

# ACCP Testing & Vaccination Program Update

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Effective immediately The ACCP Testing and Vaccination Program is being adjusted to remove the requirement for participants to show proof of vaccination to attend production gatherings. However, member companies, clients and agencies are free to implement their own policies governing their workplaces.

As always, member companies are reminded to review their on-set COVID Health and Safety protocols to ensure that all protocols are followed per the [ACCP Health and Safety Guidelines](#) at all times, which mirror these guidelines mirror [Section 21 Film and television industry health and safety during COVID-19 Document](#).

Below is an outline of the current program.

The ACCP will continue to monitor the covid testing and vaccination program regularly and provide further updates whenever necessary.

## I. Vaccination

- A. At this time vaccination is no longer required to participate in film production.

## II. Masking

- A. All crew and anyone visiting sets must continue to wear masks for all indoor filming settings.
- B. Talent to remain masked indoors ( filming, casting fittings ) unless in front of the camera.

## III. Testing Protocol

- A. In-Person Casting Callbacks & Wardrobe Fittings
  - 1. Actors are permitted to attend either without a COVID test. However, all Talent must remain masked at all times, with the exception of time spent performing in front of the camera or having their photo taken at a wardrobe fitting.

## B. Shoot Days

1. All Performers who perform maskless must have a negative PCR test result not older than 72 hours from their first shoot day on any project.

In all cases, children under 4 years old are exempt from testing.

## IV. Return To Work Protocol

Anyone who tests positive for COVID must self-isolate for a minimum of 5 Days. After the isolation period, the participant must test negative, have no fever, and their symptoms need to be improving for at least 24 hours before returning to work.