

1. INTRODUCTION

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the FIS competitions in Klingenthal must be held under increased security rules. According to the current regulations of the Saxonia Ministry of Health and the additional rules from the German Ski Federation as the organizer as well as the FIS, we below clarify the rules to be taken by each participant of the event. Every in the event involved person has to act responsible and follow the guidelines of the protection concept. Failure to follow the health and safety protocols and rules presented in this document will lead to exclusion from the event. By registering for the events, everyone confirms and accepts the contents of this protocol of measurements in full. The health and safety of all participants is our number one priority.

The COVID-19-Coordinator is your contact point for all matters relating COVID-19.

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A high level of solidarity and individual responsibility is required from each participant. Thank you for your support.

2. ARRIVAL IN GERMANY

There are regulations for persons entering Germany in connection with coronavirus SARS-CoV-2/COVID-19:

Entry regulations to from August 01, 2021

		DIGITAL ENTRY REGISTRATION	NEGATIVE TEST RESULT	QUARANTINE	
NO RISK AREA	FULLY VACCINATED OR RECOVERED	NO	NO	NO	The regulations and test rules are effective for all travellers entering Germany, no matter where they come from or which mode of transport they use.
	NOT VACCINATED	NO	YES	NO	
	CHILDREN UNDER 12	NO	NO	NO	
HIGH-RISK AREA	FULLY VACCINATED OR RECOVERED	YES	NO	NO	* With the possibility of early release after 5 days
	NOT VACCINATED	YES	YES	10 DAYS *	** Exception: Vaccine protects against predominant virus variant
	CHILDREN UNDER 12	YES	NO	5 DAYS	
VIRUS VARIANT AREA	FULLY VACCINATED OR RECOVERED	YES	YES	14 DAYS **	
	NOT VACCINATED	YES	YES	14 DAYS	
	CHILDREN UNDER 12	YES	NO	14 DAYS	

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Before entering Germany, please check whether you have visited a risk area, high risk area or area of variants of concern during the last 10 days via registration on <https://www.einreiseanmeldung.de/#/>.

According to the Ordinance Announcement from the Saxon State Ministry for Social Affairs and Social Cohesion on quarantine measures for incoming and return travelers, persons arriving from a high risk area or virus variant area are obliged to self-isolate for a period of 10 days.

Exceptions from this quarantine can be made for persons who are accredited by the respective organization committee for participation on an international sports event or have been invited by a national sports federation to participate in training measures. Please follow the steps of the online registration and select the point shown below for potential exemptions from the obligation to quarantine in the last step of registration. Please write "Skispringen Klingenthal" as reason for your stay in Germany.

Digital Registration on Entry

Potential exemptions from the obligation to quarantine

Please indicate here if any of the exemptions listed below apply to you. In addition, you may use the free text field below to add further details.

Please note that, if requested, you must be able to substantiate to your competent authority that such an exemption applies. In general, the exemptions do not apply following a stay in an area of variants of concern.

- No information
- Entry into Germany to visit: First- or second-degree relatives, a spouse or life partner who does not form part of the same household, or on account of shared custody or a right of access.
- Entry into Germany for an urgent medical treatment.
- Entry into Germany as a doctor, nurse, medical support staff or carer.
- Persons whose services are required to maintaining the healthcare system, public safety and order, diplomatic and consular relations, the administration of justice, the functioning of parliament, government and the administration at the federal, state and local level, or the functioning of the organs of the European Union and of international organisations.
- Persons who, owing to business which is absolutely essential and cannot be postponed, on account of their vocational training or studies, spent up to five days in a risk area or are entering the Federal Republic of Germany for those reasons.
- Persons who are accredited by the relevant organising committee to prepare, participate in, carry out or follow up on international sporting events. This also applies following a stay in an area of variants of concern, if strict protective and hygiene concepts are observed and tests conducted on a daily basis.
- Persons invited by a national sports federation to take part in training or courses.
- Persons entering the Federal Republic of Germany to take up employment for at least three weeks.
- Persons who participate in artistic or cultural production or presentation processes in the exercise of their artistic profession on the basis of contractual obligations.

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Declaration of consent

- I consent to the RKI transmitting my data on the exemptions listed above, as well as other information I may have provided, to the competent authority. Consent can be withdrawn at any time, effective for the future.

