

Guidelines for WBCA Volunteers

We understand that those who are not suffering from the virus, or who may have already recovered from the virus, may want to help. However, all volunteer activities should adhere to critical health and safety protocols in order to:

- Protect Volunteers
- Protect Attendees
- Protect Service Agencies

General Guidelines for Volunteers:

DO NOT attempt to volunteer if you have:

- Have experienced symptoms that could be related to COVID-19 in the last 10 days
- Been around anyone who has COVID-19 in the last 10 days

DO NOT consider volunteering if you live with or are in frequent contact with people in the higher-risk categories for the virus.

- DO use proper Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) if needed/provided for the task.

DO ask about any risk that may be associated with the task and DO NOT take part if you are uncomfortable with the level of risk.

DO practice universal infection control precautions.

- Sanitize your hands before, during, and after volunteering for at least 20 seconds. Cover your cough and sneezes in an appropriate and sanitary manner.
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DO clean and disinfect any used spaces thoroughly before and after, including table top surfaces and door knobs/handles.

WBCA will provide sufficient and accessible infection control supplies (e.g. hand-hygiene products, wipes and receptacles for their disposal) in all locations.

WBCA will make sure all volunteers understand any risks associated with the task you would like them to do and understand if they are not comfortable with that level of risk.

Guidelines for WBCA Vendors

We understand that those who are not suffering from the virus, or who may have already recovered from the virus, may want to be a WBCA vendor. However, all vendors should adhere to critical health and safety protocols in order to:

- Protect Volunteers
- Protect Attendees
- Protect Service Agencies

General Guidelines for Vendors:

DO NOT attend a WBCA event

- Have experienced symptoms that could be related to COVID-19 in the last 10 days
- Been around anyone who has COVID-19 in the last 10 days

- DO use proper Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and adhere to any local Health Department mandates.

- Sanitize your hands before, during, and after serving as a vendor at least 20 seconds. Cover your cough and sneezes in an appropriate and sanitary manner.

DO clean and disinfect any used spaces thoroughly before and after, including table top surfaces.