



## Judo Victoria COVID SAFE Event Plan 2021

This Plan is to be read in conjunction with:

- the Victorian Government Community Sport and Recreation Plan.
- with the directions issued by the Victorian Chief Health Officer
- Be consistent with the current level of sport recreation activity allowed.
- The Judo Victoria COVID Safe Return to Play plan
- JV events fall under Tier 3 in the State Government Event COVID Safe Rules
- As a Tier 3 event, we don't have to submit our COVID Safe Event plan to the Government for every event. We only need one plan to cover all tournaments and events.
- JV has to submit an online checklist with the State Government.  
This has been done- Receipt No.1243
- Links with current information  
<https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/public-events>

Government Guidelines are being updated on a regular basis. Our policy will be updated to reflect changes in COVID Safe Event Guidelines.

### **1. The Tournament Director must identify key volunteers who are responsible for implementing this plan.**

- Sandy Hollingworth Tournament Director.
- The Tournament Director will nominate official COVID Marshals, deliver an Induction process and provide identifying vests.
- Anyone not following protocols or directions by COVID Marshals will be asked to leave and may be subject to disciplinary actions.
- There will be separate Entry and Exit points for Judo at venue.
- Club Coaches are responsible for any COVID-19 issues for athletes in their club
- Admin Officer Robyn Dawson to maintain JVI QR register
- Staff for entry control to check temperatures, ensure that all participants and spectators register with QR codes and have masks.
- All entries to be paid before the event on line.
- Spectators can pay for entry with cash. The advice from the government and the ANZ Bank is that there is no ban on collecting cash. It is a matter of personal preference. The volunteer taking the cash must have a mask and rubber gloves, and minimise contact.
- COVID Marshals to make sure that the mats are cleaned and disinfected every 2 hours or a minimum of twice a day.
- Additional cleaning of visible soiled areas should be as required.
- Providing written instructions for volunteers before the event and an induction process for new volunteers.
- Ensuring that the tournament notices include statements that if anyone has any possible COVID symptoms they must NOT attend the event
- Anyone at the venue who experiences any COVID symptoms must report to COVID Marshals immediately

## 2. Ensuring Physical Distancing:

- Display signs for the foyer showing that the maximum number of people allowed in the venue is 482
- Displaying signs in the foyer and in the venue on rules for wearing a mask
- Displaying signs in the foyer and in the venue on physical distancing rules
- Displaying signs in the foyer and in the venue on personal hygiene
- Ensuring that seating at the venue is organised to support physical distancing.
- Maintain an isolation room for anyone that reports as having symptoms of COVID so that they can be held until they are safely exited.

## 3. Personal Hygiene

In the venue, everyone must wear a mask.

Competitors are not required to wear a mask while warming up or competing, but should wear a mask to and from the mat.

During contests, the Centre Referee is not required to wear a mask but the table referees and officials that have to sit close together must wear masks.

- At a minimum high touch surfaces must be cleaned and disinfected at least twice a day
- Scales are to be disinfected
- Athletes must be aware of personal hygiene requirements
- Athletes must sanitise their hands before competing and before warming up.
- All competitors must have clean uniforms. If uniform is soiled during a contest they must have a clean uniform for the next fight.
- Additional cleaning of visible soiled areas must be done as required.
- JVI will provide hygiene stations with sanitiser
- Ensure that the toilets are clean, working and have soap and running water
- Display signs on physical distancing for patrons queuing for the entry for the venue, weigh ins, toilets etc.
- Workers must have access to masks and rubber gloves throughout the day

## 4. Catering

- Ensure that caterers, if any, have a copy of the COVID Safe Event Plan and their requirements.
- Signs to remind patrons about the rules for physical distancing when queuing
- Food should be individually packaged to avoid unnecessary contact.

**Sandy Hollingworth**

Tournament Director and Committee



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