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3. BASIC PRINCIPLES

To achieve the highest possible safety for each participant it is essential to follow the below mentioned basic principles and guidelines for hygiene. The signs of the organizer at the competition venue must be observed.

1. Keep distance of at least 1.5m whenever possible!
2. Wearing a face mask on the entire event site, both indoors and outdoors, for all transports in buses, shuttles, and lifts is mandatory. FFP-2-masks are compulsory in areas where distancing isn't possible (e.g. mixed-zone). Exceptions are:
 - During meal times
 - Ski jumping part (athletes only): Face mask is required until the control of crotch and after leaving the exit gate
 - Media: when seating on a working station in the press center
3. Do not shake hands. Limit physical contact and interaction as much as possible.
4. Wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Use hand sanitizer if there is no soap or water available. Dispensers with disinfectants for hand disinfection are provided.
5. Stay at home if you develop any symptoms. Contact the COVID-19 Officer of the LOC if you have had contact to people involved in the event.
6. Cough and sneeze into your elbow.

There will be a cleaning company for cleaning and disinfect all relevant areas frequently.



4. SANITARY BUBBLES

To avoid unnecessary contacts, all participants are assigned to sanitary bubbles. Each bubble will be divided into sub bubbles. Please make sure to limit the interaction with other bubbles and remain in the assigned zones for your bubble, especially for taking your meals.

Organizers

- Organization
- Inrun/Outrun
- Volunteers
- Medical team
- etc.

Teams

- Athletes/Team staff
- FIS/DSV staff
- ST sportservice
- Competition management

Media

- Journalists
- Photographers

TV

- TV staff

5. GENERAL RULES FOR AVOIDING CONTACTS

The number of participants is kept to an absolute minimum to limit the flow of people in all areas as much as possible. Access to the accreditation zones will be limited and controlled strictly. There will be a limited number of people allowed in closed rooms (1 person/4qm). Please comply with signs and follow the rules. Each access zone as well as every entrance to the venue will be monitored from an external security service. Always keep distance, even in your own bubble zone.

5.1. Teams

Please access the venue via the usual entrance "Neue Wiesen" and use the marked parking space. Please follow the signs and marked walking routes all the time. TCM will take place online for FIS Continental Cup. TCM for FIS Summer Grand Prix will be held on site.

5.2. Media

The number of media representatives with access to the press center will be limited to 50 persons for FIS Summer Grand Prix. Media representatives can apply online for accreditation for FIS Summer Grand Prix. Access to the venue only for accredited persons via entrance "Neue Wiesen". Please use the marked parking space. Remain in the assigned and marked zones (yellow zone). There will be no ability to have direct access to athletes, competition areas or team zones. Media representatives are asked to wear FFP-2 masks all the time. In the mixed-zone FFP-2 masks are mandatory. Interviews with athletes, trainers and officials can only be conducted in the Mixed-Zone. Microphones and recording equipment must be disinfected and covered with a new plastic protection before each use. Photo positions will be limited strictly.

Please send your accreditation requests for FIS Continental Cup via e-mail: akkreditierung@weltcup-klingenthal.de

5.4. TV

Access permissions may differ according to individual task areas. You can only access the venue via entrance "Neue Wiesen". Please use parking space at "Media" and "Injecta" according your parking permission.

6. ACCREDITATION/ACCESS RESTRICTIONS

6.1. General information

Persons with symptoms of infection are not allowed to enter the venue. If you have to answer one of the questions of the health questionnaire form with „yes“, you are not allowed to enter the venue. Please contact the COVID-19 officer. Wearing a mouth-nose-cover in the accreditation office is mandatory. Employees of the accreditation office wear a FFP-2-mask or are separated by a physical barrier.

6.2. Teams

Team accreditations must be picked up by one representative of the team only or will be delivered to the respective team hotel.

The following information must be uploaded to the FIS Passport not later than 12 hours before accreditations will be collected or delivered:

1. Negative PCR test result in written or electronic form, which is not older than 48 hours (calculated from the time of the smear) upon collection and which is recognized in Germany **or** proof of previous infection (you have to present a positive PCR-test result from at least 28 days and no more than 6 months ago and have to be symptoms-free for at least 5 days).
2. "FIS Health Questionnaire"

If you don't have the opportunity to take a PCR test prior to your arrival in Germany, please contact the LOC via: covid-19@weltcup-klingenthal.de.

Access to the venue with completed FIS health questionnaire uploaded to the FIS Passport daily only.

