

Special Olympics New Hampshire COVID-19 Protocol

As of (2.28.2023)

Protocol Area	INDOOR & OUTDOOR EVENTS
Event Size and Venue Type	No capacity limit. Follow size restrictions and safety protocols of venue if any.
Masks	Masks recommended in crowded spaces. Not required during rigorous activity.
Forms	All athletes, LPV volunteers, event volunteers and SONH Staff must have a Communicable Disease Waiver on file with SONH.
Ahead of Event or Gathering & During	A COVID-19 Point(s) of Contact (POC) must be identified. COVID POC must remind attendees, no one may attend any gathering within 5 days of COVID positive test regardless of vaccination status.
Events	Hand sanitizer and disposable masks must be available on site.
Transportation	Masking not required. Optional if individuals wish to wear a mask.
Meals	No sharing of water bottles/drinks. Use of labels encouraged.

Key Definitions:

Participant: Athletes, Unified partners, coaches, officials, volunteers and SONH staff. Athletes must receive medical clearance before participating in sport.

If You Test Positive for COVID-19: Regardless of vaccination status, cannot participate/attend any SONH activity for 5 days.

Enhanced Local Program Protocol: SONH supports any Local Program who would like to implement enhanced safety measures in addition to the COVID-19 protocol set forth. Local Programs cannot mandate vaccination for their athletes or Local Program volunteers.