

HEALTH REGULATIONS

FOR EVENT PARTICIPANTS



 **WORLD TEAM TROPHY**
in Figure Skating 2021

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GENERAL PRINCIPLES

During the current Covid-19 pandemic the health and safety of all participants at ISU Events including the athletes, team members, officials, volunteers, service providers, broadcasters, media, and spectators needs to be given additional attention.

Therefore, in conjunction with the sports and health authorities, the International Skating Union (ISU) and Organizing Committee (OC) have drawn up the protocol below. Strict compliance with it, by everyone, will guarantee the successful staging of this competition.

The guiding principle behind this protocol is that it is advisable to limit, as far as possible, the number of persons taking part in this ISU Event and to ensure that contacts among these persons are minimized as much as possible and traceability among them is guaranteed.

Therefore, within the framework of ISU World Team Trophy in Figure Skating 2021 (hereafter called WTT2021), a “Competition Bubble“ (hereafter called CB) will be created and aimed at minimizing the risk of skaters and team members of either being infected or infecting other people directly or indirectly (people in contact with skaters and team members) and at restricting the number of persons identified as close contacts in the event of infection.

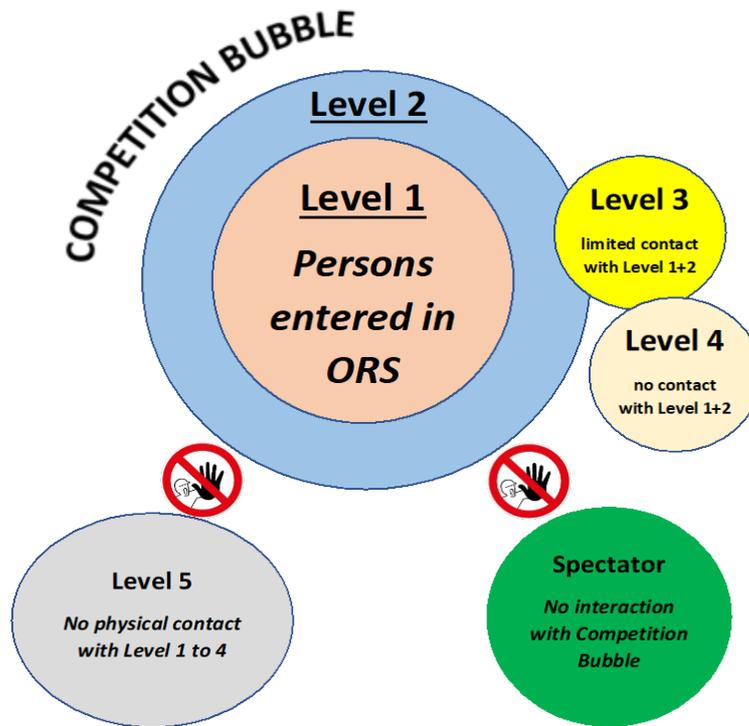
The clear common goals are: to safeguard the health of skaters, team members and other people involved in the ISU Event and to guarantee that the competition can go ahead.

All measures and rules set out herein (except for tests performed before the arrival at the WTT2021) shall remain in force for as long as the persons are in the CB.

These “Health Regulations” represent measures and rules that complement those set out in the ISU’s document titled “Guidelines for ISU Events during the COVID-19 pandemic” (ISU Guidelines).

These regulations exclusively and specifically apply to the ISU World Team Trophy in Figure Skating 2021.

COMPETITION BUBBLE AND EVENT LEVELS



The Competition Bubble consists of 2 levels:

- **Level 1:** all event participants who have been officially registered for the WTT2021 via the Online Registration System (ORS), are designated as “Level 1”. Those include ISU Event Officials, ISU Office Holders, ISU Staff, ISU Media Team, Team Leaders (Assistants), Competitors, Coaches/Choreographers, Team Medical, Member Press Officers, Team Officials, Member Presidents. Members of Level 1 will be screened & tested on Covid-19 on a regular basis.
Please note: Chaperones, Observers and Guests will not be accepted at the WTT2021, ISU Communication 2362, point 5 will become applicable for this event in full force. See also page 6, “Level 1”
- **Level 2:** all persons who do not belong to a team (entered in ORS) but are in close or regular contact with the “Level 1” participants are designated as “Level 2”. The ISU and OC will draw up a list of people classified as Level 2 including but not limited to OC Competition Management, key OC volunteers, key venue personnel, Result Service Provider, Anti-Doping Control Team. Members of Level 2 will be screened and tested on Covid-19 on a regular basis.

