



TWIN PINES

CAMP, CONFERENCE & RETREAT CENTER

INFECTIOUS/CONTAGIOUS VIRUS AND DISEASE CONTROL POLICY

In light of many infectious and contagious viruses and diseases affecting our society today, Twin Pines has adopted the following precautions and protocols to protect the campers attending our summer programs.

Precautions:

1. Campers who have any of the variety of symptoms, such as fever, headache, body aches, fainting, nasal inflammation, sore throat, cough, nausea, and/or vomiting, should not be brought to camp. Call camp to reschedule for a later time.
2. Persons living in a town where confirmed cases of monitored infectious viruses or diseases or persons attending school where a case has been confirmed are not permitted to attend a camp session at Twin Pines unless they have been free of the above symptoms for a minimum of 7 days.
3. Campers who are brought to camp with any of the above symptoms will not be permitted to stay at camp to prevent the spread of any virus or disease among the other campers.
4. Campers who become ill while attending camp, will be isolated from the other campers. They will be observed by the camp nurse, and, if it is determined that symptoms could be detrimental to other campers, parents or guardians will be called. Once a parent is called, the camper will be expected to be picked up and taken home within six (6) hours of the call.

Protocols:

1. The camp nurse will instruct the campers in proper respiratory and hand hygiene during the introductory time at the beginning of each camp session.
 - cover the nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze
 - throw the tissue in the trash immediately after use
 - wash hands with anti-bacterial hand cleaner prior to entering the dining room for meals
 - avoid touching your nose, mouth or eyes – germs are easily spread this way
2. Cabin counselors will encourage campers to position themselves on their beds for sleeping so that there is more than 3 feet between each camper's head.
3. Campers will be encouraged to wash their hands with anti-bacterial solutions provided prior to entering the dining room at each meal time.
4. The entire Twin Pines staff will be instructed about what symptoms to look for and will be encouraged to closely observe the campers in their care to detect the first signs of any problem.

We are planning on a safe and healthy summer camp season!!!