

## COVID Protocols for CTDS Mini Shows

**Due to COVID-19, CTDS plans to implement social distancing/face mask policies at the shows. CTDS also plans to operate under a CLOSED SHOW OFFICE to help protect exhibitors, staff, and officials.**

- Anyone who exhibits COVID-19 symptoms, has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks, or has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks cannot enter the competition grounds.  
**Exception:** Healthcare personnel who have treated patients using appropriate medical grade PPE during the course of performing professional duties are exempted from this restriction.
- All attendees are required to social distance by a minimum of six feet apart from each other.
- A facemask or face covering is required for all staff, officials, volunteers, and participants when not mounted on a horse.
- A CTDS member will patrol the barn areas to remind people to maintain social distancing and to wear facemasks.
- All entries **must be perfect**. No office visits will be allowed.
- Scratches and rider/horse changes will be communicated via text, email, and/or phone with the show office. Issues that need staff attention will be initiated by a phone call. Office and staff phone numbers will be posted throughout the facility.
- Stalls are not assigned. However, please create as much space as possible between different rider groups/barns.
- CTDS Management has the authority under USEF GR 702.1 and GR 914 to remove from the facility any person who does not comply with the regulations and requirements in effect at the competition.

Please know that CTDS does not wish to sound harsh. This is a novel virus, something that none of us have dealt with before. We are all learning together, and as we learn, we sometimes have to change practices. We are in this together as we strive to create a safe atmosphere to compete in this sport that we love.