Event attendees from Level 1 and 2 are required to stay within the official event locations only (CB).

The official event locations are:

- **Transportation** (pick-up/drop-off)
- Official Hotel – dedicated floors for exclusive use of the WTT2021 including elevators to these floors.
- Ice Rink (Competition) – **MARUZEN INTEC ARENA OSAKA**

Furthermore, physical interaction with persons/third parties outside the CB is not allowed. Interactions with other people within the CB must be limited as much as possible. Visits at the hotel are not allowed as well as leaving the competition bubble. Delivery of meals from outside the CB is not permitted and in case something is needed from outside the CB, the Organizers will provide assistance to fulfill the needs/requests of the persons confined to the CB as best as possible.

Other Levels of event attendees, who are not required to stay in the Competition bubble:

- **Level 3:** persons who do not belong to a team (entered in ORS) and key OC, but have roles in the Event, which occasionally brings them into contact with Level 1+2, but not extensively. These persons still stay at the official hotel. The ISU and OC will draw up a list of people classified as Level 3 including but not limited to construction team. Members of Level 3 will be screened and tested on Covid-19 on a regular basis.
- **Level 4:** persons who do not belong to a team (entered in ORS) and Level 2 + 3, but have roles in the Event, which may have only very briefly contact with Level 1+2+3. The ISU and OC will draw up a list of people classified as Level 4 including but not limited to ice makers, hotel staff, security personnel. Member of Level 4 will be screened and tested on Covid-19 on a regular basis as they enter occasionally the competition bubble.
- **Level 5:** persons who participate in the Event in a certain function but are not in contact with Level 1 - 4. Contact with Level 3 may occur only in emergency situations. The ISU and OC will draw up a list of people classified as Level 5 including but not limited to catering, delivery, prior to the start of the Event, media representatives. If in emergency cases a person from Level 1-4 has to get in contact with a Level 5 person, such person will be tested for Covid-19 on a more frequent basis.

Every person participating in the Event must keep a daily diary indicating the list of persons they may have come in close contact with during the WTT2021. According to the WHO, “A contact is defined as anyone who had direct contact or was within 1 metre for at least 15 minutes with a person (...).”¹

¹ World Health Organization: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/question-and-answers-hub/q-a-detail/coronavirus-disease-covid-19-contact-tracing>

Level 1

For Level 1 of the Competition Bubble, each member/event participant must:

- obey the maximum ISU quota and the announcement for the WTT2021
- accept to stay in the CB for the duration of the WTT2021 without the possibility of leaving the competition bubble and re-entering it. Once leaving the Competition Bubble, no re-entry is possible. The Japanese government made it a mandatory requirement that all individuals **MUST** stay in the bubble.
- plan **arrival** as below:
 - All participants from overseas travel must arrive in Osaka on Sunday April 11 or Monday April 12.
 - All arrival schedule of overseas participants has been fixed prior to the issuing of the VISA
 - All overseas participants who need to fly from Tokyo (HND/NRT) to Osaka will use a charter flight arranged by the OC. Details regarding this charter flight will be made available to all individuals using this flight.
- plan **departure** as below:
 - All overseas participants had a fixed departure schedule prior to issuing the VISA.
 - For all participants who need to fly from KIX to HND, the OC has arranged a charter flight. The detailed information will be distributed by the OC to all individuals.

Only the persons included in the ORS list for whom all the required information has been submitted shall be allowed to take part in the WTT2021 and join the CB. The ISU Member undertakes to only enter (within the ISU quota and ISU Guidelines) persons considered as essential to the correct functioning of their team in the WTT2021.

