



****Important change in COVID-19 Health and Safety Procedures****
Starting Monday, October 25,
all participants over 12 will need to show
proof of vaccination, or proof of a negative
COVID-19 test, each and every time they enter
an SPR facility, community center, or pool.

Dear facility renters,

Last month, our Mayor and King County Health Officer [announced that as of October 25](#), proof of vaccination will be required for entry to all restaurants and recreation facilities. This includes Seattle Parks and Recreation (SPR) facilities, community centers, pools, and rental venues.

What does this mean for you?

As a renter, or potential renter, of an SPR facility you will be required to check proof of vaccination for all those attending your event held in an SPR facility.

This will apply to ALL who enter the building in attendance or in service of your event.

Here are guidelines on how to verify the vaccination status of those who attend your event:

For visitors ages 12 and above, you will check for the following acceptable forms of vaccination upon each entry to a recreation facility:

- [CDC vaccination card](#) or photo of vaccine card.
- Documented proof of vaccination from medical record or vaccine provider.
- Printed certificate or QR code (available at the end of September) from [MyIRMobile.com](#).

You do **not** need to show identification with proof of vaccination.

People who are unvaccinated or cannot prove vaccination status will be required to show proof of a negative PCR COVID-19 test taken in the last 72 hours. Documentation must be from a testing agent such as a laboratory, health care provider, or pharmacy. Self-administered rapid tests (also called a home test) will **not** be accepted.

Vaccination exemptions cannot be accepted. Proof of a negative test can be shown for those who cannot be vaccinated.

Masks are recommended.

What if I don't want to ask, or don't feel comfortable asking, my guests for proof of their COVID-19 vaccination?

At this time we cannot rent SPR facilities to anyone who is not willing to verify the vaccination of their guests.

This King County requirement does not apply to outdoor events that are smaller than 500 people, and we may be able to accommodate your event outdoors if you are not willing to verify vaccination. Please visit Public Health – Seattle/King County's [website for more information](#) on this county requirement.

For questions about which programs this will apply to, please talk to your event scheduling staff. For any other questions about this policy, please visit this website <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/current-guidance/verify.aspx>, or contact Public Health - Seattle King County at their COVID-19 Call Center, 206-477-3977.

Thank you for your compliance with this new health standard that will keep us all safe.