

Oregon PCA – Covid-19 Guidance – Updated January 5, 2021

Oregon

New Framework for COVID-19 restrictions

In early December, Oregon Governor Kate Brown announced a new framework for COVID-19 restrictions. Counties are placed into one of four categories based on their COVID-19 spread: extreme risk, high risk, moderate risk and lower risk. Each risk category comes with different restrictions, with more limitations for counties in higher risk levels.

Most of the counties in NW Oregon are in the extreme risk level. Only Clatsop and Lincoln counties are in the high risk.

The extreme risk level restrictions include:

- Indoor dining prohibited. Takeout highly recommended. Outdoor dining allowed. Outdoor capacity: 50 people maximum. Outdoor seating: 6 people per party and per table maximum, limit 2 households. **Important note:** "Outdoor" means any open-air space including any space which may have a temporary or fixed cover (e.g. awning or roof) and at least **seventy-five percent of the square footage of its sides open for airflow**.
- All residents are asked to wear a mask all the time, both indoors and outdoors, except when eating and drinking. Limit gatherings to small groups. Keep at least six feet away from others outside your household.
- Anyone arriving in Oregon, Washington, or California self-quarantine for 14 days. All residents should avoid all nonessential travel out of the state.

Portland International Raceway is approved for a restricted opening.

Go to this website and pick your county to see the status of other activities: [Coronavirus.oregon.gov: Living with COVID-19 : State of Oregon](https://www.coronavirus.oregon.gov/living-with-covid-19/state-of-oregon)

Washington

The phased reopening plan is in a pause. The state is focusing on individual activities instead. Here are some of the restrictions:

- Indoor Social Gatherings with people from outside your household are prohibited unless they (a) quarantine for fourteen days (14) prior to the social gathering; or (b) quarantine for seven (7) days prior to the social gathering and receive a negative COVID19 test result no more than 48-hours prior to the gathering. A household is defined as individuals residing in the same domicile.
- Outdoor Social Gatherings shall be limited to five (5) people from outside your household.
- Restaurants and Bars are closed for indoor dine-in service. Outdoor dining and to-go service are permitted, provided that all outdoor dining must comply with the requirements of the Outdoor Dining Guidance. Table size for outdoor dining is limited to a maximum of five (5) people.

Washington also has a mask requirement: The Washington State Department of Health requires face coverings be worn in public spaces and shared spaces, both indoors and outdoors.

What this means to Oregon PCA:

Autocross is opening as part of the PIR restricted openings.

Overall, if we are careful with the number of people in our events, we can have limited events.

Arrive and Drives, Mid-week Casual Drives, Tours. Options will depend on the phase of the county for the starting location and the finish plus:

- Attendees must register ahead of time and complete all required forms (Communicable Disease and Release and Waiver of Liability)
- There will be strict social distancing on meet-up, drivers meeting, rest-stops and the end of drive
- Face coverings are required outside of the car
- At the end of the drive, find a large outdoor area and do a bring your own "Picnic-style" gathering and bring your own chairs and food, with strict social distancing. Masks would be allowed to come off to eat.

Monthly Socials and Dinners, Quarterly Mixers, or other social events can be held subject to the limitations set by the phased opening guidelines in Oregon and Washington and the ORPCA Event Participation Guidelines. Options will depend on the location and the phase that location is in plus:

- Attendees must sign up ahead of time
- We find an appropriate location depending on the size of the group and location of the event
- We enforce strict social distancing
- We enforce wearing face coverings except when eating