

# WEATHER POLICY

## for Ohio and Michigan Locations



In the event of adverse weather or other emergency situations, the YMCA of Greater Toledo may find it necessary to cancel programs, events and or close any one of our 10 locations. We will make every effort to inform our members.

### ADVERSE WEATHER

Our policy for Ohio branches is to follow the county "level" system. We encourage all members to follow their local news and weather channels for the most up-to-date information regarding the "level" for their county.

Please note that the county "level" system is determined by the county where the branch is located.

**NOTE for Michigan locations:** For the Francis Family YMCA in Monroe County and Dick Family YMCA in Lenawee County, follow their respective Facebook pages for weather-related news. Such news can also be emailed to members, so consider subscribing to email alerts.

#### LEVEL 1

##### Branch Locations

- Branches will remain open during normal operating hours
- Wellness Centers, Gymnasiums, Pools and KidZone will operate under normal operating hours
- Classes and programs will follow their regular schedule

##### Child Care Sites

- Child Care will remain open and operation will resume as normal
  - If schools are closed, the full-day Child Care sites will remain open

#### LEVEL 2

##### Branch Locations

- Branches will remain open during normal operation hours
- Wellness Centers, Gymnasiums, Pools and KidZone will operate under normal operating hours
- Classes and programs will be cancelled\*\*

##### Child Care Sites

- Child Care will remain open and operation will resume as normal

\*If a Level 2 is called overnight or in the morning prior to branches opening, programs will be cancelled until 4 pm. If a Level 2 is lifted during the day, a decision will be made by 2 pm as to whether evening programs will run as scheduled.

\*\*Classes and programs include: swim lessons, sports, arts and any other purchased programs along with personal training sessions and group exercise.

#### LEVEL 3

##### Branch Locations

- Branches will close
  - If Level 3 is lifted during that day, a decision will be made at 2 pm as to whether or not the branches will remain closed or open for evening hours
- Branches that offer 24/7 access will be open to those with a 24/7 access membership, however we strongly encourage our members to adhere to the county level policy and procedures

##### Child Care Sites

- Child Care Sites will be closed
- If a Level 3 is called during the day, the Child Care sites will close early
  - Every reasonable attempt to contact parents to come pick-up their child(ren) will be made. If a parent cannot be reached, the child(ren) emergency contact will be called.
- If a Level 3 downgrades to a Level 2 during the day, the Child Care sites will re-open the following morning

The YMCA of Greater Toledo is committed to providing our facility and services to our members whenever it is safely possible. We appreciate your cooperation and understanding during any event that results in our branches and or child care sites to close.

Programs that are canceled due to inclement weather may not be rescheduled. We will make every possible attempt to make up for missed programs and or events. Fees will not be refunded.

The Y will do everything possible to contact our members of any closing and or delays. Please keep an eye out for posts on social media and our website.

### EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSINGS

If your child's school has a situation where they must evacuate and close the building in the middle of the day, you will be required to make arrangements to pick your child(ren) up from their school.