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Temporary Safety Policy

Section 1

As per CDC recommendations, all unvaccinated staff, patrons, and visitors to the Richmond Memorial Library two years of age or older must wear an appropriate mask or cloth face-covering of the nose and mouth. This currently includes all children aged 2 through 11 and all unvaccinated people aged 12 and up.

Section 2

For the safety of our community and in recognition that no children under the age of 12 are currently vaccinated, any library staff, patron, or visitor two years of age or older must wear an appropriate mask or cloth face-covering of the nose and mouth in order to enter or remain in the Children's Room, or to attend indoor children's programs.

Section 3

As per CDC recommendations, all staff, patrons, and visitors to the Richmond Memorial Library two years of age or older must wear an appropriate mask or cloth face-covering of the nose and mouth of the library if and whenever the City of Batavia or Genesee County are measured to be in areas of substantial or high transmission (except staff, in designated staff areas, when eating).

Section 4

Library patrons who are unable to medically tolerate a face-covering may request accommodation by contacting the Library Director by telephone at 585-343-9550 x 7 or email at rconrad@nioga.org.

Section 5

Notices to these effects will be posted conspicuously at library entrances and on the library's website, and updated accordingly.

Section 6

Previous sections, effective immediately, will remain in place until no longer deemed necessary by the Library Director or Board of Trustees, who will base their decisions on guidelines issued by the Genesee County Department of Health, the NY Forward Finger Lakes Control Room, the New York Department of Health, and the Centers for Disease Control.

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