



# EVENT OPERATIONS PROTOCOL

**LIME ROCK PARK  
JULY 16 – 17, 2021**

# INTRODUCTION

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To IMSA Competitors, Team Members, and Support Staff -

Thank you again for your continued efforts on and off the track as race through the summer months of our 2021 season. We continue to have a great deal to be proud of after two consecutive successful event weeks at Watkins Glen International.

Now, as we head to Lime Rock Park and round seven of the IMSA WeatherTech SportsCar Championship, we must continue to focus on the same approach towards safety for all involved.

Since returning to racing in July of 2020, IMSA has relied upon comprehensive protocols incorporating CDC guidance and developed in close consultation with a panel of medical experts with broad experience in infectious diseases, many of whom have been on the front line in treating COVID-19 patients across the country.

As conditions have improved and with widespread availability of the COVID-19 vaccine, IMSA's operating protocols have evolved. State and local restrictions continue to ease, and our guidelines now reflect that.

Moving forward we will further expand access to IMSA events and progress towards pre-COVID-19 norms, adjusting as needed in states mandating special measures. Also, we will continue to focus on our international participants assisting them in their efforts to travel to and from the United States.

In continued collaboration with our race event promoters, public health officials, medical experts, and local, state, and federal officials, IMSA has implemented the following protocols to ensure the health and safety of our competitors and the surrounding communities. However, as ordinances vary from event-to-event, it is important to monitor this document for changes prior to each race weekend.

We thank you once again, in advance, for your cooperation and diligence in helping our safe event operations. Please continue to stay safe and healthy.

Sincerely,



John Doonan  
President, IMSA

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# INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITIES

## FAMILIARIZATION

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Prior to an IMSA event, every participant accessing the competition restricted area will review both the IMSA Event Operations Protocol and the CDC's COVID-19 awareness and prevention.

The competition restricted area includes, but may not be limited to, the entirety of pit lane, race control, timing & scoring, spotter's area, medical center, and the broadcast compound.

Prior to participating in an IMSA event, every participant who will access the competition restricted area must complete and return a HIPAA, COVID-19 waiver, and event COVID-19 Questionnaire. This is done via the IMSA online COVID-19 event application that will be sent once you have been added to a COVID-19 roster.

Vaccinated persons who are fully vaccinated may resume pre-pandemic activities without wearing a mask of physical distancing, per the updated CDC guidelines.

## HEALTH MONITORING / RISK MITIGATION

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Certain populations may be at increased personal risk regarding COVID-19, including people over 65 and people with underlying medical conditions such as chronic lung disease, asthma, heart disease, severe obesity, diabetes, etc.

IMSA strongly recommends that participants who meet the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) definition of "People Who are at Higher risk of Severe Illness" not participate in the event (link below).

- People Who are at Higher Risk for Severe Illness

Participants concerned for their own health must consult with their physician prior to participation in the event.

Participants must be symptom and fever free for a minimum of five (5) days before the event without the use of Acetaminophen, Ibuprofen or similar drugs used to prevent or reduce fever.

Individuals with a confirmed COVID-19 infection, with known exposure to a confirmed COVID-19 case in the last (10) days, exhibiting physical symptoms of COVID-19 or experiencing a fever must consult with their physician and will not access an IMSA event. A "known exposure" to COVID-19 is defined by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) via link below.

- "Known Exposure" to COVID-19

Participants should report to their immediate supervisor if they meet any of the criteria listed above.

Organizations, through the appropriate organizational contact, are required to report to the IMSA Medical/Safety Services Department or Racing Operations Department if a participant is directed to self-isolate due to known COVID-19 exposure or if a participant receives a confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19. Proper IMSA contacts below:

- Tracy Sanderson / Medical Liaison  
813.486.4854 (cell)  
[tsanderson@imsa.com](mailto:tsanderson@imsa.com)
- Simon Hodgson / VP Competition, Racing Operations  
386.453.0494 (cell)  
[shodgson@imsa.com](mailto:shodgson@imsa.com)

Non-vaccinated individuals should minimize potential exposure to COVID-19 by strictly limiting contact with persons outside their immediate family and those whom they routinely work with.

While at the track, non-vaccinated participants must limit their movement to the area in which they perform their primary function and avoid accessing multiple areas.