6.3. Media and TV

Accreditations must be picked up in person.

For FIS Passport holders, the following information must be uploaded to the FIS Passport not later than 12 hours before accreditations will be collected:

1. Negative PCR test result in written or electronic form, which is not older than 48 hours (calculated from the time of the smear) upon collection and which is recognized in Germany **or** proof of previous infection (you have to present a positive PCR-test result from at least 28 days and no more than 6 months ago and have to be symptoms-free for at least 5 days).
2. "FIS Health Questionnaire"

If you are not registered at the FIS Passport:

Accreditation is only issued to persons who can present a negative PCR test, which is not older than 48 hours (calculated from the time of the smear) upon collection and which is recognized in Germany **or** proof of previous infection (you have to present a positive PCR-test result from at least 28 days and no more than 6 months ago). Recently recovered persons have to be symptoms-free for at least 5 days to be allowed to participate. The proof can be submitted in electronic or written form. In addition, the completed health questionnaire form including contact details must be presented.

7. TESTING POLICY/TESTING PROTOCOL

The health officer of the LOC organizes a COVID-19 test center with certified testing facilities. The testing will be carried out by qualified personnel and transported to a certified laboratory.

PCR tests are generally preferred **before** arrival. Should there be any problem with external PCR tests, you can make an appointment for testing at the LOC test center. Tests can only be booked by email until September 24th, 2021. Please contact the LOC Covid-19 manager: covid-19@weltcup-klingenthal.de.

Costs for pre-arrival and on-site testing arranged by the LOC are carried by the person or responsible group. You will have to bring your ID/passport and a Credit-or EC-Card. Costs per individual test are 95,00€.

PCR-tests as well as antigen rapid tests are available all the time. For further information please contact the LOC Covid-19 manager.

8. REPORTING AND TESTING POLICY IN CASE OF A PARTICIPANTS ILLNESS

If you had contact to a COVID-19-positiv tested person or if you recognize any symptoms (a high temperature, cough, shortness of breath, breathing difficulties, impaired sense of smell and/or taste) please self-isolate immediately and inform the team manager, as well as the LOC COVID-19 Manager. The person in question will then be tested via antigen rapid test. If this is positive, an additional PCR-test is necessary.

In case of a positive COVID-19 test result, the FIS Event Task Force which consists of one senior management representative from FIS, the LOC and NSA and the LOC Health Coordinator representing the national health authorities will instruct the person of their obligations. A positive result will automatically be reported to the national authorities and national procedures for isolation will be applied in accordance with the national regulations. The tested person has to stay in self-quarantine and a declaration of contact persons during the past 48 hours is required. All persons, who have been in contact with the positive test carrier must also undertake a PCR-Test and self-quarantine until the test results are available.

9. CATERING

There will be a separated catering area provided for each sanitary bubble. For teams there will be a buffet (snacks, drinks) available in a separate rooms without seating. Consumption is only permitted outside the room. For members of the bubbles blue and yellow lunch-packages will be handed out. Those sanitary bubbles, who are split into sub-bubbles, should take their meal separately as well. There will be a sepereated catering area for all member of the grey sanitary bubble in the TV Comupound area.

10. SHUTTLE/ARRIVAL

A limited shuttle service will be organized by the LOC. All participants are asked to travel with their own or rented vehicles in order to restrict contacts. There is a limited number of 4 persons allowed per transportation in the LOC shuttle bus or car. Wearing a face mask is mandatory while using the shuttle. If there are more than 2 people plus driver present in the shuttle, FFP-2 masks are mandatory. The driver is wearing a FFP-2 mask as well. In case of COVID-19 symptoms do not travel to the venue. Avoid stops between the departure point and the event location. Transport in the own team vehicles is preferred. Only use the allocated and designated parking space for your bubble.

11. SPECTATORS AND SIDE EVENTS

An additional concept for spectators, VIP-guests and side events will be published soon at www.weltcup-klingenthal.de.

12. ACCOMODATION

The hotels must present to the organizer a hygiene concept approved by the health authority. Mainly single rooms or double rooms with separate beds will be provided. In addition, each hotel has to provide two isolation rooms for suspected COVID-19 cases and people who have been tested positive.

Depending on the incidence early in october you may need a proof of negative COVID-19-test or proof of vaccination or past infection for check in at the hotel.

Please follow the hygiene measures according to the hotels policy.

Klingenthal, September 8th 2021