The ISU quota for the WTT2021 will be limited for the following roles compared to previous ISU

World Team Trophy:

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| Coaches: | 1 coach per skater/Pair team/Ice Dance couple |
| Team Officials: | 1 Team Official per member (incl. Member Presidents) |
| Chaperones: | No chaperones accepted |
| Guests: | No guests accepted (incl. accompanying to Judges/Officials/Member President's guest) |
| Observers: | No observers accepted |



Each ISU Member must enter 1 Team Leader who will be the official contact person for this Member and will be responsible to make sure that each Team Member obeys and follows the measures against Covid-19 as set out herein – unless the ISU Member appoints another person as the Covid-19 Contact Person for their Team (information must be provided by the ISU Member to the OC/ISU). This Team Leader/Covid-19 Contact Person must arrive at the latest with the first team member and keep in close contact with the Organizers and the ISU Event Coordination team. The contact details (phone number and email) for each Team Leader and the Covid-19 Contact Person (if not TL) must be provided to the ISU and OC by the respective ISU Member prior to arrival in the CB. All team members accept to strictly comply with all the screening tests and distancing measures for Level 1 both before and during their presence in the CB.

Note: Access to Japan and the CB is only possible on the entrance dates that are specifically indicated. It is not allowed to leave the CB and re-enter the bubble again.

TESTING & HEALTH SCREENING PROTOCOL PRIOR TO THE START OF THE COMPETITION BUBBLE

Health Screening Questionnaires

Every Event attendee must observe, check and report daily his/her own health situation starting at least 14 days prior to arrival at the CB by using the Global Safety App (QR code to download and instruction of how to use are delivered by the OC to all Event attendees). Team Leaders are responsible to follow up with their team daily. The OC and ISU Medical Advisor will have access to the information and monitor the outcome.

1st Covid-19 PCR Test prior to departure for Osaka:

Every Event attendee, requesting an accreditation to enter the CB, must present a negative Covid-19 PCR test taken no more than 72h prior to departure to Osaka. This 1st negative PCR Test result must be sent to the OC in English language by the participating Teams prior to travelling to Japan and is the first requirement to be allowed to proceed with the accreditation process once being on site. Additionally, the certificate must show the name, date and time the test was taken, the type of the test, result and who issued the certificate. The form can be downloaded from following URL:

<https://www.mofa.go.jp/files/100158943.docx>

*Please make sure your PCR test before departure is according to one of the listed ones in the form.

2nd Covid-19 PCR Test upon arrival at the airport:

Each person arriving to Japan will have to undergo a Covid-19 test under the authority of the Japanese government at the point of entry to Japan. Each Person is only allowed to leave the airport to the OC Shuttle once the result is known and negative. There will be no Covid-19 test after arrival at the official hotel.

Covid-19 PCR test for people living in Osaka/respectively Japan upon entry to CB:

Every Event attendee, requesting an accreditation to enter the CB, must present a negative Covid-19 PCR test. Such test should be taken upon first entry to the CB with a mandatory isolation until the result is known. If not possible, a negative Covid-19 PCR test taken no more than 72h prior to get into CB must be presented and additionally a 2nd Covid-19 test before entering the CB will be done onsite.

Note: Each ISU Member's designated Covid-19 Contact Person is responsible to send to the ISU Medical Advisor any information related to any symptoms (such as: a fever, dry cough, headache, loss of smell & taste, shortness of breath, diarrhea or vomiting) or to a positive test for Covid-19, as well as any non-compliance with the measures contained in this protocol of a Team Member (not filling in the health questionnaire, not taking PCR tests, not observing the contact limitations, bubble concept zones...).