## **EVENT TRAVEL RECOMMENDATIONS**

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Only personnel on an approved roster submitted by the deadline will travel to an event. Participants should avoid situations that increase potential exposure to COVID-19.

IMSA recommends the following guidance be considered and included in your travel planning and execution:

- Do not travel if you are sick or plan to travel with someone who is sick.
- Carpooling with unvaccinated participants significantly increases the potential for virus transmission. If traveling in a vehicle with unvaccinated participants, all occupants must always wear a mask.
- When staying in hotels, avoid congregating in public areas. Single rooms are strongly recommended and significantly less risky than housing multiple people per room.
- For non-vaccinated participants, eating in restaurants or other public locations is strongly discouraged; those individuals should purchase meals to go (carry out) and avoid large group meals.

A complete list of CDC domestic travel recommendations can be accessed via the link below.

- [Domestic Travel During COVID-19](#)

## INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

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In accordance with the United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and Customs & Boarder Protection (CBP) updated process for consideration of National Interest Exemption (NIE) waivers, essential international personnel (“International Participants”) who do not reside in the United States of America (“U.S.”), may request approval to travel to the U.S. to participate in permitted activities and may leave the U.S. following the conclusion of such permitted activities.

Also, as of the issuance of this document, any International Participant who submitted and received a 212(f) waiver prior to January 26, 2021 remains eligible to travel to the U.S. per the guidelines set forth by CBP at time of approval.

Above-mentioned eligible travelers who encounter boarding challenges or challenges at the time of travel should have their airlines contact their Regional Carrier Liaison Group (RCLG) representative.

RCLG representatives can reach out to the appropriate CBP office for assistance, as necessary. The RCLG has direct communication with CBP, who in many cases are physically located in major airports in Europe, Asia, and Latin America.

**Under a recent Executive Order, effective as of January 26, 2021, any new International Participant travelers granted a waiver 212(f) are eligible to travel to/from the U.S. within 30 days of the approval from CBP. The new waiver is only good for one trip to the U.S.**

To this end, any new International Participants must submit, to IMSA, their travel information three (3) weeks prior to each event using the 2021 International Traveler Information Form.

Contact your Corporate Member Representative for the link.

As a reminder, the necessary travel information for each traveler is:

- Full name (including middle name)
- Date of birth
- Passport number
- Passport country of origin
- Travel itinerary
- Address while in U.S.
- U.S. based phone
- Email

It is incumbent on each traveler to ensure that their own travel documents (ex. VISA, ESTA, etc.) are in acceptable order and valid.

International Participants must comply with all current Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) travel guidelines and recommendations including those highlighted below:

- Produce proof of a negative COVID-19 test no more than three (3) days before traveling by air into the U.S or
- Provide documentation of recovery (proof of a recent positive test along with an official letter stating clearance to travel).
- Comply with all applicable CDC guidelines concerning international travel; and

- Avoid public spaces, including bars and restaurants, and gatherings not associated with permitted activities; and
- Masks are required on planes, buses, trains, and other forms of public transportation traveling into, within, or out of the U.S.; and
- Masks are required in U.S. transportation hubs such as airports and stations; and
- Adhere to recommended periods of self-quarantine or self-isolation seven (7) days after travel (if unvaccinated).

It is recommended that travelers visit and familiarize themselves with current CDC guidelines pertaining to international travel, including specifics on the points above and detail on vaccinated travelers, by visiting the CDC links below.

- [International Travel During COVID-19](#)
- [Requirement of Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test or Recovery \(for all air passengers traveling to U.S.\)](#)

In addition to CDC, state, local government, and venue mask requirements and/or recommendations, IMSA recommends every participant to always wear a mask when indoors at IMSA events. For specific protocols pertaining to the IMSA events at Lime Rock Park, please refer to Appendix B (page 23).

Participants that do not comply with guidelines and recommendations are subject to disciplinary action.

If you require further guidance regarding CDC recommendations and protocols, please contact Tracy Sanderson, Medical Liaison at [tsanderson@imsa.com](mailto:tsanderson@imsa.com).

## **PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)**

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Non-vaccinated participants will always wear a mask when indoors at IMSA events. When outdoors, mask wear is optional for non-vaccinated IMSA participants. For specific protocols pertaining to the IMSA events at Lime Rock Park, please refer to Appendix B (page 23).

