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This process must be used by all netball organisers. It is designed to ensure that the risks of netball and COVID-19 are understood by individuals and provides a choice to opt in or out of any netball activity.

This information is for all members, players, coaches, officials, and volunteers.

Members should be made aware of the following:

- The COVID-19 transmission risks associated with netball activity and Information about those who are at higher risks from COVID-19. This can be found on the COVID-19 Personal Risk Assessment [here](#).
- That there is no pressure from anyone within the netball family to return to a netball activity if there are any concerns about the risks involved, either due to individual personal circumstances or the circumstances of those with whom you live with or within your support bubble.
- Members will always be welcome to return to netball activity at a time that is **comfortable and convenient for them**. Until such time, they will continue to be members of the netball family and will be able to access support to enable their return.

Steps netball organisations need to take:

- Make available information that outlines the risks associated with netball activity and COVID-19.
- Share details of the COVID-19 Officer, Safeguarding Officer or other appropriate person with whom concerns can be discussed.
- Where necessary, advise members who are unsure whether they are at high risk or not, to seek the advice of their own GP.
- Ask all members to 'opt in' to netball activity. Below is a statement that can be used to support this. You may want to combine this with your club registration process.

Opt in Statement

I have been made aware of, and understand, the risks associated with netball activity and COVID-19. I also understand there are some people who are of higher risk of contracting COVID-19.

I am comfortable with the information I have been provided with and choose to opt in to participate in netball activity. I confirm, understand, and agree to comply with the requirements and risk mitigations outlined to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 through netball.

Signed:

Date: