



# RETURN TO LACROSSE

## Latest Update



Kia ora to all our NZ Lacrosse community

This regular update will provide you all with a summary of any key information, updates or actions you need to know as part of our Return to Lacrosse in the current COVID-19 world. In addition, please make sure you're regularly checking our [website](#) and checking in with your Regional Bodies.

### NEW GUIDELINES

Following the move to Alert Level 2, NZWLA and NZLA have been working with our regional bodies and committee members to establish Return to Lacrosse Guidelines, based on advice and guidance from Sport NZ.

These are very detailed guidelines on the protocols and expectations we have on all Lacrosse activities which take place starting Wednesday 20 May. The guidelines are expected change as and when updates are made by the NZ Government and any updates will be communicated out to everyone via our Regions, website and social media.

Please take the time to review these new guidelines [here](#).

**All Lacrosse activities must be organised in conjunction with your Regional Body or NZ High Performance Rep.**

## IMPORTANT TO KNOW

### Max 10 Participants

No more than 10 participants may be at a field or training location. This includes all players, coaches, officials, support staff and spectators.

### Contact Tracing

Every participant must complete the contact tracing register. NZ Lacrosse has set up the use of Contact Tracing app iDMe to do this.

### Organising Activities

Every activity must be organised in conjunction with the regional body (or NZ Rep for NZ team activities). NZ Lacrosse will be keeping a register of all activities and there must be an Activity Organiser for each activity to ensure the guidelines are followed, including contact tracing

## USEFUL LINKS



[NZ Lacrosse  
COVID Site](#)



[Sport NZ](#)



[NZ Govt  
COVID Site](#)

**Please read the full guidelines and seek guidance from your Regional Body before organising an activity.**



## WORLD LACROSSE EVENTS

COVID-19 has meant a number of World Lacrosse's events have been pushed out. New Zealand was set to host the APLU Men's Qualifying tournament this September. This has been pushed to April 2021. The World Games has been moved from 2021 to July 2022 as a result of the postponement of the Olympics to 2021. World Lacrosse has confirmed that the Senior Women's World Championships will carry on as planned in July 2021. NZBLAX trainings commence in August 2020. NZ Senior Mens trainings will be confirmed with their players over the next couple of weeks.

## CONTACT US

If there is anything in our Return to Lacrosse approach which you are uncertain or concerned about, please don't hesitate to reach out to your Executive in your Regions, or directly to the NZWLA and NZLA Executive by emailing [secretary@nzwlacrosse.com](mailto:secretary@nzwlacrosse.com).