COVID-19 PROTOCOL



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Foreword:

COVID-19 rules and regulations have been lifted in most of the countries in the world, the virus still remains a major concern for all mass events, due to it's unpredictable nature.

European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022 Organising Committee has adopted the following COVID-19 protocol:

General COVID-19 Rules in Republic of Türkiye

Currently, wearing facemasks is only required in medical facilities and pharmacies. There are no other COVID-19 rules and regulations in force at the territory of Türkiye.

The COVID-19 rules and regulations that are currently applied in Türkiye can be checked at the page of Türkiye Ministry of Health: https://www.saglik.gov.tr/?_Dil=2

Arriving in Republic of Türkiye

All COVID-19 travel restrictions are lifted in Türkiye. providing proof of vaccination, recovery from COVID-19 or a negative test result is not required to enter the country.

Registration for European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022

Upon arriving in Istanbul, all participants will be required to provide a written statement confirming the fullfilment of the vaccination requirements for their participation (vaccination, recovery from COVID-19 or exemption from vaccination for medical reasons). The statement is attached to this document.

Failing to provide the statement will result in person not being registered and not being able to participate in European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022.

The Organizing Committee and EUSA are not responsible for the effects of the infection of SARS CoV-2 during the games.

General sanitary rules

All participants are obligated to follow the COVID-19 rules and regulations currently in force at the territory of Türkiye.

European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022 COVID-19 Regulations

1. Venues

During sports events, educational and official side-events, as well as opening and closing ceremonies, there will be no additional COVID-19 rules in force, if unless they will be introduced by the Türkiye Ministry of Health.

2. Accommodation and catering areas

There will be no additional COVID-19 rules in force at the accommodation and catering areas during European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022, if unless they will be introduced by the Türkiye Ministry of Health.

3. COVID Manager

During the European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022, the Organising Committee will nominate a person in charge for resolving all the COVID-19 related issues.

COVID-19 rules and regulations for participants

4. Vaccination requirements for Participants

Participants are required to be vaccinated against COVID-19. Exemption applies to the participants who have recovered from COVID-19, and to the participants who are exempt from vaccination for medical reasons.

The fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above is defined by the legislation of the residence country of each participant.

All participants must comply to the host country guidelines and regulations related to COVID-19.

5. Spectators

All the spectators of European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022 sports events must obey general COVID-19 rules at the time of the sports events.

6. In case of COVID-19 symptoms

In case of COVID-19 symptoms, the participant will be tested with Rapid Antigen Tests (RAT) at Yeditepe University Medical Center, located within campus in Istanbul.

Negative test result means that the participant can return to the competition in European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022, if it is still possible.

With a positive test result, the participant will be moved to the isolation room, located within the accommodation area. Standard isolation period is seven days, but it is possible to shorten this time; firstly, with negative RAT test results taken 48 hours from the first test. Secondly with negative RAT test results taken after the second test according to the doctor's recommendation. In both cases negative result means isolation will be lifted.

The person who received negative test that shortens the time of isolation can return to the competition in European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022, if it is still possible.

During the isolation period the person may not leave the room for other than hygienic and physiological needs. Food and beverages will be delivered directly to the isolated person.

Current regulations in force do not impose an obligation for isolated person's team members to be put in quarantine/isolation.

In case the isolation period is longer than the period of planned stay in Türkiye at European Universities Rowing Championship Istanbul 2022, the costs of food and accommodation must be covered by the isolated person.

Failing to comply to the isolation regulations will result in fine of 1000 EUR.

Click and download this link to view or download the COVID-19 statement if needed.