

AMMSA 2022 COVID Safety and Responsibility Guidelines

In order to ensure all our attendees and the local community stay safe over the AMMSA 2022 weekend, we ask that all attendees take care to abide by these COVID guidelines which have been formulated in accordance with our own, [Ann Arbor's](#), and the [University of Michigan's](#) safety recommendations.

Vaccination:

AMMSA leadership encourages all participants at the in-person conference, whether a presenter, attendee, exhibitor, staff, guest, or vendor to [be fully vaccinated](#). The CDC updated their Vaccines website to indicate the status of "Fully Vaccinated" and "Up To Date".

- "Full vaccination" means that either 14 days have passed since receiving the second dose of FDA or WHO authorized (or emergency use authorized) double-dosed vaccines or single-dose vaccines.
- "Up to Date" means a person has received all recommended COVID-19 vaccines, including any booster dose(s) when eligible.

We strongly encourage all attendees who are eligible to receive the COVID-19 Booster in addition to being fully vaccinated. AMMSA is following the CDC definition of fully vaccinated for vaccination requirement for the event, but we encourage individuals who are eligible to receive the booster prior to attending the event.

AMMSA also strongly encourages individuals to be tested for COVID prior to traveling to any AMMSA event. Individuals who test positive should stay home and cancel your registration.

Masks:

You/others may feel more comfortable keeping a physical distance 6 feet apart from those outside your household and wearing a face covering over nose and mouth when in enclosed spaces. Please be patient with and respectful of how others choose to protect their health and wellbeing.

Sick Contacts/Exposures:

Individuals who experience any symptoms should be tested and quarantined until they test negative. Those who test positive should stay home and cancel your registration.

Adhere to the [University of Michigan Guidelines](#) on any sick contacts/exposure which includes wearing a mask for 10 full days.

<https://campusblueprint.umich.edu/faqs/#how-do-i-prevent-covid-19-header>

AMMSA is committed to providing a safe, productive, and welcoming environment in which to learn. All participants, including, but not limited to, attendees, speakers,

sponsors, volunteers, AMMSA staff, service providers, and others are expected to abide by our code of conduct and all policies in effect for the event.

We will continue to monitor and update safety precautions for the conference regularly and coordinate with trusted national resources, state and local public health agencies, and the venue hosting the event.