



FY24 COVID-19 SAFETY PROCEDURES

Dance Exchange follows the Maryland Department of Health and Montgomery County's guidance for safety policies and procedures. Routine prevention strategies are implemented to decrease the risk of COVID-19 and other respiratory illness transmissions. As such, the following rules and regulations are in effect for FY24 at the Dance Exchange Community & Creative Hub:

If you are sick, stay home.

- All renters and guests entering the building must be in good health with:
 - Temperatures below 100.4 degree Fahrenheit
 - No symptoms of illness including coughing, sneezing, or fatigue
 - No one in their household is currently ill
- All renters and guests must not have tested positive for COVID-19 for the past 5 days.

Face coverings are encouraged in common areas.

- Masks are encouraged for everyone over 2 years of age, at all times, in common areas, lobbies, and in restrooms. Please proceed directly to your rented studio and avoid congregating in common areas.
- Once in the studio, it is up to the rental organizer's discretion for the requirement of masks.
- Dance Exchange provides face coverings which are located in baskets within each studio.
- A face covering is fitted properly when it covers your nose, mouth, and chin. It includes cloth face coverings, scarves, and bandanas. It does not include face coverings with a valve, or solely wearing a face shield.

Socially distance whenever possible.

- Social distancing in the hallways, lobby, and restrooms is encouraged. Social distance means to maintain at least 6 feet of distance between yourself and someone else to prevent the spread of airborne illness.

Maintain gap time between rentals.

- Dance Exchange has implemented a mandatory 15 minute gap time between rentals. This is to be used to tidy the space and exit. Sanitation materials are provided near each studio.