ACCREDITATION PROCEDURE & REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with the ISU Guidelines and the measures set up with the Organizers, the following health checks and procedures for accreditation and follow ups must be completed:

- fill in the "ISU Waiver for Attendees of ISU Events during Covid-19 Pandemic" and upload it to ORS fully signed (no electronic signature accepted) or submit it latest at accreditation.
- present negative PCR Test result(s) (as mentioned above)
- input and submit the health check data using the "Global Safety" App daily (at least starting 14 days prior to arrival at CB until and including your departure day/leaving the CB permanently)
 - o The Team Leader/Covid-19 contact person must make sure that each Team Member/Event attendee gets checked/screened daily for suspicious clinical signs (fever, dry cough, etc..) and inputs the information using the Global Safety App daily.
 - o The Team Leader or designated Covid-19 contact person must communicate any information related to symptoms (such as fever, dry cough, headache, etc) to the OC Medical Team/ISU Medical Advisor without delay after obtaining knowledge of the information

RESPONSIBLE PERSON FOR HEALTH SCREENING

Each Event stakeholder must have a responsible person/contact person to follow up with the health screening of the respective team and for communication purposes with the OC/ISU:

- Teams (incl. Judges): each Team Leader/Covid-19 contact person is responsible to follow up on the health screening of their own team
- Organizing Committee staff and Volunteers: OC will have their own internal team leaders who are responsible to follow up with their team members in the respective operating fields.
- ISU Staff/ ISU Event Officials: ISU Medical Advisor will be responsible to follow up on the health screening
- Result Service Provider (RSP): RSP to appoint 1 internal contact person to follow up on health screening for their team
- HB: HB to appoint 1 internal contact person to follow up on health screening for their team
- Media representatives: OC Media Team to appoint contact person(s) to follow up on health screening for the media representatives (Journalists, Photographers, non-Right Holders)

The App must be completed daily by each Event Attendee in order to get access to the venue. After the data is inputted and submitted, the individual can check the result from “Graph” – “Personal Details” if he is cleared to enter the venue or not. In case the result status is in red, it means not ok to enter the venue, the individual must not come to the venue and instead, contact the OC. Each Event Attendee must show his/her result at the entrance of the venue. The result is personal and valid only for that particular day.

Note: Each ISU Member's designated Covid-19 Contact Person is responsible to send to the ISU Medical Advisor any information related to any symptoms (such as: a fever, dry cough, headache, loss of smell & taste, short of breath, diarrhea or vomiting) or to a positive test for Covid-19, as well as any non-compliance with the measures contained in this protocol of a Team Member (not filling in the health questionnaire, not taking PCR tests, not observing the contact limitations, bubble concept zones...).

TESTING & HEALTH SCREENING POLICY DURING COMPETITION WEEK

Competition Bubble

Level 1

Level 2

Event participants in Level 1 and 2 will have the following minimum test policy during the Event week:

- daily health checks via Global Safety App:
 - o after inputting the data to the App, the individual will see the result. That result is also monitored by the OC and the ISU Medical Advisor. Without the correct result, no entry to the venue is possible.
- Body temperature will additionally be checked at every entrance to the venue or before you use the shuttle bus.
- Additional Covid-19 tests will be conducted 3 days after arrival on site and also one day before your departure.
- OC/ISU will establish a testing schedule/plan by considering the activity schedule/service of the individual.

Level 3

Event participants in Level 3 will have the following minimum test policy during the Event week:

- daily health checks via Global Safety App:
 - o after inputting the data to the App, the individual will see the result. That result is also monitored by the OC and the ISU Medical Advisor. Without the correct result, no entry to the venue is possible.
- Body temperature will additionally be checked at every entrance to the venue or before you use the shuttle bus.
- Additional Covid-19 tests will be conducted 3 days after arrival on site.
- OC/ISU will establish a testing schedule/plan by considering the activity schedule/service of the individual.

Level 4

Event participants in Level 4 will have the following minimum test policy during the Event week:

- daily health checks via Global Safety App:
 - o after inputting the data to the App, the individual will see the result. That result is also monitored by the OC and the ISU Medical Advisor. Without the correct result, no entry to the venue is possible.
- Body temperature will additionally be checked at every entrance to the venue

- Additional Covid-19 tests will be conducted every day before entering the CB.
- OC/ISU will establish a testing schedule/plan by considering the activity schedule/service of the individual.

