Screening Questionnaire
- Tracking Sheet
- Hockey Canada Safety Guidelines
- Hockey Canada Safety Guidelines - FAQs

OMHA Association Return to Play Programming Plans

Using the [OHF Return to Play Plan and Protocols checklist](#), Associations (MHAs) are required to draft and submit their **Return to Play Programming Plan to their respective Regional Director for review and approval**. The Plan must include the declaration of cohort/bubbles for all teams.

Once approved, Associations can [submit a request for a Certificate of Insurance](#) for the 2020-21 season.

We will continue to provide updates to the programming framework as we receive them from the OHF and Hockey Canada as well as direction from the Government of Ontario and Public Health Units (PHU).

Throughout this process, we will continue to ensure all return to play puts the safety of our participants first and foremost.