- When worn, masks must be worn over the mouth and nose and secured under the chin.
- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) strongly recommends wearing a mask with two or more layers to more effectively prevent disease spread. CDC mask guidelines are available [here](#).
- Non-vaccinated IMSA Officials working in confined spaces, such as race control, timing & scoring and other confined spaces, should wear a surgical-type mask while inside these locations with other personnel. Masks with an exhalation valve or vent which allow virus particles to escape should not be worn.



## MEDICAL SCREENING / EXPOSURE / INFECTION

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Participants must appear on an approved roster to access an IMSA event.

- Once a participant has been submitted on the event or industry roster, they will receive a health status questionnaire that must be completed and returned. Once the questionnaire has been reviewed and approved, the participant will receive a SMS text message and email approving their entry into the facility.

Medical Screening:

- Industry personnel on an approved roster will complete medical screening including a current health status questionnaire.
- Participants must have an approval text with an Annual Credential or SEC available to gain event access.
- Participants indicating known close-contact exposure to a confirmed COVID-19 case in the last 10 days or exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 will undergo additional screening with IMSA medical personnel and may be denied entry into the event.
- Per the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), a close contact exposure is defined as someone who was within six feet of an infected person for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period starting two days before illness onset (or two days prior to specimen collection for asymptomatic cases).

Exposure:

- In accordance with CDC guidance, participants exposed to an infected person must self-quarantine. The optimal self-quarantine length remains 14 days, but two CDC-approved options for reducing the quarantine period are:
- Quarantine can be reduced to 10 days without testing if no symptoms develop.
- Quarantine can be reduced to seven days with a negative test result and no symptoms. Test must occur on day 5 of quarantine or later.

Infection:

- Participants who test positive for COVID-19 must self-isolate for a minimum of ten days.
- Symptomatic participants may return to events 10 days after the date of symptom onset, provided they are fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing drugs, and other symptoms (i.e., cough and headache) are improving.

- Asymptomatic participants may return to events 10 days after the date of the positive test.
- Those who experience severe COVID-19 illness requiring hospitalization are not immediately eligible to return to IMSA events within 10 days of testing positive; these participants must receive medical clearance from their personal physician AND the IMSA Medical Director prior to returning to IMSA events.

#### Vaccinated Persons:

- Vaccinated participants who are exposed to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they meet all the following criteria:
  - Are fully vaccinated. Participants are considered fully vaccinated (i.e., greater than (2) weeks after their second dose in a 2-dose series, such as Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, or greater than (2) weeks after a single-dose vaccine, such as Johnson & Johnson Janssen vaccine.
- Participants who do not meet both above criteria must follow the current exposure quarantine guidelines listed above.

# TEAM / ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBILITIES

## EVENT ROSTERS / ESSENTIAL PERSONNEL

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Industry personnel required to conduct the event adequately and safely will be submitted via an event roster. Rosters of essential personnel will be approved by IMSA, and these participants must partake in the medical screening process before each Event.

All personnel will be identified by name to IMSA at least 5 days in advance of the first day of the event.

- Race teams will continue to utilize the IMSA roster system available when logging into MERG under the COVID-19 tab. First name, last name, email, cell phone number and role will be required.
- OEM's and industry support will continue to utilize the IMSA Roster system available by logging onto MERG under the COVID -19 tab. First name, last name, email, and cell phone number will be required.

Every potential participant must complete the HIPAA Waiver, COVID-19 Waiver, and event COVID-19 Questionnaire after their name is added to a corporate member roster.

Once a corporate member roster has been submitted, an approval email will be sent to the corporate member representatives contact. If there is an issue with any aspect of the submitted Event Roster, IMSA will reach out to the corporate member representative to work through the issue.

## EXPOSURES / INFECTIONS / REPORTING

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To protect participants and safeguard the entire IMSA Industry against spread of the virus, IMSA must respond immediately to COVID-19 positives and known exposures to COVID-19. Comprehensive contact tracing is key to maintaining the on-going operations of the sport and depends on cooperation among everyone.