Level 5

Event participants in Level 5 will have the following minimum test policy during the Event week:

- daily health checks via App:
 - o after inputting the data to the App, the individual will see the result. That result is also monitored by the OC and the ISU Medical Advisor. Without the correct result, no entry to the venue is possible.
- Body temperature will additionally be checked at every entrance to the venue

Note: subject to change; modifications in the testing policy are possible and will be communicated by the Organizers and ISU Event Coordination Team. Furthermore, the Team Leader or designated Covid-19 contact person must communicate any information related to symptoms (such as: a fever, dry cough, headache, loss of smell & taste, short of breath, diarrhea or vomiting) to the OC Medical Team/ISU Medical Adviser without delay after obtaining knowledge of the information.

Spectator

The Organizing Committee has created an own spectator guideline for the Event (see an excerpt as Appendix A attached).

- Contact tracing app must be used
- Body temperature will be checked at every entrance to the venue
- No presents/gifts/flowers etc. are allowed
- No cheering, only clapping hands
- Masks to be worn is mandatory at all times
- Seat in between must be left empty
- Getting close to the rinkboard is forbidden; minimum required distance must remain at least 1,5m

MANAGEMENT OF A SUSPECTED OR CONFIRMED CASE OF COVID-19

If a possible case or a confirmed case of Covid-19 occurs, the following procedures and consequences will apply:

BEFORE ARRIVAL AT OSAKA WTT2021

- If a person shows symptoms of Covid-19 (such as fever, dry cough, headache, loss of smell & taste, shortness of breath, diarrhea or vomiting) after a negative PCR test prior to departure to Osaka for the WTT2021:
 -   ➤ the person in question is not authorized to travel nor to attend the WTT2021

- If the PCR test, taken before travelling to Osaka is positive for Covid-19, the person in question is not authorized to travel and attend the WTT2021 (even if the person does not show symptoms of Covid-19).
 -  ➤ In this case, the respective person (under the responsibility of the designated Team Leader/Covid-19 contact person) will be obliged to identify any close contact cases, as defined by WHO and inform the OC Medical Team/ISU Medical Advisor on those who would be part of the WTT2021.
 - All persons identified as “risk contacts” will be subject to quarantine according to the laws of local health authorities following their last contact with the person.
 - If a person is not authorized to attend the WTT2021 due to the above, he/she may not be replaced.

Note: anybody, who has slept in the same room as the person tested positive for Covid-19, will automatically be declared a close contact person.

UPON ARRIVAL IN OSAKA AND DURING COMPETITION WEEK

The Organizer and the ISU will have a common communication strategy for the situation of a positive Covid-19 case. Discretion and respect of the privacy of the respective person(s) is a priority as well as informing the remaining Event Participants internally of the situation.

- If a person shows symptoms of Covid-19 upon arrival in Japan and during WTT2021:
 -  ➤ At the airport: The respective person will be isolated, and a Covid-19 test will be done as decided by the health authority. The respective person will be asked to do self-quarantine in the hotel or the hospital which is arranged by the Japanese government. Those costs will be covered by the government.
 - During the Event: The respective person will be isolated, and a Covid-19 PCR Test will be done as decided by the OC Medical Team/ISU Medical Advisor. The respective person must stay in self-quarantine in his/her room until the result of the PCR test is known. No skating, officiating, serving in any Event role is allowed during this time.

- If a person has a positive Covid-19 test result:
 -  ➤ the respective person is not allowed to participate at WTT2021
 - the respective person must be in quarantine for ten (10) days if the person is asymptomatic.
 - the respective person must be in quarantine for fourteen (14) days if the person has symptoms.
 - place of quarantine might be at a designated hospital or the Hotel, as designated by the Health Authorities.
 - Close contact persons need to be identified and isolated for further check and possible quarantine measures. The local health authority conclusively will identify the close contact persons. Please note that even if the close contact person has a negative PCR test result, the local health authority will still ask this person to stay in self-quarantine for at least fourteen (14) days.
 - OC Medical Team/ISU Medical Advisor will assess the situation and will follow the public health guidelines. Whether another PCR Test or other tests will be conducted, will be decided onsite.

