

# **COVID-19 Protocols and Vaccination Requirements at Salve Regina University**

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 Salve Regina University**

- Salve Regina requires all members of its community, including students, faculty and staff, obtain a COVID-19 vaccine for the 2021-2022 academic year and booster for the spring semester.
- Multiple hand sanitizing stations all around campus.
- Masks are currently not required.

## **Rhode Island's Regulations and Information**

- Indoor and outdoor catered events are permitted to open to 100% capacity.
- Masks are no longer required indoors.
- [Information on reopening Rhode Island here.](#)
- Information regarding international travel to the United States can be found [here.](#)

# GRC at SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY

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## ARRIVAL AND CHECK-IN

**Logan Airport (BOS):** Located 76 miles north of Newport  
**T.F. Green (PVD):** Located 29 miles north of Newport

**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 O'Hare Academic Building, Room 103.

- If you arrive after the GRC Office is closed, please report to the security office located in Tobin Hall on Webster Street
- GRS check-in is from 2:00pm—5:00pm on Saturday

**The GRC office** is located in O'Hare Academic Building, Room 103.

## ACCOMMODATIONS AND AMENITIES

**Conferees stay in suites with single or double occupancy dorm rooms with twin beds.**

- Air-conditioning in some rooms
- Non-smoking
- Residence hall rooms with shared bathrooms down the hall
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout campus
- Linens, towels, soap, shampoo and drinking cup provided

### Salve's Commitment to You

The University has been testing and monitoring the population and continue provide new policies for social distancing and hygiene practices. They continue to monitor the COVID-19 protocols on a two-week basis.



### Amenities:

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| • Fitness Center                   | • On-site parking                         |
| • Volleyball and basketball courts | • Complimentary laundry available on-site |
| • Soccer and baseball fields       | • Mobility accessible rooms               |
| • Fishing and biking               |   |



## PLANNING YOUR VISIT

### Dress is Casual

Bring a relaxed wardrobe and comfortable shoes. Please check the weather forecast and plan to bring a raincoat and or light jacket for outside activities.

### Activities

Once you arrive on-site, you can sign up for various on-site and off-site activities.



## HEALTH AND SAFETY

**Salve is located within 5 minutes of hospital facilities.**

### COVID-19 Safety Recommendations

Cloth face coverings are no longer required indoors if you are fully vaccinated.

[Information on reopening Rhode Island here](#)

## MEALS

All meals are served buffet style in Miley Hall.

Vegetarian and gluten free selections are provided at all meals. Kosher meals are available at the venue with advanced notice.

## SCIENCE AND POSTER SESSIONS

**Science Sessions** are held in Bazarzky Lecture Hall in O'Hare Academic Building

**Poster Sessions** are held in the O'Hare Academic Building. 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](http://WWW.GRC.ORG)**