

BALKAN U18 ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS KRALJEVO 2021

Medical Clearance and Sanitary Protocol

General information

- ▶ In order to be able to host the next edition of Balkan U18 Athletics Championships, the Local Organizing Committee (LOC), in agreement with the Republic of Serbia Ministry of Health and ABAF, developed the following set of mandatory sanitary and medical rules and procedures. By registering (or being registered) for the Event, you (or the person you are registering) agree(s) and commit(s) to strictly follow these rules and procedures. Violation of these rules and procedures may result in sanctions such as the revocation of issued accreditation and prohibition of attending the Event.
- ▶ Note: the sanitary and medical clearance procedures described in this document may change in accordance with the development of the COVID-19 pandemic situation in the Republic of Serbia. Updates to the document will be communicated in due time.

Sanitary Rules

- ▶ Wearing a **surgical or FFP2** mask covering the mouth and nose is always obligatory, except:
 - ▶ Social distancing of minimum 1.5 m - 2 m shall be strictly always applied (except in specific cases where it is not possible to maintain this policy (e.g. medical treatment, competition flow, etc.)).
 - ▶ Hand hygiene must be maintained with regular hand washing and the use of disinfectants.
 - ▶ When seated at a table to have a meal (one must wear a mask if she/he leaves the table for any reason, even for a short period of time);
 - ▶ When eating/drinking.

APPLICABLE TO ATHLETES ONLY

- ▶ When competing (until the athletes are in the field of play and before entering the Mixed Zone it is strongly recommended to wear a face mask);
- ▶ While doing active physical exercises during warm-up and training.

What is allowed on-site



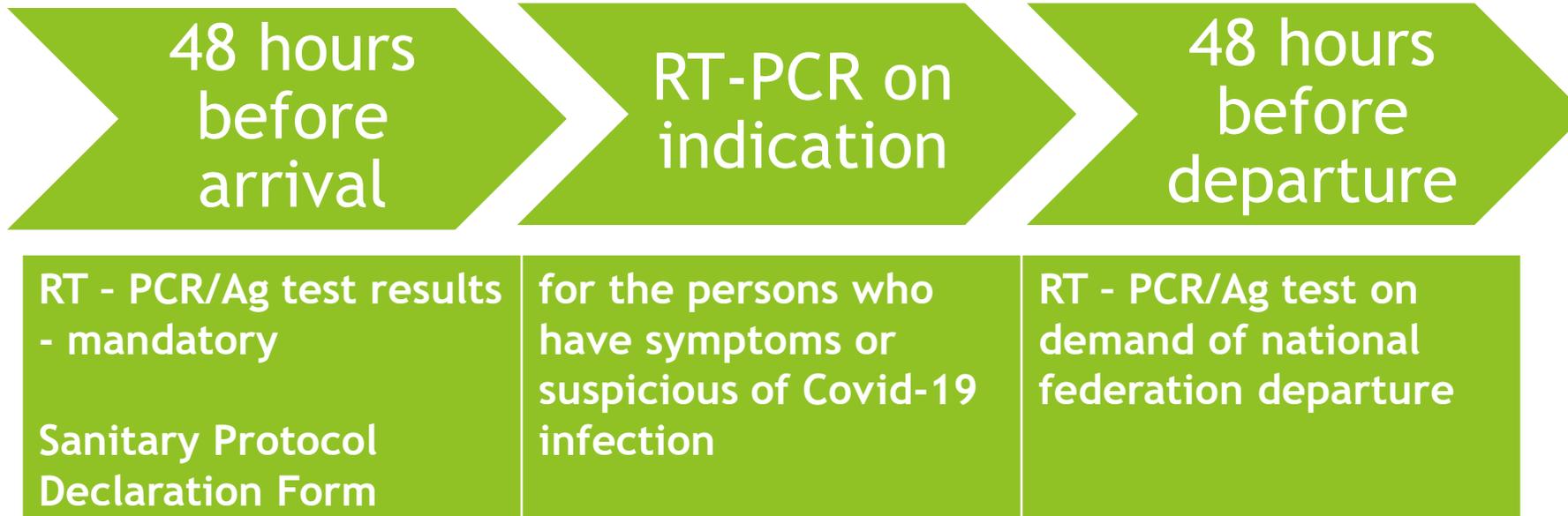
Going to the Stadium for training and competition



Going back to the hotel after training and competition

Any other activity or behavior that might potentially result in a health risk is prohibited and LOC has the right to amend or cancel event access

COVID-19 CLEARANCE PROTOCOL



This protocol APPLIES TO EVERYONE, regardless of any previous COVID-19 infection or vaccination !!!

