



Volleyball World

2022 VOLLEYBALL CHALLENGER CUPS

COVID-19 PROTOCOL

COVID-19 – IMPORTANT INFORMATION

COVID-19 epidemic is evolving worldwide in a daily basis and mandatory requirements to enter a country are being constantly updated.

The FIVB strongly recommends all participants to check the local mandatory requirements in a **regular basis** and, **at least, 14 days before departure for the event.**

The **information** provided in this document by the Local Organisers is **merely informative** and will be updated regularly. However, each participant is solely responsible for checking the local requirements by her/himself.

Host countries COVID-19 local regulations prevail and shall be followed by all Participants also for COVID-19 confirmed positive cases on site.

Should you need any information, please contact medical@fivb.com



2022 VCC COVID-19 PROTOCOL – HOST COUNTRIES ENTRY REQUIREMENTS*



LOCAL REQUIREMENTS Updated on 5 May 2022	CROATIA	SOUTH KOREA
FULL VACCINATION	NO	NO
DEFINITION & DEADLINE FOR FULL VACCINATION	Not relevant as vaccination is not a requirement to enter Croatia	Not relevant as vaccination is not a requirement to enter South Korea
RECOGNIZED VACCINES	Not relevant as vaccination is not a requirement to enter Croatia	Not relevant as vaccination is not a requirement to enter South Korea
COVID-19 Negative Test	No proof of negative pre-departure COVID-19 test results	PCR test result a maximum of 2 days before the date of departure and mandatory PCR test upon arrival in South Korea (to be booked in advance using https://safe2gopass.com/index)
MANDATORY USE OF MASK	Recommended indoors where larger crowds are expected	In public
SPECTATORS ALLOWANCE	no restrictions	100% of capacity
OFFICIAL WEBSITE	https://www.koronavirus.hr/en	Coronavirus Disease-19(COVID-19), Republic of Korea (mohw.go.kr)

***According to official information provided by Host Countries on 30 June 2022.**

***Participants shall check carefully all entry requirements before travelling to the Event**

2022 VCC COVID-19 PROTOCOL PARTICIPANTS CHECKLIST*



For your stay in the Event	Within 72 hours of your departure	Travel day	During the Event	Leaving the Event
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Make sure that you have a medical treatment and repatriation insurance, including COVID-19 related costs. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the host country COVID-19 entry and local requirements. The information provided by the local organisers is merely informative, and each participant is responsible for verifying the relevant local COVID-19 entry requirements before they depart for a tournament. <input type="checkbox"/> Procure sufficient amount of face masks for your stay during the Event – Organiser will not provide face masks in case it's still mandatory in the host country.. <input type="checkbox"/> If you experience any symptoms of COVID-19 in the 14 days before departure, do not travel to the Event. 	<p style="text-align: center;">IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR VCC IN KOREA:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take a COVID-19 PCR test maximum of 48h before departure, or alternatively, COVID-19 supervised rapid antigen test result taken 24 hours before departure. Test result in English or Korean, both in paper and scan file. <input type="checkbox"/> Q-Code Online Registration <input type="checkbox"/> K-ETA (Electronic Travel Authorization) 	<p>Ensure you have all host country mandatory documents in your carry-on luggage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Negative PCR test result certification or negative Antigen test result certification within the timeframe required by the respective host country and in English or Korean (electronic results, such as on mobile devices, are not accepted) <input type="checkbox"/> As per Korean Local Regulations, please note that you will have to do a PCR Test at the airport upon your arrival (antigen not accepted) on your own cost. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Wear a face mask at all times if required by host country local regulations (exception: team members & referees during the match/training) <input type="checkbox"/> Keep at least 1,5 metres from others <input type="checkbox"/> Practice good hygiene, including washing your hands regularly <input type="checkbox"/> Avoid enclosed spaces and crowds wherever possible <input type="checkbox"/> Use dedicated Event vehicles <input type="checkbox"/> Monitor your health daily and report in case of any COVID-19 symptoms <input type="checkbox"/> Get tested for COVID-19 when required <input type="checkbox"/> If you have a confirmed positive COVID-19 test, isolate immediately and observe local regulations <input type="checkbox"/> Any breach of this Protocol may be subject of the following sanctions, to be determined by the FIVB, in accordance with the FIVB Disciplinary Regulations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reminder - Written warning - Fine up to CHF 10'000 - Removal from the Event 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Departure test within 48/72 hours before leaving the Event if needed for international travel or entry to destination country