- Organizations must immediately report to the IMSA Medical/Safety Services Department or Racing Operations Department if a participant is diagnosed with COVID-19 or has had a known exposure.
- Organizations must immediately conduct extensive contact tracing to determine if other participants may have been exposed and should seek testing, self-isolate or contact their physician.
- Organizations must also report to the IMSA Medical/Safety Services Department or Racing Operations Department if a participant has been directed to quarantine due to exposure to a confirmed case.
- Reports of suspected or confirmed COVID-19 cases within the industry must be reported, via the appropriate organizational contact, to the IMSA Medical/Safety Services Department or Racing Operations Department. Proper IMSA contacts below:

- Tracy Sanderson / Medical Liaison  
813.486.4854 (cell)  
[tsanderson@imsa.com](mailto:tsanderson@imsa.com)
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Failure to report suspected or confirmed cases within 24 hours of isolation ordered or test results received may result in dismissal from the event and/or additional action at the sole discretion of IMSA.

## CREDENTIALS / LICENSES

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All personnel that need an annual credential or a single event credential (SEC) for the event must be identified by name to IMSA by using the corporate member annual credential roster or SEC Roster by the Friday prior to the event week.

- Teams will use MERG to add any annual credential or SEC essential personnel and/or guest to the annual credential roster or SEC roster. IMSA will charge the corporate member, if necessary, when the annual credential or SEC is produced for the event.
- COVID-19 event rosters will be reviewed by IMSA Administration to ensure that all SEC's match the SEC rosters submitted by the corporate member.
- Passes will have name of participant listed on roster printed on the SEC.
- Once charges have been made, receipts for SEC's will be available on [MERG](#).

To access the competition restricted area, all participants will be required to have their Annual Credential or SEC prepared for display as well as their approval text or e-mail.

# FACILITY RESPONSIBILITIES

## PERIMETER SUPPORT PERSONNEL

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Promoter partners should highly encourage employees, vendors, and guests to receive the COVID-19 vaccination prior to working or attending a IMSA event and adhere to all COVID-19 related protocols.

Perimeter support personnel (those employees and vendors whose primary role occurs outside the competition restricted area) should be accounted for on an industry roster.

- Promoter partners will determine a screening process appropriate for their facility and aligned with local and state COVID-19 regulations. If on-site screening is required, screening should take place at a designated location separate and away from the competition restricted area.

## ACCESS PARAMETERS

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Promotor partners will adhere to the following in relation to employee, vendor, and guest access:

- Encourage all persons to receive the COVID-19 vaccination prior to working or attending a IMSA event.
- All persons must follow COVID-19 related protocols.
- Masks must be worn by unvaccinated persons when accessing indoor areas, including common suite areas.
- All persons must always have their credentials clearly visible while inside the competition restricted areas.
- Promotor partners will designate appropriate areas in which guests may shelter in case of inclement weather.

# APPENDICES:



## APPENDIX A: IMSA COVID-19 MEDICAL SCREENING PROCESS

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### BEFORE THE EVENT

For Team/Corporate personnel to be permitted into the competition restricted area, the Team/Corporate Representative will need to designate any Essential Personnel and/or guest via MERG. Also, all personnel and guests must have an IMSA Annual Credential or an IMSA SEC.

Steps for submitting your COVID-19 roster of essential personnel and guest:

- **Step 1:** Single Event Credentials. Any Partner/Industry Support personnel who hold an Annual Credential will automatically populate as a person who can be selected on the roster.

If you are requesting Partner/Industry Support personnel who will need an SEC, you must first submit their name on the SEC Event Roster. Once submitted, their name will populate on the COVID-19 roster and will be added to the Corporate Member's COVID-19 roster.

- **Step 2:** Submit COVID-19 roster. To submit your roster of essential personnel and/or guest, first log into your MERG account and select COVID-19 from the top bar menu.

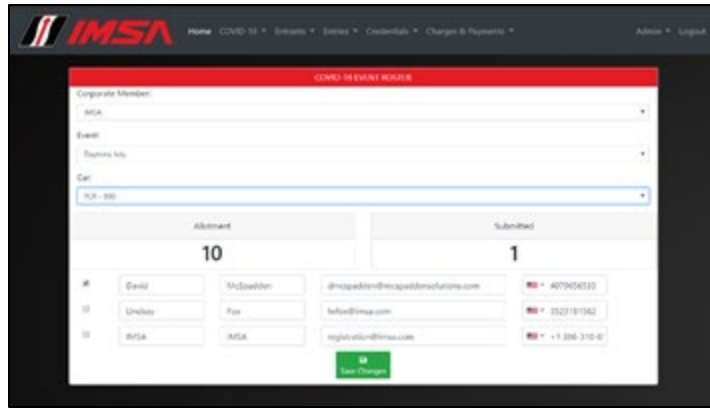
Once you select the Event, the list of members associated with your Corporate Member will populate. There is a place for you to identify the role each member will have at the event should you like to specify.

