



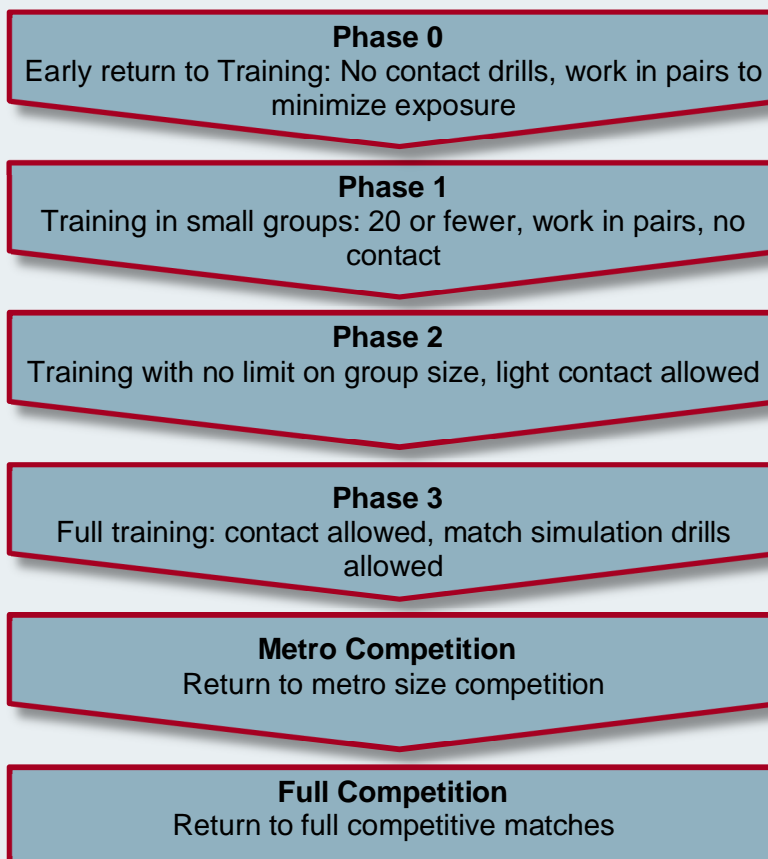
RETURN TO FOOTY SAFELY

The aim of these guidelines are to provide USAFL member clubs and players guidance for returning to football activities safely following the COVID-19 restrictions. The information provided is a guide only – clubs must adhere to local requirements and ordinances when considering any return to football activities.

States will progressively return to *normal activity* over different timeframes with different requirements within their jurisdiction. As such, this framework applies specifically to individual USAFL clubs. As your local jurisdiction approves community sports to proceed, the following return to footy *phases* should be applied:

USAFL Return to Footy Safely Phases

The local jurisdiction must approve community sports activities before club's can progress to Phase 0



Throughout the ***Return to Footy Safely*** process, clubs must follow recommended hygiene practices;

- ◆ No sharing water
- ◆ Clean equipment regularly
- ◆ Wash hands or use hand sanitizer regularly
- ◆ Don't participate if you feel ill or possibly exposed

The disease caused by COVID-19 virus is deadly. Each individual must protect themselves, their families and their communities by staying informed on the latest guidance on health and safety from the [Center for Disease Control](#) and the [World Health Organization](#)

For more details please refer to the USAFL Return to Footy Safely Guidelines provided to each member club. These guidelines will be subject to change as circumstances surrounding COVID-19 evolve. Please consult your Regional VP for the latest guidance.