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## CORONAVIRUS INFORMATION UPDATE: Corona restrictions in Kemi from 24.5.-6.6. 2021

The city of Kemi will continue with corona restrictions and recommendations aimed at protecting city residents from the spread of the coronavirus.

### Exercises and group activities in indoor and outdoor exercise facilities

- Group activities for children and young people under the age of 20 are allowed in the indoor sports facilities. In the exercise activities of children and young people, it must be ensured that adults and parents cannot gather in the same premises, except for the coaches and persons in charge of the group.
- All indoor exercise facilities are currently closed to all hobby groups, school groups and professional athletes other than those aged 20 and under.
- Outdoor adult team sports and activities are also allowed in the trainings organized by sports clubs. Activities must be organized in a corona-safe manner in accordance with the regulations of sports federations, OKM and AVI.
- Professional sports, exercises and competitions are also allowed indoors. However, sporting events should be organized without the spectators and with careful compliance with corona safety guidelines.
- Swimming hall is open to people from 65 years of age and above. Users must prove their age at the reception cashier. Safety distances and other valid restrictions must be observed in all indoor areas of the swimming hall. The swimming hall is still closed to other age groups.

### Library, museums, and youth facilities

- The library, art museum and historical museum are open. However, the library reading areas are closed. All activities must comply with the regional limit to assembly and other recommendations, such as good hand and coughing hygiene and safe distancing. Maintain recommendation to use a mask wearing.





- The youth facilities are open and can accommodate about half of the normal number of visitors at the same time. Masks and safe distancing is recommended around the premises

## Restrictions on assembly will continue until June 6, as decided by AVI

- Meetings must comply with the regulations issued by the Lapland Regional Administrative Agency. (LAVI / 750/2021) The Lapland Regional Administrative Agency prohibits all indoor and outdoor public events and general meetings attended by more than ten (10) people within Länsi-Pohja Hospital District.
- Public events and general meetings with a maximum of ten (10) people may be held indoors and in outdoors within regional boundaries, provided that, safety can be ensured in accordance with the instructions issued by the Ministry of Education and Culture and that of the Department of Health and Welfare services

### Treatment and care units can be visited.

- It is possible to visit the residents of the service homes, observing the safety distance and wearing mask.
- Meetings can be inconstant and must be agreed in advance with staff. There can be a maximum of two visitors. Visitors must comply with face masks, safe distancing, and good hand hygiene regulations during visitation.

### Other applicable guidelines and recommendations

- Avoid crowds and unnecessary gatherings. Take care of safety distancing and wear a mask in all situations where you cannot maintain a safety distance. Follow good hand and coughing hygiene. Do not travel to area where the epidemic situation is bad, such as Sweden.
- Apply for corona sampling/testing immediately if you get symptoms.

The recommendations and restrictions given are based on the disease situation, the regulations in force at the Regional Administrative Agency and the recommendations of the Länsi-Pohjan Regional Pandemic Working Group.