- Once you have selected your essential personnel and/or guest, click submit at the bottom.
- Once your essential personnel and/or guest submit an application, the red box to the left of their name will turn green.
- **Step 3:** Roster confirmation will be emailed. Once you have submitted your roster, an email will be sent to the Corporate Member Representative with a list of all personnel on the roster.

This document may be used by your personnel as proof of participation in the Event. IMSA recommends that this email/document is provided to all personnel on your roster, allowing them to have a copy when traveling to the Event.

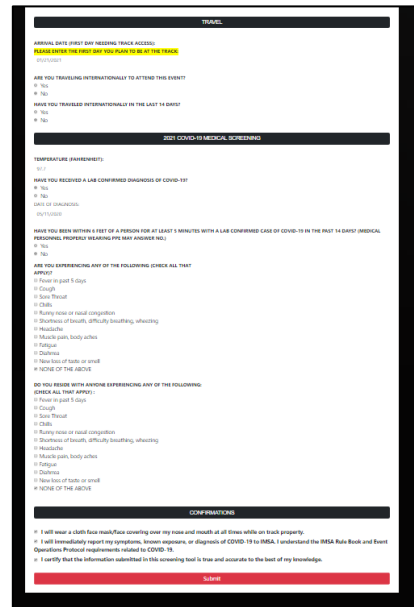
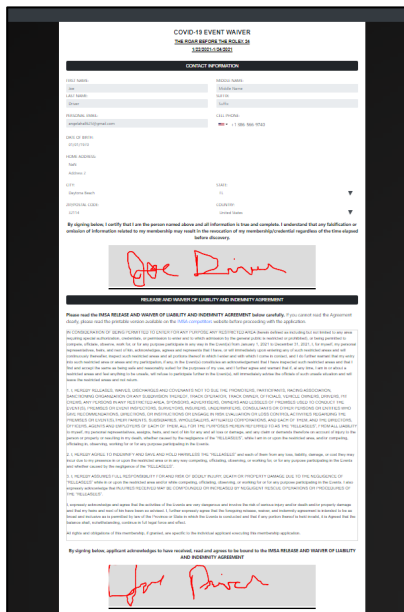
### MEDICAL SCREENING PROCESS

- **Step 1:** Corporate Member or Team Representative signs into MERG and designates their essential personnel and/or guest. Data is preloaded based on Annual Credentials already issued and SEC's already submitted. The user simply checks the box next to each essential name. Event Confirmation Declarations must be submitted prior to the Driver(s) name populating on the COVID-19 Roster.



- **Step 2:** An SMS Text Message and E-Mail is sent to the participant with a link to complete the following waivers and questionnaire; HIPAA Waiver, COVID-19 Waiver, and the event COVID-19 questionnaire.

Data for these forms is also pre-loaded with information based on the existing Annual Credential or SEC Application. If you are not an IMSA Member you will have to fill out your information.

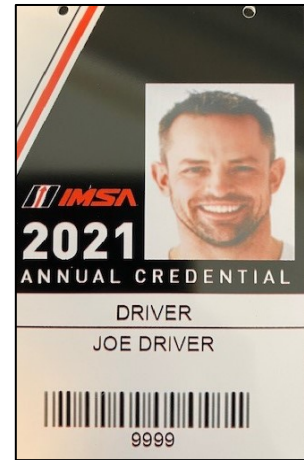
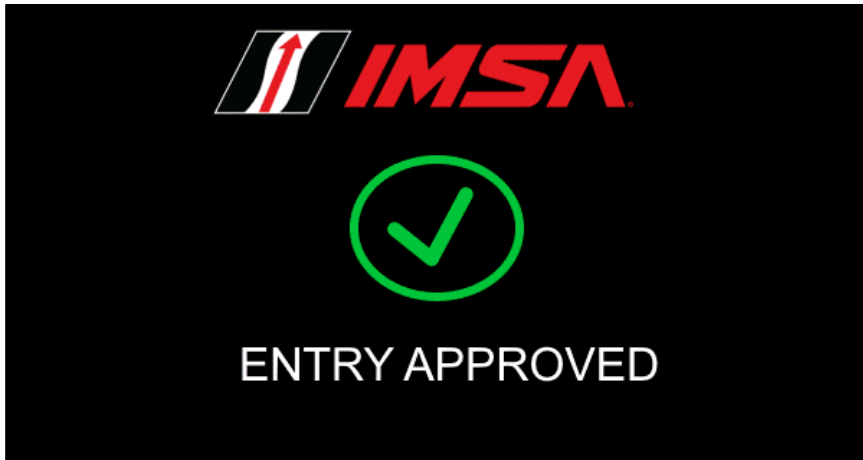


