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1. Identify the roles and responsibilities of club and facility staff or volunteers if a case or outbreak is reported. Determine who within the organization and facility has the authority to modify, restrict, postpone or cancel activities.
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