

HEALTH & SAFETY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and persons with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

By registering and participating in [Program], you understand that there is an inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 in any public place where people are present.

By registering for and participating in [Program], you understand that The University of the South cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19 and you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19 by participating in the [Program].

By participating in [Program], you are confirming that you:

- have not tested positive for COVID-19 during the 14 days prior to arriving in Sewanee
- are not experiencing any of the following symptoms of COVID-19 identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at CDC.gov, including:
 - Fever or chills
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
 - Fatigue
 - Muscle or body aches
 - Headache
 - New loss of taste or smell
 - Sore throat
 - Congestion or runny nose
 - Nausea or vomiting
 - Diarrhea
- have not been in contact with someone with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 symptoms without completing a 14-day quarantine prior to your arrival in Sewanee
- are not under any self-quarantine orders

If you cannot confirm all of the above criteria you must not participate in [Program]. If at any point during your participation you do not meet all of the above criteria, you will be required, at your expense, to leave the [program] immediately or isolate until such time that you can depart campus.

You agree to follow all safety policies provided to you and posted [online](#) and in and around campus by The University of the South.

You agree to take personal responsibility for your own health and wellbeing by:

- wearing a mask except when you are alone, asleep, eating or drinking, or maintaining proper distance;
- maintaining six feet of distance from others whenever possible; and
- practicing safe hygiene (washing your hands frequently, covering your mouth when you cough or sneeze).