*** Please note that host countries apply different entry requirements and no exemptions have been granted. Participants are responsible for checking all [mandatory entry requirements](#) before departure.**



ORGANISERS' COVID-19 CHECKLIST

PRE-COMPETITION PHASE

- Set-up of medical facilities according to FIVB Medical Checklist.
- Nominate and inform FIVB/VW about COVID-19 Liaison Officer & Medical Plan.
- Inform FIVB/VW about local COVID-19 regulations in terms of entry requirements, use of masks & spectators capacity.
- Inform FIVB/VW about venue plan, hotel facilities and transportation plan.
- Isolation rooms to be booked, if isolation required by local regulations, for confirmed positive COVID-19 cases.
- Define together with the FIVB the testing plan for the event according to the epidemic situation & local requirements.

COMPETITION VENUE & HOTEL FACILITIES

- Define stakeholders flows to avoid crowded areas and allow social distancing. Signage at the entrance.
- Develop cleaning plan for disinfection of team benches and team changing rooms. Disinfection of these areas are mandatory after every use.
- Develop cleaning plan for fitness gym after every use, limiting access to small groups at a time. Disinfection of these areas are mandatory after every use.
- Allocate trained security and spectator management staff to check venue attendance, social distancing & use of masks according to local regulations.
- Schedule arrival/departures of Teams and Officials in small groups and one at a time, avoiding crowds.
- Define cleaning plan for disinfection of transportation vehicles as well as common areas of hotels (e.g., elevators).
- Define hygiene plan for catering and split different stakeholders to avoid large group seating arrangements during meals.
- Ensure sanitizing procedure of tables after every use as well as hygiene measures for buffet style catering.



ORGANISERS' COVID-19 CHECKLIST

TESTING PLAN & MEDICAL FACILITIES

- FIVB Medical Delegate to be informed about any health issue related to participants and follow COVID-19 Escalation Process
- If required by local regulations, provide isolation room for suspected COVID-19 cases and follow isolation protocol.
- Define schedule for exit tests (antigen or PCR) according to the requests made by the concerned participants.



2022 VCC COVID-19 TESTING PROTOCOL

- In **case of symptoms** during the Event, the concerned individual(s) shall make him/herself available for COVID-19 testing and follow the FIVB Medical Delegate's instructions according to the Local Regulations (see Playbook).
- **Exit tests (Antigen or PCR)** to be performed only upon request of the concerned participants, at their own cost.
- **Spectator Admission policy** to be determined in accordance with local legislation.
- Any breach of this Policy may result in the removal from the Event.



2022 VCC COVID-19 TESTING PROTOCOL

Spectator Admission Policy

- Public attendance rate to the event is defined by the Local Organiser based on local legislation.
- Spectators might be required to present full vaccination certificate and wear face masks, if imposed by the host country local legislation.
- Any breach of this Policy and of the local regulation may result in the removal from the Event.



2022 VCC COVID-19 COST ATTRIBUTION

- The costs related to the COVID-19 measures will be covered by the stakeholders of the event as per the matrix below:

	Participating Teams	FIVB/VW Officials	Service Providers	Team Liasion	Local Organiser Staff & Volunteers
PPE (face masks, etc.)	Team Cost	Individual Cost	Individual Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost
Medical treatment and repatriation insurance	Team Cost	FIVB/VW Cost	FIVB/VW Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost
Pre-travel PCR tests & After arrival PCR tests	Team Cost	Individual Cost (out of travel allowance)	Individual Cost to be reimbursed depending on contractual arrangement	OC Cost	OC Cost
On-site Antigen&PCR tests	OC Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost
Antigen/PCR exit tests	Team Cost	Individual Cost (out of travel allowance)	Individual Cost to be reimbursed depending on contractual arrangement	OC Cost	OC Cost
Isolation/Quarantine expenses extending the Event duration	Team Cost	FIVB/VW Cost	FIVB/VW Cost	OC Cost	OC Cost