



Please know that we are committed to the well-being of each camper/ student, guest and staff member.

We are monitoring the COVID-19 situation closely, so please be aware that at any given moment our plans might change. Once registered, if we make the decision to cancel or modify a program, you will be contacted, and can receive a full refund or continue on with modified offerings. In the event you need to cancel your registration due to illness or circumstances related to COVID-19, you will receive a full refund. Leaning Ladder will continue to share information so that you can make informed decisions and together we can strengthen the system and processes to stay vigilant. There are many expected and unexpected challenges that come with running events; coronavirus is no different. Leaning Ladder is committed to consistent communication, we feel it is the best way to alleviate fears and ensure that everyone has a safe and enriching program experience.

Leaning Ladder Healthy Program Plan

A Healthy Program Begins and Ends at Home: Here are some things you can do to help your child have a safe experience.

- If your child is showing signs of illness such as running a temperature, throwing up, has diarrhea, nasal drainage and/or coughing/sneezing, keep the child home and contact us immediately. This greatly reduces the spread of illness but also supports your child's recovery. Please refer to our health & safety policy about illness and attendance.
- Talk to your child about the proper way to sneeze/cough, in his/her sleeve (chicken wing style) and to wash his/her hands often while at home and public spaces, especially before eating and after toileting. If you really want to achieve impact, teach your child to accompany hand washing with another behavior: keeping their hands away from their face.
- Talk to your child about the importance of not sharing utensils, drinking cups, or other personal items.
- Should something come up during the program experience or afterward – contact us and let them know. We want to partner effectively with parents; sharing information makes this possible.
- If your child would like to wear a mask during programs, we encourage it.

Additional Intended Measures for a Healthy Experience at Leaning Ladder: Here is our current plan to help our staff, guests and your child to have a safe camp experience.

- Teaching proper hand washing technique, and encouraging frequent washing hands is always part of the curriculum, but even more emphasis will be placed on it.

- We will reduce the number of campers per session, from 16 to 12 campers per session.
- We will take a digital scan temperature of all staff and child each morning, if the temperature is 100.4 degrees or higher, we will ask child/staff to leave for the day, contact healthcare provider and not return until fever has subsided with no medication for at least 72 hours.
- Our staff will continue to wear and support PPE; such as fresh and clean aprons, face shields and disposable gloves, when handling food and interacting with parents, students or other staff in close spaces.
- We will freshly wash and sanitize all student aprons after use. We will keep up the highest level of sanitization on surfaces in our kitchen and bathroom facilities.
- We have purchased two HEPA certified air purifier units for the space.
- We are asking that parents and guardians **DO NOT** enter the kitchen space, you will receive a car window decal, please place on your dashboard while dropping and picking up your child.
- We ask that students limit what they bring to our facility each day, please no oversized backpacks, or materials from home. They will be given a folder to keep their recipes and other materials for reference, and can take home on the last day of the program.
- We will enforce social distancing between groups, and limiting any interaction between retail store patrons in shared facilities.

Please feel free to contact Joanna Scott at 678-401-2609 at the store, or 914-907-7774 (cell) anytime with questions or concerns. Thank you for supporting our small business, we look forward to a shared culinary adventure.