

Sunburst Gala COVID-19 POLICIES

The safety of all guests, volunteers and staff is our primary concern as we plan for the 2022 Sunburst Gala. To host an in-person event, we will institute the following policies to ensure the safety of everyone.

1. Proof of Vaccination or Negative COVID Test within 72 hours for all guests, volunteers & staff: Proof of vaccination may be provided in advance of the event (preferred) or at check-in.
2. Masking: All guests, volunteers, staff and hotel personnel will be masked. Guests may remove their masks during active eating & drinking only.

In order to hold an in-person gala we will be strictly enforcing our health and safety requirements, and therefore, guests who do not comply with our health procedures may be denied entry or asked to leave.

As the situation surrounding the pandemic is often changing, other COVID-19 related health protocols may be in effect at the time of the event. We will continually assess, and will adjust, our requirements and procedures according to updated public health guidance and applicable law.

We appreciate your cooperation. It is with your help that we can host this event in-person safely. If you have questions, contact Barb Waddle at 216.447.8763 or barbw@dsaneo.org. We will continue to provide updates on our website, social sites and eblasts.

PROOF OF VACCINATION OR NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST DETAILS

All guests are required to show proof of being fully vaccinated or proof of acceptable negative COVID-19 test for entry into the Gala.

VACCINATION

"Fully vaccinated" means that a guest is at least 14 days after their final vaccine dose (second dose of AstraZeneca, Moderna or Pfizer; single dose of Johnson & Johnson).

The following will be accepted as proof of vaccination:

- Vaccination card or legible electronic image of a vaccination card.
- A corresponding photo ID is required for guests along with proof of vaccination.
- Self-reported vaccination records not verified by a third-party health care provider are not acceptable.

TESTING (if you are not vaccinated)

For guests who are not vaccinated, the following will be accepted:

- A negative COVID PCR test taken within 72 hours of the event.
- The following will be accepted as proof of a negative COVID-19 test result:
 - A printed document (or copy of such document) from the test provider or laboratory, **OR**
 - An email or text message displayed on a phone or electronic device from the test provider or laboratory. The information provided should include the name of the person tested, the type of test performed, the date of the negative test result and the name of the provider or laboratory that conducted the test.
 - Self-reported negative test records not verified by a third-party health care provider are not acceptable.
- A corresponding photo ID is required for guests along with a negative COVID-19 test.

FACE MASK REQUIREMENTS

Face masks that cover the nose and mouth are required to be worn at all times by guests, staff, and volunteers, regardless of vaccination status, in all areas, except when actively consuming food or beverages.

Bring your own mask and wear it as you enter the building. Single-use masks will be available if needed.

By wearing your mask, you are helping those around you stay safe, and you are supporting our efforts to return to an in-person event.

HEALTH AND SAFETY SCREENINGS

If you are experiencing symptoms or have recently been exposed to COVID-19, stay at home.

By entering our event, all guests, staff, and volunteers certify that they are not experiencing COVID-19 symptoms and have not been recently exposed to anyone with COVID-19.