

**LEAGUE FOR THE HANDICAPPED, INC.
dba THE CHILDREN’S LEAGUE**

Addendum to The Reopening Plan as required by the NY Department of Health and NY Department of Education

Remote Learning

The Children’s League (TCL) plan is to begin the 2020-2021 school year following a hybrid model. The hybrid model combines in-person and remote learning. It is referred to as a 2/1/2 model. Half of the children will attend on Monday and Tuesday and the other half will attend on Thursday and Friday. Wednesdays will be devoted to remote classroom and therapy sessions, communication with families, and cleaning. On the three days the children are not scheduled to be in school, remote educational and therapeutic sessions will occur. Educational and therapeutic learning materials and activities will be also be provided.

With half of the children in attendance at any one time, they will be afforded greater individualized instruction with an increased staff to child ratio and this will allow for increased social distancing. Smaller group size will provide more opportunities for children to practice safe hygiene routines.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Blue Group In-Person	Blue Group In-Person	Blue Group Remote	Blue Group Remote	Blue Group Remote
Green Group Remote	Green Group Remote	Green Group Remote	Green Group In-Person	Gold Group In-Person

Our goal is to increase the number of days children are in attendance, eventually moving to a full time 5 day/week schedule, as conditions permit.

Equal access to technology is a goal for the successful implementation of remote learning opportunities for all children and their families. TCL has been mindful of student home access to reliable internet and devices. In problematic situations this information is shared with the CPSE/CSE. The TCL will work collaboratively with the child’s home school district to assist the family with a device.

Testing

The Children's League will not provide COVID-19 testing onsite. Should a child or staff member present with suspected symptoms, they will be assessed by the school nurse in an isolation room. If the nurse determines that the symptoms are not related to a known medical issue and may be associated with COVID-19, the child/staff will be sent home and the nurse will contact the County Health Department. They will be advised to contact their primary care provider (PCP) and advised to seek COVID-19 testing. TCL is compiling information that will be shared with a listing of testing sites in each of the five counties where children and staff reside.

Contact Tracing

TCL will work cooperatively with the local health departments to assist with contact tracing when necessary. In the event of a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 at TCL, the local health department will be contacted immediately. The school will cooperate with all directives including requests for contact tracing information. Confidentiality will be maintained.

Classroom cohorts will remain together throughout the day to limit exposure to others in the building. Staff members will also be scheduled to limit the number of cohorts they are in contact with each day. Tracking of staff members having contact with classroom cohorts will occur daily. This will be of assistance should contact tracing be necessary.

TCL has identified the following contact persons:

Marcole Feuz, Executive Director, COVID-19 Safety Coordinator

Danielle Wiefert, RN, School Nurse, COVID-19 Resource Person

Public Meetings

TCL has scheduled three Zoom meetings for parents/guardians:

Tuesday, August 18, 2020 @ 6:30 PM

Wednesday, August 19, 2020 @ 2:00 PM

Thursday, August 20, 2020 @ 4:00 PM

TCL has scheduled a Zoom meeting for staff:

Thursday, August 20, 2020 @ 1:30 PM