

Hello Vertical Zone Trampoline Gymnastics Club Patrons:

The provincial proof of vaccination mandate will impact access to Vertical Zone programming.

For the remainder of this letter, I will be referring to Version 2 of the Ministry of Health document, linked below and throughout:

**UPDATED:** [Proof of Vaccination Guidance for Businesses and Organizations under the Reopening Ontario Act, Version 2, September 27, 2021](#)

#### **PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18YO:**

- Vertical Zone is considered a “facility used for sports and recreational fitness activities...[where] Youth under 18 years of age [are] actively participating in an organized sport, including training, practices, games and competitions” ([p. 13](#)). Therefore, ***all participants under the age of 18YO in registered programs are exempt from providing proof of vaccination and identification.***
- **UPDATE:** All participants 12YO+ who are attending birthday parties or group bookings at Vertical Zone must show proof of vaccination or medical exemption ([p. 5d](#)).

#### **PARTICIPANTS OVER 18YO:**

- “Adult (18+) patrons accessing the facility for any purpose, including parents or guardians of youth participating in an organized sport” ([p. 13](#)), are required to show proof of vaccination ([pp. 6-8](#)) and identification ([pp. 8-9](#)), unless they have proof of a medical exemption ([p.6, h](#)). Please view the pages cited in the document linked above for requirements to satisfy proof of vaccination and identification or proof of exemption and identification.

#### **NEXT STEPS FOR ADULTS 18YO+ AND BIRTHDAY PARTY/ GROUP BOOKING ATTENDEES ACCESSING OUR FACILITY:**

- By Wednesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, please present approved proof of vaccination and identification OR approved proof of medical exemption and identification. Once staff have verified the proof, a note will be added to your Uplifter Account, so that you will not be required to show proof each week. [PROOF OF VACCINATION RECEIPTS FOUND HERE.](#)

#### **QUESTIONS/COMPLAINTS:**

- PLEASE REMEMBER: Vertical Zone is legally responsible for implementing these restrictions.
- Please direct any Vertical Zone specific questions for clarification to [jenn@verticalzone.ca](mailto:jenn@verticalzone.ca).
- Any other questions or complaints should be directed to: [The Ministry of Health](#).

Thank you for your ongoing patience and support. Take care, stay healthy and be kind 😊

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