STAGE 1 - upon arrival to Kraljevo (on participant's cost)



Swab collection to be done 48 hours before arrival (result to be in English)

- RT - PCR / Ag results 48 hours before arrival - hard copy must be submitted to the Hotel Accreditation Desk
- Sanitary Protocol Declaration Form - hard copy must be submitted to the Hotel Accreditation Desk
- Passport copy

STAGE 2 - On site protocol

- ▶ HAND SANITATION
- ▶ SOCIAL DISTANCING (minimum 1.5 m - 2 m)
- ▶ FACE MASKS ALL THE TIME (only surgical or FFP2 face masks)
- ▶ FOLLOWING ANY ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL

Suspicion of Covid-19: (on participant's cost)

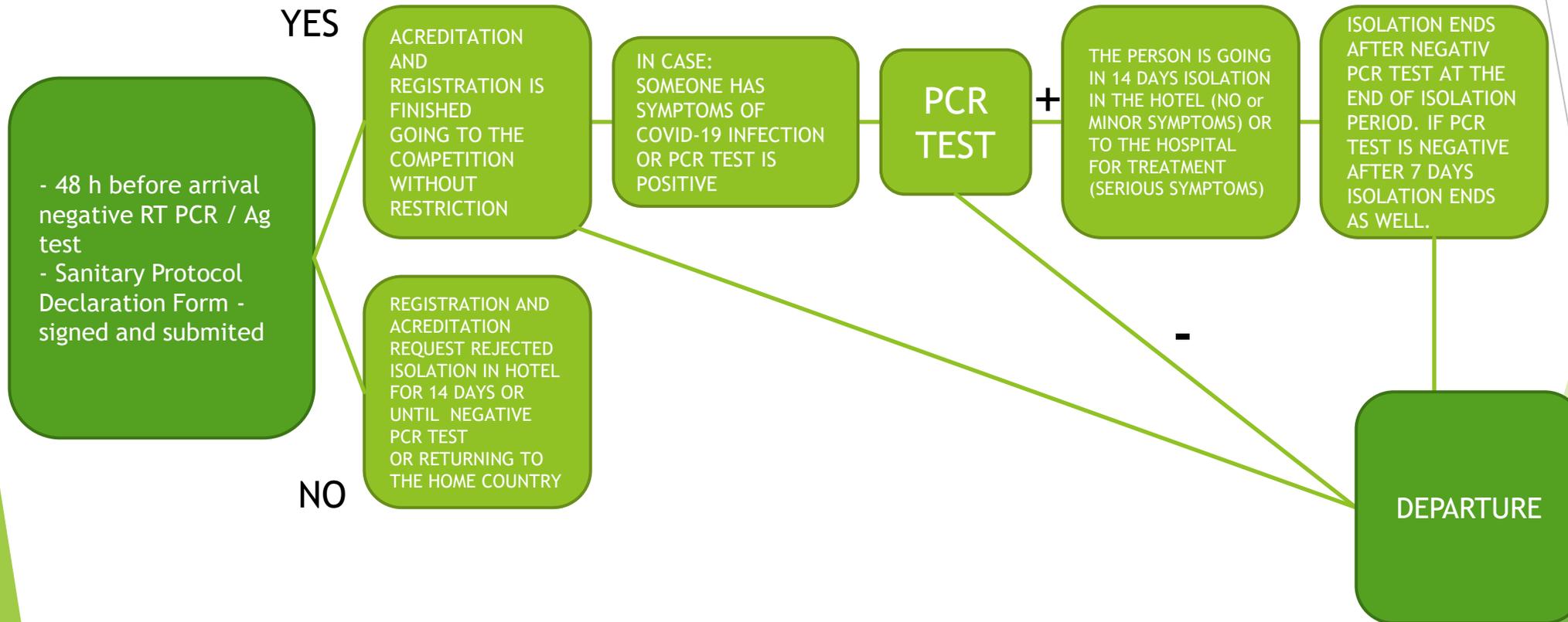
- ▶ MANDATORY ISOLATION
- ▶ MEDICAL EXAMINATION
- ▶ RT-PCR TEST PERFORMED (in case of a Covid suspicious case)

STAGE 3 (at the participant's cost)

- ▶ PCR test needed for the departure
 - the test must be ordered and paid before sample collection
 - test will be conducted at **Friday evening** in the hotel dedicated space
 - during testing ID and Accreditation must be shown
 - hard copies of the results will be given to the Team Leader

Covid-19 clearance protocol

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CONTACT TRACING

- ▶ All people that have been in close contact with a person with detected Covid-19 infection will be tested as well.
- ▶ Definition of close contacts:
 - ▶ A person who shares accommodation or other confined space with confirmed case or spent more than 15 minutes with the positive case in enclosed space;
 - ▶ A person who had direct physical contact with a confirmed case (e.g. handshake);
 - ▶ A person who had face-to-face contact with a confirmed case that lasted more than 15 minutes at less than 2 m distance;

Mandatory measures

- ▶ Wear the face mask always - except for dining and drinking, training and during competition;
- ▶ Keep physical distance of minimum 1.5 m - 2 m all the time except in transportation and training and competition if necessary;
- ▶ High level of hygiene -often hand washing and hand disinfection
- ▶ Avoid all physical contact when possible (no handshakes, hugging etc.)

Victory Ceremony

- ▶ Athletes must wear the surgical or FFP2 mask during the Medal Ceremony.
- ▶ Face mask can be removed for taking pictures, but physical distance must be maintained

KEEP YOURSELF AND PEOPLE AROUND YOU
SAFE !!!

Good luck at the competition