

COVID-19 Policy

All conference attendees are asked to adhere to the most <u>current COVID-19</u> <u>public health guidance</u> from the California Department of Public Health.

Effective April 3, 2023, all individuals are advised to wear a mask based on personal preference, informed by their own personal level of risk.

Please note that this policy may be updated to reflect changes in public health guidance, as well as the response from event organizers.

General COVID-19 Policies

- Avoid attending if you are sick or have tested positive for COVID-19.
- Avoid attending if you have been advised to quarantine or isolate by a health care provider or a public health official.
- If you develop signs and symptoms of illness while at the event, please seek medical assistance as appropriate.
- Maintain and follow physical distancing directives.
- Wear masks or facial coverings when and where suggested (or mandated by the local health authority).

What Event Organizers Are Doing to Keep You Safe

- Masks and hand sanitizer will be available onsite for all attendees.
- Conference seating will be arranged to accommodate for physical distancing, as well as general accessibility.

What to Do if You Become Sick with COVID-19

Attending a large gathering or event increases your chance of exposure to COVID-19. If you come into close contact with someone with COVID-19 or become ill after attending the conference:

- 1. Know when to quarantine or isolate.
- 2. Get tested at least five days after the event.
- 3. Notify event organizers. Your identity will not be shared with other attendees.
- 4. Monitor your symptoms and seek medical attention as appropriate.