

COVID-19 HEALTH- & HYGIENE CONCEPT



Guidelines and instructions from Wintersportverein Brotterode e.V.
Created according to the guidelines of the ski associations



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COVID-19 Health- & Safety Concept

The following concepts were developed by the LOC for the Continental - Cup in Brotterode according to the guidelines of the Ski Associations and in close cooperation with the local health authorities (district Schmalkalden - Meiningen) and the office of the mayor of the town Brotterode – Trusetal

As of the present date, the concept guidelines are as follows:

- limiting physical contact and interactions, positioning and separation of hygienic areas
- closed areas with strict health and safety protocols
- implementation of the regulations of the local infection protection ordinance for operational procedures, for the persons commissioned by the WSV (so called “3G”, Vaccinated, Recovered or Tested)
- wearing a mask (FFP2 without valve) is always mandatory, in both indoor and outdoor areas,
 - exceptions: Fixed seating in indoor areas, sporting activities and in outdoor areas where there is no contact with the sports hygiene area, provided that a minimum distance of 1.5m is guaranteed
- no visitors and guests without accreditation are permitted



Information for arrival in Germany

- Persons arriving from abroad, who have been in a high-risk or virus-variant area within the last 10 days must register at www.einreiseanmeldung.de before entering Germany.
- For more details on the country lists and guidance on exemptions (Vaccinated, Recovered), see the following links.

https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete_neu.html

<https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/coronavirus/2317268>



Hygienic Areas

Organisation

- LOC
- hill preparation skiing crew
- outrun staff
- distance measuring staff
- Red Cross/ medics
- Live Streaming
- Shuttle driver

controlled and monitored interaction with the other areas
FFP2 masks, where required

Sport

- athletes
- service team
- sport employees
- coaches & team
- inrun staff

controlled and monitored interaction with the other areas
FFP2 masks required

Judges Tower

- Jury
- FIS/DSV employees
- distance measuring Ewoxx
- Presenter

controlled and monitored interaction with the other areas
FFP2 masks required

Medien

- press
- radio reporter
- TV reporter

controlled and monitored interaction with the other areas
FFP2 masks, where required



Inspection Concept

Infrastructure

- all areas are separated with fences and gates
- entry and passage controls to all areas by color coding on accreditation
- security personnel is marked separately with security shirts
- in all areas a distance of min. 1,5m has to be kept, in closed rooms min. 4m² per person
- allocation of an isolation area in case of COVID case suspected
- placement of information signs, directions and hygienic instructions
- obligation to wear FFP2 masks in the toilets, disinfection assured after every 3 hours
- no persons without accreditation (e.g. German Armed Forces, police) are allowed in any of these areas, only outside, for the implementation of security measures

Inspection Concept

Accreditation 1/4

Officials of the FIS, athletes, coaches, team members, jury, distance measurement ewoxx:

Requirement:

- complete vaccinated with a vaccine licensed in the EU
 - BioNtech/Pfizer, AstraZeneca, Moderna, Janssen Pharmaceutica NV (Johnson & Johnson)

Or

- Recovery from CoViD19 infection
 - 28 days after positive PCR test to a maximum of 90 days thereafter (tested on 14.11.2021 / 21.11.2021)

Or

- Provide evidence of negative PCR test, not older of 72h prior start of competition (Saturday)
 - Evidence including: Name of person tested, date/time of test, institute performing test
- Proof of vaccination or recovery status via digital EU certificate \cong QR code
 - in exceptional cases vaccination paper certificate accepted

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Inspection Concept

Accreditation 2/4

Groups Judges Tower, Organizing Committee, Live Streaming, Shuttle Drivers, various persons commissioned by the WSV:

Requirement:

- complete vaccinated with a vaccine licensed in the EU
 - BioNtech/Pfizer, AstraZeneca, Moderna, Janssen Pharmaceutica NV (Johnson & Johnson)

Or

- Recovery from CoViD19 infection
 - 28 days after positive PCR test to a maximum of 90 days afterwards (tested on 14.11.2021 / 21.11.2021)
- Proof of vaccination or recovery status via digital EU certificate \cong QR code
 - in exceptional cases vaccination certificate accepted
- for non-substitutable event-relevant positions, without 2G certificate, a rapid-antigen test will be performed on Friday, Saturday and Sunday before the start of the event

Inspection Concept

Accreditation 3/4

Groups hill preparation team, outrun staff, distance measuring, various persons commissioned by the WSV:

