



CCIW Policy Regarding Disclosure of Infectious Diseases

CCIW member institutions shall be required to formally disclose to competing schools any outbreak or cluster of any infectious diseases or conditions that, in the member institution's discretion, pose a serious risk to the health or safety of students, student-athletes and/or staff.

In accordance with the Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines, an outbreak or cluster is defined as any situation in which three (3) or more related cases of the involved disease are diagnosed involving students, student-athletes and/or staff over a 14-day period. At that time, the involved institution's athletics director (or someone designated by the athletics director) shall notify in writing the CCIW office. At the time of disclosure, the involved institution shall also provide basic guidelines for the prevention of the involved disease for all students, student-athletes and staff of any competing team.

Any institutions disclosing the outbreak or cluster of the involved disease is not required to identify individual cases, but must identify the involved disease, the involved sport or sports and the date(s) of the confirmed diagnosis while indicating that the number of confirmed cases has exceeded the CDC definition of a cluster or outbreak.

CCIW member institutions shall fully comply with applicable state laws regarding the reporting of infectious diseases.