COVID-19 Protocols and Vaccination Requirements at Mount Snow

GRC continues to monitor venue and state-wide practices and update this page as often as possible.

GRC Current COVID-19 Policies and Procedures

To ensure the safety of venue and GRC staff, and each of our GRC communities, there are a few COVID-19 policies and procedures to keep in mind before your travels.

- Currently, GRC is requiring masks in all GRC spaces and the COVID-19 vaccination and booster for all attendees and guests before attending the meeting. Masking is not mandated by the venue in public spaces, but it is required by GRC in conference spaces.
- GRC recommends that you bring your own self-test kits to the venue to test when you arrive before joining to group to prevent any spread of COVID-19 through out the GRC community.
- It is important to know that should you test positive while on-site:
  - You will need to abide by the CDC recommendations regarding testing and isolation.
  - Unfortunately, GRC will not be able to provide you with a refund as once you are on site, GRC has incurred those expenses.
  - You will unfortunately, be unable to stream into the meeting has GRC does not have the capacity to do so.

While the policies listed here reflect those of the venue, GRC attendees are expected to follow guidelines as outlined by GRC above. GRC policies regarding masking and vaccination status will supersede those put in place by the venue when utilizing GRC event spaces.

Additional Health and Safety Practices in Place at Mount Snow

- Mount Snow is utilizing the best practices as set forth by the CDC for cleaning and disinfection, including utilizing hospital-grade disinfectants and regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces. The hotel also utilizes enhanced cleaning technologies like electrostatic sprayers for sanitizing.
- Hand sanitizer stations are available at hotel entrances, front desks, elevators and in meeting spaces.
- Face masks are no longer required indoors.
- Guests ages 12 and over will be required to show proof of COVID-19 vaccinations to dine at our indoor, on-mountain quick-service (cafeteria-style) restaurants.
  - Vermont’s COVID-19 Testing Information
    - Some individuals may be required to take a COVID-19 test prior to departure back to their institution.
      - Appointments can be made at a local Walgreens and transportation is available from Mount Snow via the MOOver shuttle. Address: Walgreens 107 E Main St. Wilmington, Vermont 05363
        - Book Appointment Here
      - Southwestern Vermont Medical Center in Bennington, VT. There is no public transportation offered to Bennington. Testing available Monday-Saturday 8am-12pm.
    - More Information on local testing sites can be found by clicking here.
  - Information regarding international travel to the United States can be found here.
ARRIVAL AND CHECK-IN

Logan Airport (BOS): Located 131 miles east of West Dover.

GRC Chartered Bus: You can reserve a spot on the bus through your MyGRC account and find details about the bus [here](#) and [click here](#) to see what Concord Coach is doing to protect you.

Rental Car: [Click here](#) for GRC’s discounted rates with Enterprise or National Rental Car. [Enterprise has a Clean Car Pledge](#) to combat the spread of COVID-19.

GRC Check-in is from 2:00 pm – 9:00 pm in Raponda South.

- Visit the front desk if you arrive outside of standard check-in hours.
- GRS check-in is from 2:00pm—5:00pm on Saturday.

The GRC office is located in Raponda South.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND HOTEL AMENITIES

Conferees stay in standard guest rooms with one or two queen beds.

- Air-conditioned
- Non-smoking
- Private Bathrooms
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the hotel.
- Coffee / tea in room.
- Hairdryer

Mount Snow’s Commitment to You

As of September 7, 2021 Mount Snow will be requiring masks for all employees and guests at all times while indoors regardless of vaccination status.

Amenities:

- Fitness center
- Spa
- Hiking, biking, volleyball
- Grass fields for sports games
- Business Center
- Laundry on-site
- Mobility accessible rooms
- On-site parking

PLANNING YOUR VISIT

Dress is Casual

Bring a relaxed wardrobe and comfortable shoes. Please check the weather forecast as your meeting is being held in the Fall instead of our usual Summer season. Plan to bring a raincoat, light jacket and warmer clothes for outside activities.

Activities

Once you arrive on-site, you can sign up for various activities such as paint class, chairlift rides, beer tasting, and a boat tour of Harriman’s Reservoir.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

All GRC conferees are required to wear a mask in conference spaces, and provide proof of vaccination prior to their arrival on site. Social distancing practices will also be followed to the fullest extent available.

Mount Snow has on-site medical facilities and is located within 30 minutes of hospital facilities.

COVID-19 Safety Recommendations

Vermont is fully open and all COVID-19 restrictions have been lifted.

[Click here for information from Vermont.](#)

MEALS

All meals are served buffet style in the Deerfield Function Room.

Vegetarian and gluten-free selections are available at all meals. Kosher meals (with two weeks advance notice) are available at the venue for an additional cost.

SCIENCE AND POSTER SESSIONS

Science Sessions are held in Somerset Ballroom.

Poster Sessions are held in Somerset East—attached to the Somerset Ballroom.

Poster board dimensions are 4 feet x 4 feet.

DEPARTURES

Breakfast is available on Friday morning from 7:30 am to 8:30 am. Hotel check-out is at 10:00 am.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS ARE AVAILABLE AT WWW.GRC.ORG