- implementation of the regulations of the local infection protection ordinance for operational procedures, for the persons commissioned by the WSV (so called “3G”)
- complete vaccinated with a vaccine licensed in the EU
 - BioNtech/Pfizer, AstraZeneca, Moderna, Janssen Pharmaceutica NV (Johnson & Johnson)

Or

- Recovery from CoViD19 infection
 - 28 days after positive PCR test to a maximum of 90 days afterwards (tested on 14.11.2021 / 21.11.2021)

Or

- negative Rapid-Antigen-Test (controlled self test, max. 2 trials) on Friday
- certified Rapid-Antigen-Test on 11.02.2022, resp. 18.02.2022
- negative Dual-Target PCR test not older than 72 hours before start of competition (Saturday)
- Proof of vaccination or recovery status via digital EU certificate \triangleq QR code
 - in exceptional cases vaccination certificate accepted



Inspection Concept

Accreditation 4/4

- control of the corresponding accreditation requirement according to the respective group
- the LOC recommends that all persons participating at the event use the Corona warning mobile app surely
- documentation of the accreditation documents according requirements by assuring private information protection duties



Targets and Basic Principles:

1. use hand disinfectant frequently!
2. keep your distance from other people, at least 1.5m!
3. wearing a mask (FFP-2 mask without valve) is required any time inside buildings and outdoors, if a minimum distance of 1,5m cannot be maintained
4. exceptions to the obligation to wear a mask indoors only apply to fixed seating areas where a minimum distance of 1,5m is guaranteed.
5. wearing a mask is always required in the hygienic area's sports and judges' tower, as well as in the shuttle vehicles!



Targets and Basic Principles:

Protect the health of the participating athletes and all persons involved in the event & Ensure that competitions can proceed as planned!



Keep Distance

Protect other people by keeping enough distance. Keep your distance when standing in line.



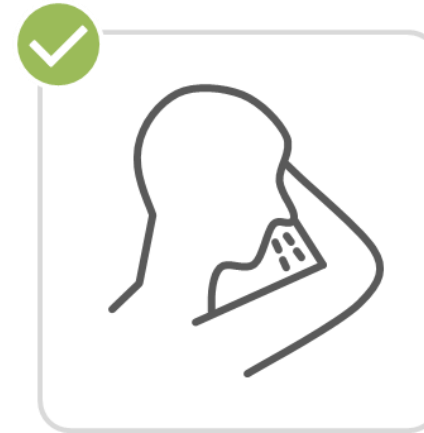
Wash Hands Properly

Wash your hands for 20 seconds
 Soap and water are most effective
 Use hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available



Do not shake hands and avoid physical contact

This does not represent impolite behavior



Coughing and sneezing into a tissue or the crook of your arm

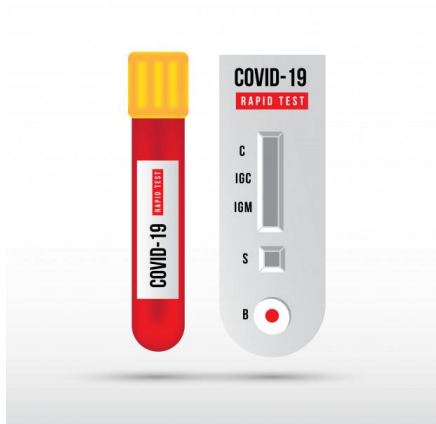
Throw away paper tissues immediately after use AND wash your hands afterwards effectively.



Stay at home with fever and cough

Contact your regular doctor by phone

Targets and Basic Principles:



According to the regulations, Covid-19 test may be required to obtain accreditation as part of the hygiene concept.



Restriction:
Stay only in the specified hygiene area. No unplanned or unsafe outside contacts



Transparency:
Immediately notify stadium medical staff /hygiene coordinator in case of symptoms and report at-risk contacts

Targets and Basic Principles:

Not following the health and safety policy and the rules presented in this hygiene concept will lead to immediate exclusion from the event.

