



The health and safety of staff, volunteers, and our communities is our top priority as we move through the Covid pandemic together. Below is information about what you need to know about COVID-19 safety when attending a National MS Society gathering.

While vaccinations are not required to attend most National MS Society events, the Society strongly encourages everyone to get vaccinated. This is important not only to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 across all our communities, but for the safety of those who are immunocompromised- including many people with MS- who may receive less protection from COVID-10 vaccines.

**As an attendee at a National MS Society gathering, I agree to the following:**

- I will stay home if I'm experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19.
- I understand that masks are optional.
- I understand that vaccines are encouraged but not required.
- I understand the contagious nature of COVID-19 and I assume all risk associated with attending this event, including being exposed to COVID-19, and I waive the National Multiple Sclerosis Society from all liability therewith.

We look forward to gathering safely with you! To learn more about COVID-19 vaccines visit [CDC.gov](https://www.cdc.gov), or for more information about vaccines and people with MS, [nationalMSSociety.org](https://www.nationalMSSociety.org)

***If you are uncomfortable coming together in person, there are many groups that are meeting virtually. Please visit [www.nmss.org](https://www.nmss.org) to find a group that meets your needs.***