



HUMANE AMIGOS CAMP 2022 COVID-19 EXTENDED CLEANING AND SAFETY PROTOCOL

While the HSSA's Humane Amigos Camp has existing strict cleaning and safety policies in place due to the nature of animal sheltering and the potential zoonotic disease exposure (diseases easily transmitted from domesticated or wild animals to humans), during the age of COVID-19 we are taking the following additional steps to keep our campers, interns and staff safe and healthy throughout the camp season. *These policies are subject to change with changing circumstances.*

CAN MY CHILD GET COVID-19 FROM THE DOGS AND CATS AT THE SHELTER?

According to the World Health Organization, at this time, there is no evidence that companion animals, including pets, can spread COVID-19 to people or that they might be a source of infection in the United States. To date, CDC has not received any reports of pets becoming sick with COVID-19 in the United States.

We will continue to maintain our hygiene standards including handwashing and sanitizing between animal interactions.



Extended Cleaning and Social Distancing Protocol

- All summer camp staff, interns, guest volunteers and speakers and campers will be required to wear face coverings throughout the duration of camp – minus snack breaks and during lunch. This may change based on future CDC recommendations.
- Staff, Interns and campers temperature scanned daily – any elevated temperature 100.4 °F (CDC recommendation) or higher will be considered contagious and the individual will be sent home. They will not be able to return to camp for 24 hrs. after fever subsides.
- Camper sign-in and sign-out will be moved to a digital format and staff will handle all check-in/check-out to minimize contact.
- Each child will be provided their own designated area for lunch boxes and water bottles. Campers will collect their items during lunch and return to their designated area after lunch.
- While outside during breaks, recess and other planned activities, campers can remove their facecoverings if parents and students feel comfortable with this option.
- Tables will be wiped before and after all tabled activities including lunch, crafts, snack breaks and any other time tables may be used. During morning activities all tables will be nested. All activities requiring use of tables will be scheduled during the afternoon, to minimize contact with surfaces.
- HSSA will honor and adhere to the 3ft. (3') social distancing guidelines recommended by the CDC for schools and childcare facilities.

*All cleaning will be done with Rescue™. Rescue™, formulated with Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide®, is approved for use against some of the world's most dangerous pathogens under the EPA Emerging Viral Pathogen guidance, including SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19. Rescue™ Wipes, Ready-to-Use Liquid, and Concentrate can be used effectively against the virus that causes COVID-19 when used in accordance with the directions for use.

*Camp ambassador animals and camp foster animal kennels will be cleaned with dawn dish soap and water mixture.

