

PROTECTION CONCEPT FOR MAX. UP TO 1'000 PERSONS WITHOUT COVID-CERTIFICATE

PROTECTION CONCEPT GROUND RULES

The protection concept ensures that the following requirements are met. Sufficient and appropriate measures must be provided for each of these requirements. The organizer is responsible for the selection and implementation of the measures.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EVENTS WITH A MAXIMUM OF 1,000 PEOPLE

- The organizers of events with a maximum of 1'000 persons can decide whether or not to restrict access to persons with a valid certificate (except if the event belongs to the so-called green area where certificate use is not allowed such as private or religious events or falls into the red area where the certificate is mandatory such as dance halls and discotheques.
- Restoration areas must take into account the currently valid protection concept for the hospitality industry.
- Additional framework conditions or specifications for protection concepts for other areas must also be taken into account.
- Whoever organizes the event must designate a responsible person who is responsible for compliance with the protection concept.
- The main responsibility for the implementation of the protection concepts lies with the companies, facilities or organizers themselves. Supervision of the implementation of the protection concepts and sporadic checks are the responsibility of the municipality.
- The requirements and the legal basis can change at any time. Therefore, inform yourself regularly whether the measures taken or protection concepts correspond to the latest requirements.

WITHOUT CERTIFICATE ACCESS RESTRICTION, THE FOLLOWING APPLIES

A maximum of 1,000 persons (visitors or participants) will be present. The performing and participating persons (e.g. music groups, speakers, persons on the podium) are counted. Employees of the organizer and volunteers are not counted.

ADMISSION RESTRICTION

- If seating is compulsory for visitors, up to 1000 visitors can be admitted. At a concert with 100 musicians and performers, 900 visitors can still be present (if the capacity restriction allows it).
- If standing room is available or the audience can move freely, a maximum of 250 participants may be admitted indoors and 500 participants outdoors (e.g. 1st August event without compulsory seating).
- Facilities may be occupied no more than two-thirds of their capacity.
- It is forbidden to hold events at which the visitors dance.
- For events with catering, the currently valid protection concept for the hospitality industry must be taken into account.

1. HAND HYGIENE / PROTECTIVE MASKS

All persons clean their hands regularly and wear hygiene masks in publicly accessible areas.

Measures

- Dispensers with disinfectant are located at the entrances and exits to the convention center and in each room.
- Employees wash or disinfect their hands regularly while on duty.
- All employees who come into contact with the public wear masks.
- Suppliers are instructed to wear masks when making deliveries.
- Gloves are worn by employees occasionally, but are not used everywhere for hygiene reasons. A number of gloves are available.
- In all accessible indoor areas, masks must be worn in accordance with the requirements of the FOPH and the canton of Graubünden.
- The obligation to wear masks applies to all persons, including those with a Covid certificate. Children under 12 years of age and persons who present a medical certificate are exempt.
- At the entrances, the public, visitors, participants, will be advised to put on a mask.
- A number of hygiene masks and gloves are available.

2. KEEP YOUR DISTANCE

Employees, visitors, participants, suppliers keep a distance of 1.5 meters from each other whenever possible.

Measures

- Entry and exit management as well as ticket controls are organized in such a way that the distance rules are observed, e.g. through different entrances and/or staggered times.

- Conglomerations are avoided, floor markings or people guidance systems are in place. Waiting areas are set up. Processing is supervised by the organizer/organizer of the event in question.
- Positioning and escape plans as well as walkways are designed with sufficient distances at the set-up of the rooms.
- It is ensured that the minimum distance of 1.50 meters can also be maintained in WC facilities, recreation and changing rooms, etc.
- Markings are placed in waiting areas, entrance control, info desk, WC facilities, catering stations, etc. to maintain the distances. Helpers assist in controlling the flow of people.
- Hall planning and room occupancy are dependent on the floor plan of the hall. The seating and room concept is set up in such a way that the currently valid spacing according to BAG is maintained. Only chairs on which people are allowed to sit are provided.
- Maximum capacity of WC facilities, in lifts and, if necessary, in other zones will be signaled in front of the corresponding room.
- The distance between employees and participants is 1.5 meters or is only reduced for short periods.
- Doors should be left open as far as permissible and can be passed through without contact if possible.
- There is no physical contact between participants and employees. This does not apply to medical emergencies. Handshakes are strictly prohibited.
- Physical barriers (Plexiglas) are used if the minimum distance is not maintained for a longer period of time.
- For details of access restrictions to ensure minimum distance.
- Sufficiently dimensioned recreation, movement and special areas (incl. smoking areas) are taken into account in the spatial planning of the event.

3. CLEANING

Regular cleaning of surfaces and objects after use as required, especially if they are touched by several people.

Measures

- Door handles, handrails, elevator knobs, surfaces, chair armrests, and other equipment and objects that are frequently touched by more than one person are cleaned and disinfected with a professional cleaner on a regular basis, at least before and after each event.
- Within an event, the premises and work equipment (e.g. table surfaces, pens, flipcharts) are cleaned and disinfected at every break.
- Preferably, disposable cloths are used for the cleaning work. If cloth rags are in use, they will be changed regularly, but at least 2x daily.
- Sufficient cleaning staff will be provided for the implementation of the defined hygiene measures at events.
- If the CO₂ target value is exceeded, our ventilation systems switch on automatically. Only fresh air is blown in from the outside via the switched-on unit. By means of remote access to the control system server, we can also intervene manually at any time if necessary. The filters in our system are replaced regularly.
- The waste garbage cans are emptied professionally on a regular basis.