- If an asymptomatic person, who has had a COVID-19 infection in the past, has a positive Covid-19 test result:
 -  ➤ The respective person will be isolated and the ISU Medical Advisor and OC Covid-19 team will be informed, and further testing and analysis will be performed including the ISU Protocol for “Positive PCR COVID-19 test in an asymptomatic person who has had a COVID-19 infection in the past” will apply. The Protocol will be available onsite.

The Organizers will offer assistance to quarantined persons who are not staying at home. If a minor-aged person (e.g. skater) has to stay in quarantine longer than the duration of the Event, an adult chosen by the respective ISU Member must stay in Osaka until the minor is released from quarantine. The costs for the additional stay must be covered by the individual.

Note: anybody, who has slept in the same room as the person tested positive for Covid-19, will automatically be declared a close contact person.

AFTER FINISHED WTT2021 AND DEPARTURE OF OSAKA



If a person wants to make a Covid-19 test before departure, the respective person must inform the OC to book a time for such test at least 5 days prior. If a person has Covid-19 symptoms or if his/her test is positive within 14 days of the end of their participation at the WTT2021, he/she must immediately notify his/her Team Leader or designated Covid-19 contact person. The Team Leader/Covid-19 contact person must notify the ISU and OC without delay. Input of the data on health condition to the Global Safety App is required until 14 days after the end of the WTT2021 (May 02, 2021).

GENERAL & SPECIFIC MEASURES FOR THE EVENT

The [General Guidelines for ISU Events during The Covid-19 Pandemic](#) and [Sport Specific Annex – Figure Skating](#) are valid for the WTT2021 and must be strictly followed. Interaction with persons must be limited to a minimum and wearing a mask, keeping the minimum distance and hygienic measures must be strictly followed.

MEDIA ACTIVITIES

Media representatives and participants in the CB are strictly separated and will not have any physical contact with each other. Access to the Press Center for Event participants in Level 1 to 3 is prohibited and Media is not allowed to enter the CB physically. All interviews will be done virtually through the virtual Mixed Zone or virtual Press Conferences. The Organizers will coordinate the interview requests with the respective team/skater – in & outside of competition times.



STARTING ORDER DRAW

In accordance with the announcement of the WTT2021 no draw of starting orders will be conducted.

WARM-UP AREA

Warming up must only be done in the dedicated Warm-up Area. The access limitations to the Warm-up Area must be respected and followed as explained in the Figure Skating sport-specific Covid-19 guideline. Only Skaters can enter the Warm-up Area.

DRESSING ROOMS

Skaters will be assigned to designated Dressing Rooms based on the rotation and schedule. There will be 2 male and 2 female Dressing Rooms.

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Event participants part of Level 1, 2 and 3 (CB) must not leave the designated CB areas. The Organizers will have designated areas to spend some time outside at the venue. Going for a walk or run outside the CB is not permitted.

VICTORY CEREMONY

Wearing of face masks is compulsory for all persons present in the protocol area including the skaters on the carpet. Skaters, Presenters, and other people involved in the Victory Ceremony must refrain from kisses, hugs and handshakes; skaters must remain on their own location and no picture session of the medalists sharing the space of the 1st place will be done. Each medalist may have a maximum of 2 accompanying persons from the Team staying at rink-side during the ceremony.

FACE MASKS

Each Event attendee is responsible to have sufficient face masks during the Event. Those face masks must comply with the ISU advertisement regulations (ISU Communication 2221). Use of surgical masks and FFP2/KN95 masks is recommended.

