



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
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HILL AIR FORCE BASE UTAH**

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL PERSONS ON HILL AFB AND GSUs

FROM: Installation Commander

SUBJECT: Revision #8 to COVID-19 Mitigation Measures (HPCON Alpha)

- References:
- (a) Under Secretary of Defense Memorandum, Updated Guidance for Mask and Screening Testing for all Department of Defense Installations and Other Facilities, 01 Mar 2022
  - (b) 75 ABW/CC Declaration of Public Health Emergency, 14 March 2022
  - (c) Deputy Secretary of Defense Memorandum, Updated Coronavirus Disease 2019 Guidance Related to Travel and Meetings, 24 September 2021
  - (d) Under Secretary of the Air Force Memorandum, Approval – Events With Less Than 250 Participants, 09 March 2022
  - (e) Under Secretary of Defense Memorandum, Tools to Mitigate the Threat of Omicron Variant of Coronavirus Disease 2019 in Department of Defense, 30 December 2021
  - (f) Installation Commander Memorandum, COVID-19 Mitigation Measures and Casual Social Gathering Directive, 22 February 2022

1. This memorandum rescinds and replaces Reference (f) and also provides Hill AFB-specific information pursuant to References (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e). Hill AFB will transition to Health Protection Condition Alpha effective immediately.

2. In September 2021, we made changes to the base's mitigation measures to account for the Delta variant. In January 2022 we had to make additional changes to account for the Omicron variant. Throughout February and March 2022, COVID-19 cases related to both variants dramatically declined. As such, COVID-19 mitigation measures will be adjusted as outlined below. Just like the last update, the above References remain in effect and these directives require all DoD personnel, dependents, contractors, retirees and guests on the installation to follow them. In cases where the DoD/MilDep and CDC guidance conflict, the DoD/MilDep guidance will take precedence.

3. **ALL INDIVIDUALS** regardless of vaccination status must continue to follow applicable CDC and DoD mask guidance as outlined in Reference (a) and (e). Specifically, IAW Reference (a), CDC's "Community Level" rubric will help determine mask-wear guidance. If masks are required, they must fit snug to the face to cover both the nose and mouth and conform to all current guidance from the CDC and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

a. **MEETINGS AND GATHERINGS:** IAW References (c) and (d) the Under Secretary of the Air Force has approved all DAF-sponsored in-person events with less than 250 participants, provided that all Force Health Protection actions commensurate with the local Health Protection Condition (HPCON) are followed. Installations will not host in-person events greater than 50 participants, absent the Under Secretary of the Air Force's approval, where the HPCON is at level CHARLIE or higher, or if DoD policy responsive to pandemic conditions changes to preclude the event.

b. **FITNESS CENTERS:** Will remain open and can resume all activities provided all patrons follow COVID-19 mitigation measures based on reference (a). Patrons violating these rules will receive one

chance to comply before the staff will direct them to leave for non-compliance. Patrons violating this rule will lose fitness center privileges for 30 days.

c. **SPORTS AND FITNESS-RELATED ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING UNIT PT):** All sports and fitness activities can resume provided all participants follow COVID-19 mitigation measures based on reference (a).

d. **CHAPEL:** Formal chapel services can continue provided all participants follow COVID-19 mitigation measures based on reference (a). Informal religious services including, but not limited to, bible study, fall under meetings and gatherings.

e. **HILL AEROSPACE MUSEUM:** The Museum is designated as a place of business where staff and Foundation members will continue to implement COVID-19 mitigation measures based on reference (a).

4. Installation wide functions/MWR events can resume with appropriate COVID-19 mitigation factors implemented based on reference (a).

5. The directives outlined above will remain in effect until rescinded. Direct any questions to 75 ABW Public Affairs by e-mailing [75ABW.PA@us.af.mil](mailto:75ABW.PA@us.af.mil).

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