**The success of this concept depends on YOU and
HOW EACH INDIVIDUAL HANDLES AND ACTS RESPONSIBL AT ANY TIMES!**

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Athletes camp (red area):

- all areas will be organized in such a way that the flow of people is limited as much as possible
- closed and heated team tents are available for all teams
- limited number of people in each closed building, min. 4m² per person
- restricted use of these areas to the members of the competition and the organizer
- hand disinfection will be provided in each team tent
- cleaning of the inventory of the tents will be done after each team rotation

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Skijump Inrun & Exit areas / mixed zone:

- all areas will be organized in such a way that the flow of people is limited as much as possible
- minimizing the number of people who need to be in the exit area / mixing zones.
- limitation for number of people in each area to min 4m² per person.
- athletes do not change clothes in the Inrun and Exit area

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

team catering:

- no food will be served to the teams by the organizer at the sports facility
- catering (breakfast/lunch/dinner) will be provided through the individual accommodations
- the hotels are responsible for the compliance with the valid hygiene regulations of the Local Health Authorities and the German RKI
- cold beverages will be available in sealed bottles at the teams area
- the teams are responsible for their own hot drinks, the usage of personalized drink bottles is recommended



Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Accommodation & Catering Teams and Jury:

- if possible, single rooms required, in the case of double rooms with an appropriate distance between two single beds
- a cleaning/disinfection plan according to valid hygiene regulations is necessary
- no interim cleaning of hotel rooms during the stay
- sufficient isolation rooms are to be provided
- rules for the use of shared facilities (meeting rooms) must be established
- ensuring that team dining areas are separated from other hotel guests
- preparation of the dining areas in the dining room before the teams arrive
- enough water / drinks at the tables / supply of hot drinks to take out must be assured
- avoiding self-service at the buffet / food need to be served by staff at the buffet or table service



Targets and Basic Principles : in the specific areas!

Catering Organisation, Jury, media:

- Cold beverages are available in sealed bottles
- hot drinks will be served by separate staff in compliance with the hygiene guidelines
- only pre-packed snack bags will be handed out by the organizers at the sports facilities for the Organization and Jury
- there will be no catering



Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Judges tower:

- limit the number of people in each building area to min 4m² per person
- provision of hand sanitizer
- regular ventilation of the rooms every 30 minutes



Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Shuttle:

- the wearing of an FFP2 mask without valve is required for the driver and all passengers
- permissible in the passenger car are 2 guests wearing FFP2 masks without valve
- permissible in the van are 6 passengers wearing FFP2 masks without a valve
- disinfection of the car after each change of passengers by the driver
- short shuttle ride with open window when ever possible



Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Accreditation Office:

- accreditation will be issued centrally in the "Haus des Gastes" in Brotterode
- for the teams, accreditations will only be collected country by country
- accreditation for the WSV commissioned persons will take place on Friday in the Brotterode gymnasium (Sporthalle)
- Jury and media will receive their accreditation individually
- hand sanitizers will be available
- compliance with hygiene guidelines is assured
- regular disinfection of these areas is organized



Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Radio transceiver equipment use and distribution

- handing out personalized walkie-talkie
- recharging organized centrally in compliance with hygiene guidelines
- disinfection of radios and associated communication equipment is handled centrally
- handing out, collection and disinfection is carried out by one dedicated person
- During the event on both days the radio transceiver equipment will stay at each person to whom it was handed out, only rechargeable battery will be rotated

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Team Captains Meeting TCM:

- execution of TCM takes place at the town hall building in Trusetal
- compliance with hygiene guidelines is assured
- wearing FFP2 mask without valve during the TCM is mandatory
- TCM reserved for the LOC, Jury, Technical Delegates, Judges, Distance Measurement ewoxx, 1 representative per team
- access control via accreditation
- number of participants will be reduced to a minimum
- cold beverages will be available in sealed bottles
- there will be no catering

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Mixed zone / media area:

- limited number of accredited journalists only
- separation of distance zones in the interview area
- media representatives are responsible for observing hygiene regulations for their own equipment
- press conferences will not take place

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Athlete presentation & start number handover :

- no athlete presentation
- the start numbers will be handed out in number bag to the team leaders (1 person per team)
- handover by an assigned person

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Winners' Photos / Official Winners' Ceremony :

- winners ceremonies only in the outrun after the competition
- physical distancing between athletes and between athletes and journalists during podium photos mandatory
- no handshaking at the award ceremony
- trophies and presents are taken by the athletes one by one from a prepared table ore the podium
- disinfection and setting up of trophies and gifts by an assigned person is assured

Targets and Basic Principles: in the specific areas!

Isolation Area:

- in the case of a suspected corona infection, the person is subjected to a mandatory rapid-antigen-test at the stadium COVID-testing room (max. 2 trials)
- the person must stay alone in a close distance to the testing room until the test result is carried out
- if the test is positive, the person must leave the event site immediately and return to their own home or hotel
- all necessary information to the local health authorities will be provided by the LOC Health Coordinator
- further detailed information and quarantine orders will be given afterwards directly by the doctor on duty of the local health authorities department

