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# COVID-19 Safety Protocols





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- In compliance with Swiss COVID regulations, a proof of **COVID-19 status will be requested daily during the duration of the Fuel Forum to enter event premises**. Please have ready your [Swiss COVID certificate](#) or [EU Digital COVID Certificate for the required check](#).
- **Face masks<sup>1</sup> covering the nose and mouth will be required in all common areas of the hotel**. Exceptions are for attendees in Fuel Forum exclusive areas when minimum social distancing can be observed. Face masks can be requested from the Fuel Forum registration desk.
- **Best practices**
  - Avoid greetings with contact like kisses, handshakes or hugs.
  - Always maintain recommended social distancing.
  - Wash your hands frequently. Alcohol-based hand-sanitizers will be readily available in all venues.
  - Cover your mouth and nose with your elbow or tissue when coughing or sneezing.
- **COVID-19 isolation and contact tracing**
  - If you feel unwell with flu symptoms, notify the IATA staff<sup>2</sup> and get tested immediately, isolate in your room until your test results are known, and seek medical advice if your test result is positive.
  - If someone who attended the event tests positive for COVID-19, this will be reported immediately to public health officials to determine notifications and contact tracing.
- **Event space cleaning and handling of food & beverages**. The Hilton Geneva Hotel & Conference Centre adheres to Hilton's [CleanStay® and EventReady® standards](#). These include the following practices, among others:
  - All event spaces and common hotel areas, including “high touch” surfaces, are disinfected regularly.
  - Conference room layout has been rearranged, and meal services customized to facilitate observing social distancing.
  - Used and unused dishes and cutlery are always washed at over 60°C.
  - Employees must:
    - wear an approved face covering at all times.
    - keep a social distance of 1.5 meters whenever possible.
    - disinfect hands before dressing tables and handling clean dishes, and after clearing them.

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<sup>1</sup> The following will not be allowed as face masks: face coverings not properly secured, face masks with exhalation valves, bandanas, neck gaiters, mesh material masks, damaged face masks.

<sup>2</sup> IATA contact: Email [kuepera@iata.org](mailto:kuepera@iata.org) or SMS/WhatsApp/Call +41 79 566 73 05

- **Testing:**

- Rapid antigen self-test kits will be available on request at the Fuel Forum registration desk for delegates wanting to carry out a daily self-test.
- For purposes such as obtaining a Swiss COVID certificate (valid for only 48 hours or 72 hours depending on the type of test), pre-departure testing, or testing to verify the cause of symptoms, there is a testing center at Geneva Airport, in the vicinity of the Hilton Hotel:

- **m3 SANITRADE** at Geneva Airport. The testing centre is located at Terminal T2 of Geneva Airport, in front of parking area P51. The centre performs both Nasopharyngeal and Saliva PCR tests, as well as Rapid Antigen Tests. At this centre, Rapid Antigen Test results are available within 15 minutes and PCR test results are available within 24 hours. The centre is open from 06:00 am to 07:00 pm, 7 days a week. We strongly recommend booking an appointment to avoid significant queuing times, either [online](#) or by phone (+41 22 809 07 35).

