

2022 Fall Meeting Coronavirus Wellness and Mitigation Protocol Overview

All attendees of Advance CTE's Fall Meeting being held October 17-19, 2022 are required to comply with the following safety and mitigation protocols to adhere to the Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidance, applicable state and local requirements and the following safety and mitigation protocols.

Masking

At this time, there are no requirements in place that require indoor masking at the meeting venue. Attendees should feel comfortable to wear a mask if that is their preference. In accordance with CDC guidelines (*scan the code to the right*), attendees will be asked to wear a mask if an attendee reports a positive COVID-19 test. Advance CTE will have masks available.



Social Distancing

Each attendee will have the opportunity to designate their comfort level of interaction with other attendees through a sticker designation on their name tag:

- Green Circle = Comfortable with contact, high fives and handshakes
- Orange Circle = Still being cautious, elbow bumps only
- Red Square = No Contact, keep distance

Vaccination Requirements

Non-vaccinated attendees are required to provide a negative test result of a PCR (Polymerase Chain Reaction) taken no more than 72 hours prior to the beginning of the conference on October 17, 2022.

Attendees are strongly encouraged to administer an at-home, antigen or a PCR test prior to traveling to the event and before getting on a plane to return home.

Protocols for COVID-19 Symptomatic Attendee

An attendee experiencing COVID-19 symptoms (*scan the code to the right*) will be required to follow testing and quarantine/isolation protocols in accordance with CDC guidelines both prior to and following test results.



Attendees experiencing symptoms should immediately isolate themselves in their hotel room and report the symptoms via email to meetings@careertech.org or text/call Kate Kreamer at 203-671-1813. The attendee will be provided an at-home COVID-19 test by Advance CTE and will share the result with Advance CTE for contact tracing purposes. If an attendee is required to quarantine, the attendee is responsible for all related costs, including any adjustments to accommodations or travel arrangements.

Notification of COVID-19 Positive Attendee

Attendees will be notified via email of a positive COVID-19 test result by an attendee as soon as possible. A verbal announcement will also be made during event hours following the email announcement.

All attendees shall notify Advance CTE of a positive COVID-19 test result within seven days of the close of the Fall Meeting. Notifications should be emailed to meetings@careertech.org. Advance CTE will protect the privacy of the individual who tested positive.

Wellness Products

The hotel will provide hand sanitizing stations throughout the facility. Advance CTE will have a limited number of surgical and KN95 masks and at-home testing kits on hand; please request these items at the Advance CTE registration desk.

Advance CTE is Here to Help!

If you have any questions or concerns, including observing an attendee who is not complying with health and safety guidelines, please reach out to Advance CTE staff at the registration desk or by emailing meetings@careertech.org.