

Due to COVID-19 the show committee plans to implement social distancing policies at the shows to help protect exhibitors, staff, volunteers, and officials.

All persons entering competition grounds should refer to the [USEF COVID-19 – Action Plan for Operating](https://www.usef.org/forms-pubs/XhKGVYiivTA/usef-covid-19-action-plan-for-operating) prior to arrival

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These policies will include:

- Anyone who exhibits COVID-19 symptoms, has tested positive for COVID-19 within last two weeks, or *has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks cannot enter the competition grounds. *Exception: Healthcare personnel who have treated patients using appropriate medical grade PPE during the course of performing professional duties are exempted from this restriction and/or those that are fully vaccinated.
- All persons entering competition grounds are required to self-monitor their temperature once daily prior to entering the competition grounds. Anyone with a temperature of 100.4° F (38° C) or higher may not enter the facility. Refer to USEF COVID-19 Action Plan for Operating Section F
- All participants, including licensed officials and volunteers, must provide emergency contact information and execute an updated Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement required by USEF, as a condition of participation.
- All attendees are required to social distance by a minimum of six feet in all spaces unless fully vaccinated, or are immediate family members
- Masking is required in all indoor spaces or where 6-foot social distancing cannot be maintained, unless fully vaccinated.
- Scratches and rider/horse changes will be communicated promptly via radio, phone, or text with the show office.
- Issues that need staff or official's attention will be initiated via radio, phone call, or text with the show office.
- Competitors are encouraged to limit their time inside indoor buildings outside of their ride times and time to properly attend to their horses.
- Competitors may not report to their warmup area more than one hour before their ride time.
- **Spectators will be permitted on competition grounds.** All COVID-19 policies apply to spectators and are expected to be followed while on-site.
- Any persons not complying with COVID-19 regulations and requirements will be asked to leave the competition grounds immediately.
- **Due to the current COVID-19 environment, protocols are subject to change. Please check for updates.**

COVID-19 Outbreak Protocol

If a person is reported to have COVID-19 symptoms, we will consult with the EMT. The EMT will decide if 911 should be called or if the competitor will be sent home with instructions to reach out to their health care provider. If the competitor is unable to be transported off the grounds, they will be directed to an isolated room on grounds.

Names and phone numbers of everyone on the show grounds will be collected by means of the USEF waiver that must be signed to get a wristband.

In the event of an COVID-19 related emergency, management will email or text staff, officials, volunteers, and participants.

ATTENTION ALL COMPETITION STAFF, PARTICIPANTS, SUPPORT PERSONNEL, and SERVICE PROVIDERS: If any individual who was present on the competition grounds, tests positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of the conclusion of competition, that individual MUST immediately notify USEF. Direct USEF reports to ksacco@usef.org AND Kathy Grisolia kgrisolia@aol.com and Anne Kuhns akuhns1122@gmail.com

All staff, volunteers, and licensed officials will be given this plan. All staff will follow the same protocol by calling for the EMT, management, and the safety coordinator on the designated radio channel.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Emergency 911

Kentucky Horse Park Police 859-509-1450

Medic Safety TEC 859-321-1963

Safety/COVID Coordinator Sheila Woerth 859-351-4137

Show Managers Kathy Grisolia 631-338-6340 (Friday) and Anne Kuhns 918-231-9777 (Sat/Sun)

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