



Medical and Inclement Weather Plan

Nearest Hospital

Name: OSF Saint Anthony Medical Center, **Address:** 5656 State Street, Rockford, IL 61108, [Map Link](#) **Phone Number:** (815) 226-2000

Medical Services provided at tournament

The trainers at the fields will provide taping, diagnostics, emergency and first aid services.

Where will the medical staff be at the event

The medical staff will be located in a separate tent at Tournament Central.

How can teams contact the medical staff (phone, radio)

Scorekeepers at each field will have radios on a channel that the medical staff are able to access.

How will event staff communicate weather, emergency & schedule changes to teams

Staff will communicate over radios and utilize the Ultimate Chicago, @ultimatechicago, twitter feed using the hashtag #USAUD3CHAMPS.

Any other relevant information specific to your tournament, if applicable (Facility specific weather policies)

In the event of lightning, players should seek shelter in their vehicles or in Mercyhealth Sportscore II. Tents are NOT adequate shelter from lightning.

USA Ultimate Weather Policy

For Lightning:

If you hear thunder OR your computer or app shows that lightning has struck within ten miles, suspend activity. If you do not have access to a computer or app that shows the proximity of lightning strikes, suspend play if lightning is seen even if you cannot hear thunder.

For Extreme Heat and Cold:

Refer to [Medical Staff Requirements](#). When the Heat Index reaches 100 F ([see NOAA/National Weather Service Heat Index Chart](#)), play must be suspended. In colder temperatures and/or wetter conditions, it is important to be cognizant of conditions conducive to hypothermia.