

OPT IN PROCESS AND CONFIRMATIONS

This process must be used by all netball organisers and is designed to ensure that the risks of netball and COVID-19 are understood by individuals and ensures they have the choice with regard to netball activity.

This information is for all members, players, coaches, officials and volunteers.

Members should be made aware of:

- The risks associated with Netball activity related to COVID-19, this is found on the resource within the Stage 4 Care Package and is explained in the video “Understanding the risk of netball”.
- Clear information about those who are at higher risks of COVID-19. This can be found on the Personal Risk Assessment document within the Stage 4 Care Package.
- That there is no pressure from anyone within the netball family to return if they are uncomfortable with the risks due to their own personal situation, or that of a close family member that they live with.
- That when they feel comfortable, they will be welcome back to netball activity and in the meantime, they very much remain a member of the netball family.

What steps netball organisations need to take:

- Make available information that outlines the risks associated with netball activity and COVID-19.
- Share details of COVID-19 Officer, Safeguarding Officer or other appropriate person who concerns can be discussed with.
- If necessary and a member is unsure if they are high risk or not, they should seek the advice of their own GP.
- Ask all members to “opt in” to involvement, below is a statement that can be used to support this and you may want to combine it with other registration processes.



OPT IN STATEMENT

I have been made aware of the risks associated with netball activity and COVID-19 and understand this. I also understand there are some people who are of higher risk of contracting COVID-19.

I am comfortable with the information I have been provided and opt in to participate in netball. I also confirm I understand the requirements and steps I need to take to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 through netball and agree to take all these steps.

Signed:

Full name:

Date: