

Conditions for Country/ Recreation Clubs [Updated 10 November 2021]

1 In general, facilities in country and recreation clubs may open, except for activities and services where large numbers of people are likely to come into close contact, either in enclosed spaces, and/or for prolonged periods of time. These include but are not limited to mahjong games, karaoke and nightlife activities (e.g. disco dancing). Relevant Government agencies will provide updates subsequently on when and how these activities and services can resume. Barbeque pits have been and will continue to be temporarily closed with effect from 1 May 2021 until further notice.

Safe Management Measures (SMMs)

2 Since 17 May 2021, TraceTogether-only SafeEntry (TT-only SE) has been implemented at the entrance of country and recreation clubs. All employees, vendors, associates, members and visitors must scan in using TT-only SE. Since 15 June 2021, SafeEntry Gateway has been deployed as an additional mode of SafeEntry check-in to facilitate a more seamless check-in experience and to ensure that TT tokens are accepted and working. Country and recreation clubs have been required to deploy the SafeEntry Gateway. The full list of venues required to deploy SafeEntry Gateway can be found on the SafeEntry website (go.gov.sg/gateway-overview).

3 Country and recreation clubs must put in place measures that are in line with prevailing SMM requirements, including Enterprise Singapore (ESG)'s requirements for F&B and retail outlets, SportSG requirements for sports and physical exercise activities, MOM's requirements for workplaces and work-related events, and any other relevant requirement or guidelines by Government agencies on the most recent SMMs¹:

- a. Group sizes should be limited to no more than 2 persons, with a safe distance of at least 1 metre to other groups or individuals, and with no mixing or interaction between groups.
- b. **[Updated]** Dine-in operations at F&B establishments may continue. F&B establishments are permitted to seat dine-in groups of up to 5 persons if all are from the same household or up to 2 persons for those who are not from the same household, provided all the customers meet any of the following criteria²:
 - i. Fully vaccinated (an individual is considered fully vaccinated if they have received the appropriate regimen of World Health Organisation Emergency Use Listing (WHO EUL) vaccines including their respective duration post-vaccination for the vaccine to be fully effective, and had their vaccination records ingested in MOH's national IT systems³);
 - ii. Recovered from COVID-19, i.e. less than 270 days of first positive Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test result obtained in Singapore;
 - iii. Have obtained a negative result on a pre-event test (PET) by an [MOH-approved COVID-19 Test Provider](#) in the past 24 hours, covering the duration of the stipulated activity; or

¹ As found on <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/sector>

² Under VDS, children aged 12 years and below will continue to be exempted from the vaccination requirement.

³ In addition to vaccines under the National Vaccination Programme (i.e. Pfizer-BioNTech/Comirnaty, Moderna and Sinovac-CoronaVac), WHO EUL vaccines include Sinopharm and AstraZeneca. Individuals who are vaccinated with WHO-EUL vaccines will be considered as fully vaccinated and therefore eligible for vaccination-differentiated SMMs (VDS) only if their vaccination records have been captured in MOH's national IT systems. Please refer to [MOH's Post Vaccination Matters website](#) for more information.

- iv. **[Updated; from 1 December 2021 onwards]** Certified to be medically ineligible for all COVID-19 vaccines under the National Vaccination Programme.

For more information on Vaccination-Differentiated SMMs (VDS), please refer to <https://go.gov.sg/vdsmminfo>. ESG's requirements for F&B outlets may be found on <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/sector/>

- c. **[Updated]** For indoor high-intensity/mask-off physical activities, multiple groups of up to 2 participants (including instructor/coach), capped at 30 participants are allowed, provided the criteria in para 3(b)(i)-(iv) are fulfilled. For other details, including safe distancing requirements and the provision for children 12 years and below, please refer to the sports sector enterprises advisory on <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/sector/>
- d. Classes which involve singing and playing of instruments that require intentional expulsion of air (e.g. wind instruments) may continue. Please refer to the National Arts Council advisory for more details on the applicable SMMs.

4 Clubs must also adopt the following SMMs to mitigate the risk of transmission between facility users:

- a. **All facilities and shared areas** must be frequently cleaned and disinfected. Equipment should be thoroughly wiped down and cleaned. Indoor spaces should be kept well-ventilated. For naturally ventilated spaces, windows should be kept open and additional fans should be put in place where possible.
- b. For **sports facilities** (e.g. hard courts, swimming pools), please refer to the sports sector enterprises advisory on <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/sector/> for more detailed SMMs.
- c. **Function rooms and event facilities** can be used for marriage events, wakes and funerals, training/classes, and work-related events. For more detailed SMMs, please refer to the relevant advisories on <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/sector/>
 - i. Training, workshops and classes (excluding exercise classes). They may also be used for training, workshops and classes provided by permitted training providers or instructors, up to a total of 50 persons (including any instructors) or a lower number depending on the room's size and safe distancing requirements. All individuals must maintain a safe distance of 1 metre at all times, and where this is not feasible or practical, individuals may be grouped in groups of no more than **2 persons**, with no mixing or interactions between groups. Separate SMMs apply to higher-risk arts and sports classes, for more details please refer to the National Arts Council and SportSG advisories.
 - ii. Work-related events. Subject to the capacity limit of the room or facility, it may also be used for work-related events of up to 50 persons (excluding club staff). Details of the SMM requirements for work-related events can be found on: <https://covid.gobusiness.gov.sg/safemanagement/general/>
 - iii. For individuals who wish to book the room or facility for their own use, or all other purposes, the gathering must not exceed **2 persons**.

- d. Clubs must ensure that the use of the function rooms and event facilities are in line with the maximum permissible group size as set out in the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Control Order) Regulations 2020.

5 Examples of how clubs can implement the SMMs include using a booking system to manage the number of individuals using a facility at any one time, or using CCTV surveillance or patrolling security (where available) to monitor the use of common facilities.

Rules that Individuals Must Comply With

6 Clubs should also remind members and visitors that only small-group social gatherings of up to **2 persons** are allowed within the grounds and shared facilities.

7 All individuals, including staff, members, and visitors, must continue to wear a mask when using facilities within the club premises.