

## Allegheny Cycling Association COVID-19 Protocol

### Risks

Participation in cycling races is voluntary, and carries risk. Other members, and people you may come in contact with during the event, can transmit COVID-19 to you even if they are asymptomatic. You assume the complete responsibility for any exposure to COVID-19 caused by your participation. When you register for a group ride, you will agree to release the Allegheny Cycling Association from any liability related to communicable illnesses.

### General Information

- Maximum field size per category is reduced to 25 for C, 30 for W/M/B, and 35 for A.
- Staging for the start of a race will require racers to be 6 feet apart. Neutral laps at the start will give racers sufficient time to get into position in the field.
- Riders must pre-register for all races on BikeReg. There will be no sign-ups at the ride start.
- Pre-registration includes signing a waiver and agreeing to follow the Rider Responsibilities below.
- The pre-registration list may be used for contact tracing in the event a rider subsequently becomes infected.
- Riders must carry face coverings with them at all times.
- No spectators will be permitted during races at the oval.
- No individuals except for USA Cycling officials will be permitted in the pavilion.

### Rider Responsibilities

- If you have any potential symptoms of COVID-19, or you have recently been in contact with individuals known or suspected to have COVID-19, you must not attend the race.
- You must be free of any symptoms associated with COVID-19 symptoms for at least 10 days in order to race.
- Avoid carpooling except with members of your household.
- Maintain at least a six-foot physical distance from individuals not part of your household.
- You must have an easily accessible face covering with you.
- Masks must be worn at all times unless actively racing, including while warming up. Racers will be instructed to remove their masks immediately before the race starts. **There will be a zero tolerance policy for failure to observe this rule.**
- Do not share equipment, tools, food, or water with other riders, except members of your household.
- We recommend that you carry hand sanitizer with you and apply it frequently.
- Abide by all other state and local rules that may be in effect at the time of the race.
- After the race, if you have concerns about safety and the procedures that were followed, contact [info1@acaracing.com](mailto:info1@acaracing.com).