



Amendments to the IJF COVID-19 Protocol (v. 10 February 2022)

In addition to the amendments published on 12 May 2022 the following changes (updates in red) apply from the Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam (24 - 26 June 2022).

Continental unions and national federations may apply with immediate effect.

2.2 IJF COVID-19 Specific Conditions of Participation

All participants, whether they are delegation members or staff, international or local, MUST:

C) Always wear a mask. Exceptions: masks are not obligatory on the Field of Play tatami, in the coach box, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up or on the training tatami whilst training, or while eating in designated dining areas.

Updated to:

C) Respect the mask wearing rules of the events. Mask wearing is obligated only during transport from the airport to the bubble (before event testing) and in areas designated in the event outlines as per the host country regulations (e.g., in the doping control room), otherwise it is generally optional*.

*The IJF Medical Commission still recommend the wearing of masks in areas where social distancing is not possible, e.g., during air travel, in hotel lobby, etc.

Further softening of the IJF COVID-19 Protocol is at 90% or higher vaccination level. We strongly encourage all Judo Family members to get vaccinated or get their booster dose to contribute to the overall protection level of the IJF World Judo Tour events.



APPENDIX 1 - DELEGATIONS' TESTING PROTOCOL

The following protocol is generally for shorter (2-3 days long) events. For longer events, like the World Championships, the IJF may impose additional testing duly announced in the respective event outlines.

Athletes (competitors & judoka**)	
Timeline	Action
<p>VACCINATED¹ up to 6 months or booster /MINORS with vaccination / RECOVERED* (max. 6 months)</p> <p>Arrival and entry to event bubble</p>	<p>Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test.</p> <p>Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 rapid antigen test. (If permitted by the host country's regulation, otherwise 1 PCR test and quarantine until negative result received).</p> <p>Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.</p>
<p>NON-VACCINATED/ with expired VACCINATION (older than 6 months, no booster)</p> <p>Arrival and entry to event bubble</p>	<p>Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test.</p> <p>Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test***. (Quarantine until negative result received).</p> <p>Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test</p>

*RECOVERED is a person who has served their quarantine period as per their country regulation after an infection withing the past max. 6 months to the arrival to the bubble. A dated positive PCR test, a positive antigen test or recovery certificate must be uploaded to my.ijf.org.

**Judoka (sparring partners) need to be re-tested along with the 1st day competitors or as per their arrival to the event.

*** At events where all participants are tested at a central testing hub and then transferred to their hotels, an additional antigen test is also done.

¹Where the protection level is expressed by a fraction number, a quotient of the number of received doses / number of required doses, all with the sum higher than 1, eg. 2/1, 3/1, 3/2, etc. are considered having the booster dose. Please, indicate by selecting "3rd dose" in my.ijf.org



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All others (coaches, doctors etc.) except athletes	
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NON-VACCINATED/ with expired VACCINATION (older than 6 months, no booster) Arrival and entry to event bubble	Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test. Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test**. (Quarantine until negative result received).

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