

Dear Friends,

The Englewood Mikvah Association has always had guidelines in place for our employees and patrons in order to maintain a safe, secure and healthy experience. With your comfort in mind, we remind you that we are vigilant about making sure that our Mikvah remains a clean and hygienic environment.

We thoroughly clean our common areas daily, disinfect our dressing room surfaces between users, including wiping down all items that may have been touched, and launder all used linens. Our pools are also filtered every day. No doubt you have probably received notifications with measures we all should be taking to prevent contracting any illness including COVID-19. We encourage you to follow all recommendations in order to maintain your own good health and the health of others.

To that end, please do not come to the Mikvah with any symptoms of illness, including fever, vomiting, diarrhea, and upper respiratory infection. Even if experiencing milder symptoms, we ask that you consult your doctor and Rabbi before attending the Mikvah. Please take extra caution if, in the last 14 days, you have returned from any of the countries that the CDC has determined is a cause for concern. This list includes China, Hong Kong, Iran, Italy, Japan, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand and Vietnam. Please visit www.cdc.gov for the ongoing, current list of countries that have an elevated risk. A woman who has compromised immune health should also consult a Rabbi before visiting our Mikvah. Please notify the Mikvah in advance of your arrival if you should have any concerns or would like our assistance in helping you evaluate your situation.

These policies were reviewed by our Rabbinic leadership and by members of the Englewood Department of Health. If you require further information, please call the Englewood Department of Health at 201-871-6506.

Thank you for acting in the benefit of our community. The precautions we all take will not only protect against the spread of any illness but will also be seen as a heartfelt prayer for the cure of those who are ill.

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