- **Step 3:** Once submitted, all paperwork is encrypted, saved, and validated. Any application answering affirmative to any COVID-19 questions is sent to the Medical Liaison team for further review.

The Medical Liaison team can then approve or deny any application. All other participants are sent an SMS Text Message and E-Mail approving them for the event.

## AT THE EVENT

- Step 1: Each participant will need to have their event approval text along with their Annual Credential or SEC when approaching the paddock area.



- Step 2: Participant will be granted event access.

## COVID-19 EVENT WAIVER

ACURA 8PORT8 CAR CHALLENGE

6/14/2021-6/18/2021

### TRAVEL

ARRIVAL DATE (FIRST DAY NEEDING TRACK ACCESS):

**PLEASE ENTER THE FIRST DAY YOU PLAN TO BE AT THE TRACK:**

05/13/2021

ARE YOU TRAVELING INTERNATIONALLY TO ATTEND THIS EVENT?

- Yes  
 No

HAVE YOU TRAVELED INTERNATIONALLY IN THE LAST 14 DAYS?

- Yes  
 No

### 2021 COVID-19 MEDICAL SCREENING

HAVE YOU RECEIVED A LAB CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS OF COVID-19 IN THE PAST 14 DAYS?

- Yes  
 No

HAVE YOU BEEN WITHIN 6 FEET OF A PERSON FOR AT LEAST 5 MINUTES WITH A LAB CONFIRMED CASE OF COVID-19 IN THE PAST 14 DAYS? (MEDICAL PERSONNEL PROPERLY WEARING PPE MAY ANSWER NO.)

- Yes  
 No

ARE YOU EXPERIENCING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)?

- Fever in past 5 days  
 Cough  
 Sore Throat  
 Chills  
 Runny nose or nasal congestion  
 Shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, wheezing  
 Headache  
 Muscle pain, body aches  
 Fatigue  
 Diarrhea  
 New loss of taste or smell  
 NONE OF THE ABOVE

DO YOU RESIDE WITH ANYONE EXPERIENCING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:  
(CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

- Fever in past 5 days  
 Cough  
 Sore Throat  
 Chills  
 Runny nose or nasal congestion  
 Shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, wheezing  
 Headache  
 Muscle pain, body aches  
 Fatigue  
 Diarrhea  
 New loss of taste or smell  
 NONE OF THE ABOVE

### VACCINATION

HAVE YOU RECEIVED A COVID-19 VACCINATION?

- Yes  
 No

YOU MUST ANSWER YOUR VACCINATION STATUS.

### CONFIRMATIONS

I will wear a cloth face mask/face covering over my nose and mouth at all times while on track property.

YOU MUST AGREE TO WEAR A FACE MASK AT ALL TIMES.

I will immediately report my symptoms, known exposure, or diagnosis of COVID-19 to IMSA. I understand the IMSA Rule Book and Event Operations Protocol requirements related to COVID-19.

YOU MUST AGREE TO THE IMSA RULE BOOK AND EVENT OPERATIONS PROTOCOL.

