Introduction:
USA Shooting plans to hold the U.S. Olympic Team Trials – Smallbore Trials Part II from May 20 through May 26, 2021. Georgia and Chattahoochee County Health Guidelines, as well as the Army Marksmanship Unit, will dictate the health measures in place during this competition. While there are no current travel restrictions or quarantine requirements for the state of Georgia, USA Shooting will continue to monitor the ever-evolving situation in the State and work with local health authorities to ensure Participant safety.

Contact information:
- Dr. Cathy Arnot will serve as the Medical Director for the event and will be on site to coordinate any necessary response to COVID protocols.
- Alex Szablewski, USA Shooting Sr Manager of High Performance, will serve as the COVID-19 Officer, which involves overseeing implementation of the COVID 19 mitigation plan for the match and serving as the primary contact for all COVID-related questions. He will report to the Dr. Cathy Arnot.
  - Alex Szablewski can be reached via email at Alex.Szablewski@usashooting.org
  - Breanne Orey is the match director and can be reached for general competition information via email at Breanne.Orey@usashooting.org

General Measures:
The following will be required of all Participants as specifically outlined by group (Competitors, Coaches, USA Shooting Staff, Referees, and Volunteers):

Pre-event Testing:
- All competitors and coaches arriving at the competition venue must submit a negative PCR COVID-19 test obtained not longer than 72 hours prior to travel/arrival into Ft. Benning, GA. All competitors and coaches who have been on site prior to May 20th must submit a negative PCR COVID-19 test obtained not longer than 72 hours prior to May 20th. You will need to present a copy of your negative result upon arrival in order to participate in the competition. Anyone testing positive should NOT travel to the event. If you have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days, please contact USA Shooting Staff for clearance and see below:
  - For people who have tested Positive for COVID since February 20, 2021 you will not need to be tested (in either pre-travel or pre-event tests) if you do not currently have signs or symptoms of COVID-19, BUT you will need to provide evidence of your being able to return to competition from a doctor. If you fall into this category, please reach out to us to discuss this in more detail.
USA Shooting will test all competitors and coaches for COVID-19 with a PCR test on Thursday, May 20th at the Double Tree Hotel in Columbus, GA (5351 Sidney Simons Blvd, Columbus, GA 31904). Competitors and coaches will need to be on site by 4 PM on that date to ensure availability for that test. Any competitor or coach testing positive will be excluded from the event.

- A positive on this test may be confirmed by two simultaneous confirmatory tests.
- If either confirmatory test is positive, then the individual is considered positive, and will remain excluded and required to follow local and state guidelines.
- Two negative confirmatory PCR test will be required for an individual to continue to participate.
- Confirmatory test costs are the responsibility of the competitor/coach.

Vaccinated participants are not excluded from testing and are subject to the same testing, masking, and social distancing guidelines as all Trials attendees.

Venue Access:

- Only accredited participants will be allowed on the venue. Access to the venue will only be available at specified times around training and competition windows.
- In order to gain access to the venue all participants will be required to ride a shuttle from the Double Tree Hotel to Ft. Benning ranges. Failure to ride the shuttle will result in you not being able to gain access to the venue. Exact shuttle times and schedules will be posted and sent out as we approach.

Facemasks requirement:

- Facemasks covering both the mouth and nose are required at all times, other than on the firing line, for all people at the venue.
- Competitors must wear a facemask until on the firing line for their relay.
- Participants are responsible for bringing their own facemasks to the competition. Please be sure to bring enough for your full duration of stay.

Temperature checks:

- All Participants entering the venue will have their temperature checked before boarding the shuttle to the competition venue. Anyone who registers a temperature above 100.4 degrees will not be allowed on venue. Anyone registering a temperature above 100.4 degrees will be evaluated by the event medical staff for symptoms and may need a negative, COVID-19 PCR test to be allowed on venue.

Distancing:

- It is important to maintain physical/social distance to other people. Please maintain six (6) feet of physical/social distance at all times practicable.
- A limit on how many individuals allowed on the range at once will be imposed during the training and competition dates. Should the amount of competitors exceed the maximum allowed at one time, we will adjust the schedule accordingly.

Acknowledgement and Reporting of symptoms:

- Should any Participant experience COVID-19 related symptoms, they must contact USA Shooting staff and the medical team as soon as possible. Event medical staff will evaluate the participant and determine appropriate next steps for treatment. Based upon the evaluation of the participant, a decision will be made regarding whether the participant will be excluded from participation. Failure to report symptoms may result in exclusion from the event.
Symptomatic Participants:

- Should any participant develop signs or symptoms of COVID-19, they must not attend training or competition or travel to the venue. Anyone participating in the event developing any of these signs or symptoms, must notify USA Shooting and event Medical staff immediately. Arrangements must be made to have the athlete or staff member evaluated by event medical staff.

- Signs and symptoms of COVID-19 include:
  - Fever, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, muscle or body aches, congestion, runny nose, loss of taste or smell, headache, diarrhea, sore throat, nausea
  - Please refer to the [CDC guidance](https://www.cdc.gov) on symptoms
  - Symptomatic participants will be evaluated by event medical staff and may be required to provide a negative COVID-19 PCR test before being allowed to participate. It will be the responsibility of the participant to obtain the necessary FDA approved test.

Isolation of sick participants:

- Any participant who becomes ill while on venue will be asked to isolate in the medical area until they are able to be evaluated by the event medical staff.
- Upon evaluation, the participant may need a COVID-19 PCR test.
- If the COVID-19 PCR test is positive, the participant will not be allowed to continue.
- The person who tests positive will be asked to participate in contact tracing to identify anyone they may have exposed to COVID-19 while they were contagious.

Contact Tracing:

- Any participant who had close, sustained contact with an individual testing positive for COVID-19 will be required to follow state and local guidance on quarantine procedures.
- The CDC currently defines Close Contact as:
  - “Someone who was within 6 feet of an infected person for a cumulative total of 15 minutes or more over a 24-hour period* starting from 2 days before illness onset (or, for asymptomatic patients, 2 days prior to test specimen collection) until the time the patient is isolated.”
- Close Contact participants will be excluded from continued participation in the event, with the following caveat:
  - Any participant who is identified through contact tracing as a high risk contact, BUT who has tested positive for COVID-19 within 90 days of that exposure, and can produce the test result, or who has completed their COVID-19 vaccination > 2 weeks prior to their exposure and who is symptom free, will be allowed to continue in the event.

Spectators

- Spectators will not be allowed at the venue to comply with maximum allotted numbers at the venue due to Army Marksmanship Unit restrictions.

Testing, Symptom, and Contact Tracing  Dispute Resolution

- Process for the dispute resolution will be dictated by the USA Shooting Olympic Trials COVID-19 Response and Review Process document found [HERE](https://www.USAshooting.org).