KinkFest 2025 COVID POLICY

This COVID Policy is subject to change based on government mandates.

Policy last updated to reflect CDC GUIDELINES September 25, 2024

COVID VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

Attendees at KinkFest 2025 must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 **OR** must present proof of a negative COVID-19 molecular lab result from a test taken within 24 hours of the time of their onsite admission to KinkFest.

KinkFest is defining 'fully vaccinated' as one of the following:

HAVE RECEIVED VACCINATION PREVIOUS TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2024

- 2 original Moderna COVID-19 vaccine shots and any 1 booster shot
- 2 original Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine shots and any 1 booster shot
- 1 original Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine shot and any 1 booster shot

OR

IF FIRST VACCINATION RECEIVED AFTER SEPTEMBER 11, 2024

- 1 current 2024-2025 Moderna COVID-19 vaccine shot administered after September 11, 2024
- 1 current 2024-2025 Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine shot administered after September 11, 2024
- 1 dose of the 2024–2025 Novavax vaccine shot unless you are receiving a COVID-19 vaccine for the very first time. If you have never received any COVID-19 vaccine and you choose to get Novavax, you need 2 doses of 2024–2025 Novavax COVID-19 vaccine to be up to date.

Vaccinations must have been administered prior to April 4, 2025 to be considered valid.

PROOF OF COVID VACCINATION

Attendees who arrive at KinkFest without proof of COVID vaccination OR a valid negative PCR lab result from a test taken within 24 hours of first admission to KinkFest 2025, will not be allowed entry and their registration fee will not be refunded. Sufficient proof of vaccination status is a state/federally issued vaccine card, a legible photograph of a vaccine card, or a digital vaccine record. Oregon residents can obtain their COVID vaccination record at https://myelectronicvaccinecard.oregon.gov. Or search online using the state name and "COVID Vaccine Status."

PROOF OF NEGATIVE LAB RESULT

Sufficient proof of a negative lab result is a paper or digital copy of a molecular lab test result that shows a negative or non-reactive result for COVID-19, from a lab that includes the:

- Name of the lab
- Name of the health care provider
- Date of test within 24 hours prior to admittance on site at the conference
- Contact information (phone number and email address) of the lab, clinic or physician's office

*If you are not fully vaccinated by the above guidelines and have a medical condition that prevents you from being able to safely take a COVID lab test, please contact our Accessibility Team at accessibility@kinkfest.org.

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TEMPERATURE CHECKS & TESTING

KinkFest 2025 will not require daily temperature checks.

Attendees are encouraged to check their temperatures daily and refrain from attending if they present with an abnormally high temperature from their baseline or a temperature of 100.4 degrees or higher (as defined by the CDC). If an attendee becomes ill and tests positive for COVID-19, they will receive a prorated refund for the day(s) they are unable to attend, after proof of the positive COVID-19 molecular lab test result is sent to membership@kinkfest.org. Refunds may take up to two weeks to be reflected on your bank or credit card statement.

Daily testing for COVID-19 is optional but highly recommended as a way to care for our community. KinkFest encourages all attendees to test daily before arriving on site as a method of community care. Free tests can be ordered here.

Attendees that show proof of daily home testing will receive a special sticker prize each day provided by our Community Team!

MASKS

KinkFest encourages, but does not require, wearing N-95, KN-95, or surgical masks during KinkFest. KinkFest will provide masks in attendee swag bags.

COVID REFUND POLICY

KinkFest will offer full refunds from April 1 to April 18, 2025 with proof of a positive COVID-19 molecular lab test result dated April 1 to April 20, 2025. Attendees must email membership@kinkfest.org to request a refund or to donate their registration to cover admission for a work-study volunteer.

In the event the PLA or KinkFest changes the COVID policy without a government mandate, KinkFest will offer 95% refunds, for 30 days after attendees are notified of the policy change, to those who do not wish to comply with the COVID policy change. COVID policy changes mandated by the government will not change the KinkFest Refund Policy.

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