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This guideline shall be executed by relevant individuals and public/private entities under the supervision of their supervisory entities. Under article 3 (Obligation to cooperate) of Law no. 2/2004 – "Law on the Prevention, Control and Treatment of Infectious Diseases", to achieve the target of prevention, control and treatment of infectious diseases, individuals and public/private entities are obligated to closely cooperate with their supervisory entities, and comply with the orders and guidelines issued by their supervisory entities according to the law. This guideline is without prejudice to any more concrete or stringent orders/guidelines set out by relevant supervisory entities in light of the actual circumstances.

In view that population gathering and face-to-face contact are important factors for the transmission of the novel coronavirus, this guideline is formulated with an aim to reduce the risk of spreading the disease during conferences, lectures, examinations and similar collective events.

(I) Management of Participants

- 1.1. If all individuals in the event (including staff, participants, etc.) have completed the full primary series of COVID-19 vaccine for 14 days (for inactivated or mRNA vaccines, the primary vaccination course consists of 2 doses) or hold a negative report of COVID-19 nucleic acid test within 48 hours, a venue capacity of 75% of the normal capacity would be allowed; otherwise, the capacity of the venue should be limited to 50% of the normal capacity or below.
- 1.2. Take body temperature for all individuals entering the venue and require them to submit the Macao Health Code. Decline admission of any person presenting with fever or respiratory symptoms.
- 1.3. Display the "Venue QR Code" at the entrance for residents to scan for the purpose of visit recording upon their entry.
- 1.4. Require all participants to wear a mask throughout the collective events.
- 1.5. A minimum distance of 1 metre should always be maintained from others.



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- 1.6. Should there be a large number of participants, it is advised to stagger the times of participants entering and leaving the venue; if conditions allow, it is recommended to adjust the entrance-exit according to practical situation in order to avoid overcrowding at the entrance-exit.
- 1.7. Line up participants in an open space with an arm's length distance apart from each other wherever possible upon admission.
- 1.8. Arrange separate spaces for different organizations to avoid intermingling of members of different organizations as much as possible.
- 1.9. Avoid arranging meal gatherings as far as possible; if inevitable, observe the measures stipulated in "Prevent Novel Coronavirus Pneumonia Points to Note for Organizing or Attending Meal Gathering Events".
- 1.10.A signage should be put up in the venue to remind participants to observe personal hygiene and not to assemble; advise assembling crowds to disperse or leave.
- 1.11.In event that a large number of participants feel unwell, notify the organizers and the Centre for Disease Prevention and Control of the Health Bureau.

(II) Environmental Hygiene

- 2.1 Increase the frequency of cleaning and disinfection of equipment and articles in the venue, particularly the surfaces of tables, seats, toilets and frequently touched areas;
- 2.2 A distance of at least 1 metre should be maintained between seats; clean and disinfect them with 1:00 diluted bleach solution after each use.
- 2.3 Wherever possible, avoid sharing of equipment and tools; otherwise, clean and disinfect them with 1:00 diluted bleach solution after each use.
- 2.4 Toilets should be furnished with adequate liquid soap, as well as disposable paper towels or a functioning hand dryer.
- 2.5 Alcohol-based sanitizers should be made available wherever appropriate, particularly at the entrances to the venue, for use by attendees.
- 2.6 Maintain adequate fresh air supply indoors; if air conditioners are used, the fresh air and filtration systems should be maintained in good operation, cleaned and disinfected properly.



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For more guidelines on personal hygiene, environmental cleaning and disinfection, air-conditioning and others, please visit the Special Webpage Against Epidemics: https://www.ssm.gov.mo/PreventCOVID-19

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