I certify that the information submitted in this screening tool is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

YOU MUST AGREE TO THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

Submit




**THIS SECTION MUST BE CAREFULLY READ AND SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT**

IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO ENTER FOR ANY PURPOSE ANY RESTRICTED AREA (herein defined as including but not limited to any area requiring special authorization, credentials, or permission to enter and to which admission by the general public is restricted or prohibited), or being permitted to compete, officiate, observe, work for, or for any purpose participate in any way in the Event(s) from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021, Joe Driver, for myself, my personal representatives, heirs, and next of kin, acknowledges, agrees and represents that I have, or will immediately upon entering any of such restricted areas and will continuously thereafter, inspect such restricted areas and all portions thereof in which I enter and with which I come in contact, and I do further warrant that my entry into such restricted area or areas and my participation, if any, in the Event(s) constitutes an acknowledgement that I have inspected such restricted areas and that I find and accept the same as being safe and reasonably suited for the purposes of my use, and I further agree and warrant that if, at any time, I am in or about a restricted areas and feel anything to be unsafe, will refuse to participate further in the Event(s), will immediately advise the officials of such unsafe situation and will leave the restricted areas and not return.

1. I, Joe Driver, HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE THE PROMOTERS, PARTICIPANTS, RACING ASSOCIATION, SANCTIONING ORGANIZATION OR ANY SUBDIVISION THEREOF, TRACK OPERATOR, TRACK OWNER, OFFICIALS, VEHICLE OWNERS, DRIVERS, PIT CREWS, ANY PERSONS IN ANY RESTRICTED AREA, SPONSORS, ADVERTISERS, OWNERS AND LESSEES OF PREMISES USED TO CONDUCT THE EVENT(S), PREMISES OR EVENT INSPECTORS, SURVEYORS, INSURERS, UNDERWRITERS, CONSULTANTS OR OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES WHO GIVE RECOMMENDATIONS, DIRECTIONS, OR INSTRUCTIONS OR ENGAGE IN RISK EVALUATION OR LOSS CONTROL ACTIVITIES REGARDING THE PREMISES OR EVENT(S), THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES, WHOLESALERS, AFFILIATED CORPORATIONS, AND EACH OF THEM, AND THE DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYERS OF EACH OF THEM, ALL FOR THE PURPOSES HEREIN REFERRED TO AS THE "RELEASEES", FROM ALL LIABILITY to myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin for any and all loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of injury to the person or property or resulting in my death, whether caused by the negligence of the "RELEASEES", while I am in or upon the restricted area, and/or competing, officiating in, observing, working for or for any purpose participating in the Events.
2. I, Joe Driver, HEREBY AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE "RELEASEES" and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they may incur due to my presence in or upon the restricted area or in any way competing, officiating, observing, or working for, or for any purpose participating in the Events and whether caused by the negligence of the "RELEASEES".
3. I, Joe Driver, HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE DUE TO THE NEGLIGENCE OF "RELEASEES" while in or upon the restricted area and/or while competing, officiating, observing, or working for or for any purpose participating in the Events. I also expressly acknowledge that INJURIES RECEIVED MAY BE COMPOUNDED OR INCREASED BY NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS OR PROCEDURES OF THE "RELEASEES".

I, Joe Driver, expressly acknowledge and agree that the activities in the Events are very dangerous and involve the risk of serious injury and/or death and/or property damage and that my heirs and next of kin have been so advised. I Joe Driver, further expressly agree that the foregoing release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law of the Province or State in which the Events is conducted and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is Agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. All rights and obligations of this membership, if granted, are specific to the individual applicant executing this membership application.

I, Joe Driver, HAVE READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNED THIS 2021 ANNUAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT for Events between January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021, and further agrees that no oral representations, statements or inducements apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made.



**Confirmation of Acknowledgement**

Joe Driver  
Wednesday, January 13, 2021 2:58:02 PM  
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# 2021 COVID-19 HIPAA AUTHORIZATION FOR THE USE AND DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION

Joe Driver

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This Authorization Form describes different uses and disclosures of health information, including as protected under applicable state and provincial law and also "protected health information" as defined by the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA") and the regulations promulgated thereunder. Unless otherwise revoked by me in writing, this Authorization expires on December 31, 2021 ("Expiration Date"). I Joe Driver , hereby authorize the following uses and disclosures of my Health Information, as defined below, and as permitted or required by law:

