**ATTENTION:**

The Pennsylvania State University requires adherence to its policies at all times while on Penn State property or attending University events. Penn State has issued rules and precautions which follow, or may in some cases exceed, guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) issued in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. By attending or participating in this program, event, or activity, you agree to adhere to such guidance and policies, you acknowledge the risk of being exposed to or infected by COVID-19, and you assume any and all such risk.

As of [July 7, 2022](https://virusinfo.psu.edu/), this guidance includes basic health, safety, and sanitation measures (staying home when sick, washing/sanitizing hands often, etc.) in addition to **wearing a face mask while in healthcare facilities and** [**certain research facilities and labs**](https://virusinfo.psu.edu/faq/story/what-is-the-masking-policy-for-in-person-human-subjects-research/)**.**

Per CDC guidance, **Penn State may impose additional or alternative requirements, including masking at certain locations**, depending on community spread at the Program’s location. **You agree to comply with any directive from Penn State representatives regarding masking or other mitigation measures while participating in the Program.**

**You must adhere to these protocols regardless of vaccination status**.

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