Basic prevention measures

Request to spectators for cooperation

- No place to leave presents / Bringing of presents prohibited.
- No throwing of presents
- Supporter banners can be displayed only in spectator's own seat.
- Persons feeling unwell are banned from attending.
(Symptoms like those in items (1) to (4) in the "Notes relating to tickets" in the "Prior consent statement" opposite)
- No cheering, only clapping



No bringing presents



No throwing presents



Do not come if feeling unwell



No cheering



Display of supporter banners only from own seat

Terms and conditions statement

- Please be aware that Restricted View Stand S seats are seats where it may be difficult to see the skating rink and Kiss & Cry seats due to equipment.
- Children under three years of age may not enter. Anyone over the age of 3 requires a ticket.
- Each person can purchase up to two tickets per day. (Even if you buy two tickets, one seat in between will be left vacant.)
- Only internet sales. As a measure against COVID-19, only smartphone e-tickets will be issued.
- Wheelchair users should purchase a wheelchair user's ticket. Due to the construction of the facility, it is not possible for wheelchair users to see the competition with a ticket in the stands. Wheelchair user tickets are priced by JPY18,000. Accompanying persons must also purchase a ticket for wheelchair users. Please contact Kyodo Tokyo if you would like to purchase tickets for wheelchair users.
- A four-day tickets will be for the same seat for the entire four days.
- The purchase of tickets for the purpose of resale is strictly prohibited.
- At medal ceremonies and the exhibition finale, etc., please refrain from coming close to or doing anything in the vicinity of the rink fence. Please remain in your seats.
- The displaying of banners is prohibited. Banners are only permitted from your own seat, but these should not inconvenience other spectators around you.
- Spectator seats have limited space. Please do not bring in carry-on bags, suitcases, large luggage, or any other luggage that may cause inconvenience to others around you. If you do have a suitcase, be sure to leave it in a locker before coming to the venue (there are no lockers available inside the venue).

Notes about tickets

In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, please be sure to read the following precautions before purchasing tickets and coming to the event. Also, please review and agree to the terms and conditions before purchasing admission tickets.

Precautions

In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, people to which the following items apply will not be admitted to the venue.

- You have had any of the following symptoms (1) to (4) within a week before the day of your attendance at the competition, or on the day of the competition.

(1) Body temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or higher, (2) Severe fatigue, (3) Symptoms of a cold (cough, sore throat, difficulty breathing, etc.), (4) Abnormal taste or smell, (5) A family member with any of the conditions (1) to (4), (6) You are staying at home in isolation as a person who has had close contact with an infected person, (7) A family member is staying at your home for their isolation period as a person who has had close contact with an infected person, (8) 14 days have not passed since entering Japan from a country or region to which entry restrictions apply.

- You have had a PCR test, and (1) you are symptomatic with less than ten days having passed since onset of symptoms and less than 72 hours since alleviation of symptoms, (2) you cannot show two negative PCR tests that have been taken at least 24 hours after the alleviation of symptoms and at least 24 hours apart, or (3) you are asymptomatic but with antigens, and less than 10 days have passed since testing negative, or (4) after six days after having a sample taken, you cannot show two negative PCR tests that have been taken at least 24 hours apart.

- The above (1) to (8) also applies to persons who have received vaccinations.

- If you are not wearing a mask, please be sure to bring your own mask (you will not be admitted with only a mouth guard). Please wear it at all times in the venue.

- No presents or other items may be brought in for the skaters (throwing them into the rink is prohibited).

- Persons who refuse to submit to a baggage check and temperature check at time of entry.

- Persons who do not cooperate with the organizer's stipulated infection prevention measures.

If you are unable to enter, the organizer will not bear the cost of transportation or accommodation.

* Measures are being taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19 at the venue. The organizer will not be held responsible for any illnesses that may occur after the event. If you have any concerns about infection, please refrain from purchasing tickets.

* After successfully purchasing tickets, please download the "COCOA" contact tracing app before coming to the event. Also, since this event is registered with the Osaka COVID-19 Tracing System, please read the QR code with your smartphone or other camera when you come to the event, enter your email address in the registration form that appears, and complete the registration process. (It is planned that the QR code will be posted at the venue).

* In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, seats are sold with an extra space between them. (As a rule, each seat is separated by a one-seat distance).

* If a person infected with COVID-19 is confirmed among the spectators at this competition, the organizer may contact the purchasers of tickets based on the personal information obtained at the time of purchase in order to inform those who were watching the competition in the surrounding seats.

* In the event that the competition is held with no spectators or is cancelled, refunds will be issued. In such a case, detailed information will be announced on the event website.