- A. **General:** I, Joe Driver , specifically authorize and direct any physician, healthcare provider, hospital or other healthcare facility who provided or is providing assessment, diagnosis, care, treatment or services to me prior to execution of this Authorization and/or any time after execution of this Authorization up to the Expiration Date, including their agents, employees and medical staff (collectively "Health Care Provider") to release my "Health Information" (as defined below) to (1) the IMSA Medical Liaison Department and/or their designated agents and employees (collectively "Medical Liaison Department"); and/or (2) IMSA, their affiliates, agents, employees and consultants (collectively "IMSA") about me regarding assessment, diagnosis, care or treatment of COVID-19 (including, but not limited to negative/positive diagnosis, testing, test results, status and treatment), if applicable. "Health Information" is defined as: the full and complete medical record; notes; reports; data; test results; documents related to examination or treatment for COVID-19; assessments; diagnoses; prognoses; medications and prescriptions; healthcare providers and facilities who previously provided treatment to me, and that it may include information and records protected under applicable state and provincial law and federal law.
  - B. **Discussion Permitted:** I, Joe Driver , specifically authorize and direct any Health Care Provider to discuss, clarify or explain my Health Information with the Medical Liaison Department upon their request, for the purposes of safety, quality assurance/quality improvement, and/or for my assessment, treatment or care.
  - C. **Disclosure by Medical Liaison for Certain Purposes:** I, Joe Driver , authorize the Medical Liaison Department to use and disclose my Health Information in their possession to the following ( ) physicians, health care providers, hospitals, infield care centers, state and local health departments, and other health care facilities or medical providers for purposes of my assessment, care and treatment; and/or IMSA, and outside experts, physicians or consultants retained by any of them, for purposes of safety and quality assurance/improvement and making assessments and recommendations related to quality or safety. I, Joe Driver , understand the Medical Liaison Department coordinators and consulting physicians are not direct treatment providers, they are present at the racetracks to facilitate the sharing of information.
- I, Joe Driver , understand that I, Joe Driver , have the right to revoke this Authorization in writing at any time by notifying, as applicable, the disclosing Health Care Provider and/or Medical Liaison Department. I, Joe Driver , understand that the revocation is only effective after it is received. I, Joe Driver , understand that any use or disclosure made prior to the revocation in reliance on this Authorization will not be affected by a subsequently received revocation. I, Joe Driver , understand that once Health Information is disclosed pursuant to this Authorization, it may be re-disclosed by the recipient, and federal or applicable state or provincial law might not protect it. I, Joe Driver , understand a health care provider, hospital or health facility may not condition my treatment on whether this Authorization is signed. I, Joe Driver , understand that IMSA rules and policies will govern whether I, Joe Driver , may participate in any IMSA-sanctioned event if I, Joe Driver , choose to revoke this Authorization. I, Joe Driver , have read this Authorization, I, Joe Driver , understand what it says, and any questions of mine have been answered to my satisfaction. I, Joe Driver , understand that I, Joe Driver , am entitled to receive a copy of this Authorization, and I, Joe Driver , allow a photocopy to be deemed valid as a signed original.

**Confirmation of Acknowledgement**

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## APPENDIX B: LIME ROCK PARK OPERATIONS PROTOCOL SPECIFICS

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### Lime Rock Park | July 16 – 17

- Lime Rock Park specific protocols:
  - No temperature checks or health screenings required upon entry.
  - While outdoors... If fully vaccinated, masks are not required while outdoors. Masks are recommended outdoors if unvaccinated.
  - While indoors... If fully vaccinated, masks are not required while indoors. Masks are required indoors if unvaccinated.
  - In the Media Center... If fully vaccinated, masks are not required. Masks are required in the Media Center if unvaccinated.
- Event Roster, screening, and event access summary:
  - Event access is restricted to Essential Personnel/Guests only.
  - Essential Personnel /Guests must be declared on an Event Roster.
  - Only participants with a valid Annual Credential or SEC are eligible to be placed on an Event Roster.
  - Participants must complete HIPPA Waiver, COVID-19 Waiver, and event COVID-19 Questionnaire.
  - Upon completion, participant will receive a text approving event entry.
  - Approved participants must have, and be prepared to display, their approval text along with an Annual Credential or SEC to gain event access.
- In addition to CDC, state, local government, and venue specific mask requirements and/or recommendations, IMSA recommends every participant to always wear a mask when indoors.
- Fan attendance will be present in all areas of the facility, including the paddock, throughout the event.
- For international traveling participants, COVID-19 testing will be available off-site at Sharon Hospital in Sharon, CT (located less than 10 miles from the track). Specifics on this off-site testing opportunity will be distributed soon.