- The cleaning staff wears protective gloves.
- The toilet facilities are regularly checked, cleaned and disinfected. A control sheet with the appropriate control signatures is posted in each restroom facility.
- Soap dispensers, hand disinfectants, disposable towels as well as cleaning agents are regularly refilled. Sufficient hygiene articles are available.

4. PARTICULARLY VULNERABLE PERSONS

Persons at particular risk comply with the protective measures of the FOPH.

Measures

Persons who belong to the risk group as defined by the BAG decide on their own responsibility whether to participate in events and adhere to the protective measures of the BAG Link.

Persons who feel ill or who have had close contact with persons suffering from covid are obliged to stay at home.

5. SPECIAL WORK SITUATIONS

Consideration of specific aspects of work and work situations to ensure protection.

Measures

- Each exhibitor is responsible for ensuring that the minimum distances and area key are observed on his stand area in accordance with BAG specifications.
- Eating and drinking are permitted. The in-house catering service operates in compliance with all safety regulations and in accordance with the Gastro Suisse protection concept.
- Seating is compulsory during consumption.
- Restaurant, bar and club operations and Gastro Suisse sector protection concept.
- For parallel events, entry and exit are separated in terms of time or location.
- Breaks are coordinated so that different groups of guests do not mix.
- Dancing is not permitted and is prohibited.
- Proper handling of personal protective material.
- Reusable items will be properly disinfected.

6. INFORMATION

Informing employees and other affected persons about the guidelines and measures.

Measures

- Covid-19 behavioral guidelines are posted at entrances using signs and posters to raise awareness. Multilingual if necessary.

- Employees are informed and trained in detail about the content of the protection concept.
- The organizer shall make all participants, employees, exhibiting companies and, through them, the stand constructors aware of the protection concept in advance and provide specific information about the applicable regulations that must be observed by all participants during the construction, implementation and dismantling phases of the event.
- The organizer shall inform participants in advance of the applicable federal travel regulations (rail, air, public transport). If cabs and shuttle buses are used, the maximum capacities and minimum distances based on the protection concepts of the transport companies will be observed. Masks are compulsory in public transport.
- The measures taken by the Federal Council to restrict the entry of persons from abroad must be taken into account.
- Persons showing symptoms of covid disease are requested to leave the premises and/or the site immediately and to go home wearing a hygiene mask and to follow the instructions given by the BAG instructions in the event of symptoms of disease.
- The organizer knows the contact details of all participants in order to be able to provide information to the authorities if necessary.
- The organizer keeps an attendance list. The list includes: First name, last name, place of residence, telephone number, e-mail address and date of birth, if applicable. The organizer must keep the list for 14 days.
- In case of an infection after the event, the cantonal authorities will be informed immediately and it will be clarified which contact data in the vicinity of an infected person are to be provided to the authorities and in which form.
- Violations by participants of the measures provided for in the protection concept will be countered in an appropriate manner, namely by monitoring during the event and by taking appropriate measures.
- If the person does not comply with these requirements, he or she will be admonished, and in the event of further non-compliance, he or she will be expelled from the event area.

7. MANAGEMENT

Implementation of the specifications in order to efficiently implement and adapt the protective measures.

Measures

A COVID-19 contact person is appointed by the event organizer to answer questions about the Corona virus and the protective measures to be implemented.

The responsible person controls the implementation and compliance with the protective and hygienic measures taken at the event in regular intervals and corrects if necessary.

The COVID-19 person in charge ensures comprehensive instruction as well as information of the persons working at the event.

The responsible persons ensure that there is a sufficient supply of protective material and disinfectants (for hands) as well as cleaning agents (for hands, objects, surfaces).

The participants are already informed about the protective measures when the event is announced (website) or at the beginning of the event.

Refusal of admission of persons suffering from Covid or persons with obviously recognizable symptoms.

Persons with symptoms of illness will be sent home with a hygiene mask and instructed to follow the BAG instructions for symptoms of illness.

THE CURRENT FEDERAL MEASURES AT A GLANCE

Valid as of June 26, 2021:

	 Discos und Tanzlokale geöffnet  Wasserparks geöffnet  Homeoffice empfohlen statt Pflicht		Covid-Zertifikat Obligatorisch: Discos, Tanzlokale und Grossveranstaltungen Freiwillig: kleinere Veranstaltungen, Sport-, Kultur- und Freizeitbetriebe, Restaurants
	Veranstaltungen  Mit Zertifikat Keine Einschränkung	 Ohne Zertifikat, mit Sitzpflicht Maximal 1000 Personen  Ohne Zertifikat, ohne Sitzpflicht Draussen: maximal 500 Personen Drinnen: maximal 250 Personen	
	Maskenpflicht  Draussen aufgehoben	 Am Arbeitsplatz gelockert (Arbeitgeber entscheidet)  An Mittelschulen und Berufsschulen gelockert (Kantone entscheiden)	
	Restaurants Draussen: keine Einschränkung Drinnen: Kontaktdaten einer Person pro Gruppe		Sport und Kultur Draussen: keine Einschränkung Drinnen: Kontaktdaten Chorauftritte auch drinnen erlaubt
Weiterhin gilt:	 Maskenpflicht im Innern: Veranstaltungen ohne Covid-Zertifikat, Restaurants, Detailhandel und ÖV	 Private Treffen mit maximal 30 Personen (draussen: 50)	 Empfehlung: Lassen Sie sich impfen!