



Medical and Inclement Weather Plan

Event Managers are required to communicate the following plan to team contacts prior to the event and have a copy available on site at the medical area.

Resources: [Health, Safety and Liability Guidelines](#) & [TD Manual](#)

Nearest Hospital

Name: UVA University Hospital

Address: 1215 Lee St. Charlottesville, VA 22903

Phone Number: 434-443-3447

Map Link:

<https://www.waze.com/live-map/directions/us/va/charlottesville/uva-university-hospital?to=place.ChIJJaYjDUeGs4kR8pt0hAXxg2s>

Medical Services provided at tournament

We plan on having one certified athletic trainer with 1-2 assistants with basic first aid knowledge.

Where will the medical staff be at the event

We will have a team welcome tent set up by the entrance to the field complex, with a medical tent nearby. The entrance is relatively close to the center of this field complex.

How can teams contact the medical staff (phone, radio)

Teams will be able to contact the athletic trainer or assistants via their phone number which will be distributed in the team welcome packet as well as posted in the tournament GroupMe, which will contain other team leaders. They can also contact by having a team member run to the nearby medical tent.



How will event staff communicate weather, emergency & schedule changes to teams

Before the tournament starts we will have team leaders from each team join a tournament GroupMe. If there is a weather emergency or change in schedule we will post it in here, as well as sending out an email to the tournament email chain. We will also have our team spread the information in person at the tournament.

Any other relevant information specific to your tournament, if applicable (Facility specific weather policies)

None. This year we are hosting at a centralized complex, which has bathrooms and plenty of space to set up medical/team welcome tents. Parking lot is also very close to fields so in case of weather emergency teams can quickly shelter in place inside their cars.

USA Ultimate Weather Policy (Facility may have their own policy)

You can find more details and information here: [Health, safety, and liability Requirements](#)

For Lightning:

If you hear thunder OR your computer or app shows that lightning has struck within ten miles, suspend activity. If you do not have access to a computer or app that shows the proximity of lightning strikes, suspend play if lightning is seen even if you cannot hear thunder.

For Extreme Heat and Cold:

Refer to [Medical Staff Requirements](#). When the Heat Index reaches 100 F ([see NOAA/National Weather Service Heat Index Chart](#)), play must be suspended. In colder temperatures and/or wetter conditions, it is important to be cognizant of conditions conducive to hypothermia.