



CID PRESENTS

As COVID-19 continues to impact international travel and live events, we ask that all attendees remain mindful of their exposure risk in the weeks prior to travel. Creating a safe, comfortable experience for all guests, artists, and staff remains the highest priority for CID Presents.

With this in mind, the following requirements will apply to all HootieFest: The Big Splash 2022 guests:

- Negative COVID-19 PCR test no more than 96 hours prior to check in;
- Antigen test for departure



BEFORE YOU GO

- Upload proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test result
 - Administered by an official testing site **within 96 hours prior to check in**
- Information on where to upload your negative PCR test will be communicated in the coming weeks



WHILE YOU'RE HERE

- Per [CDC Order](#), airlines currently require proof of a negative COVID-19 test for entry back into the United States. As of Nov 8th, the antigen test must be taken **no more than 24 hours before departure** for unvaccinated guests, and **no more than 3 days before departure** for vaccinated guests. Documents must be shown prior to boarding. Please note the Moon Palace provides two departure rapid antigen tests per room at no charge. If you have more than two people in your room, there will be a surcharge of \$19 per additional test. Guests will need to schedule their departure test directly with the resort. If CDC guidelines change before the event we may update this requirement in line with any new guidelines, which will be communicated to you.

We appreciate your commitment to these policies as we make every effort to keep the HootieFest: The Big Splash community healthy and safe. Throughout your stay, a number of enhanced sanitation and preventative measures will also be enforced by our friends at Moon Palace Cancún and can be reviewed [here](#). If you have not done so already, you should consider purchasing travel insurance. Our partners at Wanderwell may provide coverage for certain scenarios including COVID-19 related illness that might prevent you from joining us in Mexico. For details, click [here](#).

We look forward to welcoming you to the beach in 2022!



STAFF PREPAREDNESS

Outside of abiding by all resort and venue policies, CID Presents staff will be equipped with any necessary protective equipment recommended by then current industry best practices, screened for COVID-19 symptoms via regular checks as well as trained and up to date on all health and safety measures. CID Presents has a team of expert medical personnel who will work with all staff members to ensure a safe experience for all guests.



FAN PREPAREDNESS

CID Presents & Moon Palace Cancún will implement and follow a bevy of safety & security policies, but it will take all of us - guests included - to ensure our high standards are met. Read on for the answers to frequently asked questions, as well as tips on what to do or not do, to help you and your group prepare for our return to the beach.

A NOTE ON REFUND & CANCELLATION POLICIES

CID Presents will closely monitor relevant recommendations and guidelines imposed by local authorities and The World Health Organization to ensure a safe experience for all guests. If, for circumstances outside of our control, it is deemed unsafe to produce this event, a full refund will be issued on the credit card used to purchase. That being said, our refund policy remains as it has been in previous years and can be reviewed [here](#). As a reminder, all packages are non-refundable. If you or your guests cannot attend due to an emergency please reach out to our Guest Services team. We will be happy to walk you through any possible options available to you. It is recommended that you consider purchasing [travel insurance](#) from a third party.

FAQS

- ▶ **What happens if I arrive without a negative PCR test?**
 - You will be denied entry to the event until a negative PCR test can be provided.
- ▶ **What happens if I test positive for COVID-19 before arrival? Will I get a refund?**
 - No. Package refunds will not be given to guests who test positive for COVID-19. We recommend purchasing travel insurance from a third party that covers COVID-19 related illnesses.
- ▶ **Is proof of vaccination required to attend the event?**
 - No
- ▶ **What happens if my PCR results do not arrive before my departure?**
 - You will not be allowed to check into the event until you have received your PCR test results.
- ▶ **How will the negative COVID-19 test results be confirmed?**
 - Proof of negative COVID-19 PCR test results will need to be uploaded to a secure site prior to arrival. More information will be released closer to the event.
- ▶ **What type of PCR test is accepted?**
 - You must provide proof of a negative PCR test prior to checking into the event. Antigen tests are not accepted for this negative verification. All PCR test types are accepted including a Saliva PCR test. Self-administered PCR tests are acceptable if they are sent to a laboratory.
- ▶ **Will I be required to wear a face mask at the event?**
 - Face masks will be required during transportation (to and from the airport as well as on any adventure transportation) and during check-in. Masks are also required by the Moon Palace in all common areas inside the resort. Masks are encouraged but not required during the rest of the event.
- ▶ **What COVID-19 precautions and policies can I expect at the resort?**
 - The Moon Palace COVID-19 measures can be reviewed [here](#). Please check the Purely Palace website for the most up to date resort policy as it is subject to change.
- ▶ **Where can I get a free PCR test prior to arrival?**
 - You can review testing options for your state [here](#). For anyone arriving to Mexico prior to the event, you can find a Cancun local PCR testing center [here](#).
- ▶ **Do I have to pay for the departure testing?**
 - Two rapid antigen tests are provided per room for departure to the U.S. Guests will need to schedule their departure test time directly with the resort. If you have more than two people per room, there will be a surcharge of \$19 per additional test. If you have a multi-room package (Family Connected, Two Bedroom Presidential, Villas) you will receive two antigen tests per room.
- ▶ **What happens if I test positive for COVID-19 during or at the end of the event?**
 - You can review Moon Palace's Purely Palace policies [here](#). Package refunds will not be given to guests who test positive for COVID-19. We strongly recommend purchasing travel insurance from a third party that covers COVID-19 related illnesses.
- ▶ **What happens if the 2022 event is canceled due to COVID-19?**
 - In the event of a full cancellation for any reason, a refund will be issued on the credit card used to purchase your package. Please Note: Only guests with a valid package in good standing on payments would be eligible to receive a refund if the event was canceled.
- ▶ **Is a departure antigen test required if I'm traveling somewhere besides the United States?**
 - A departure antigen test is required to board a plane back to the United States. If your destination country does not require a negative antigen test it is not necessary to take the test. Check the requirements of your destination [here](#).

DO

- Take these precautions seriously - we want everyone to have a safe, enjoyable time in Mexico
- Limit any potential exposure by self-isolating as much as possible prior to traveling
- Request a COVID-19 test from the resort if you are feeling any sickness symptoms during your stay
- Stay on-site at the Moon Palace for the duration of your trip or participate in CID Presents off-site Adventures which will only include Crash My Playa guests
- Cover your mouth and nose when sneezing or coughing
- Wash your hands with soap and water frequently
- Consider travel insurance to give you peace of mind

DON'T

- Travel if you are feeling sick or have tested positive for COVID-19
- Hang out in cramped spaces with non-event guests prior to departure for Mexico
- Hang out with non-event guests during the event weekend
- Share common items such as cups or silverware with other guests