



CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo COVID Safety Protocols & Code of Conduct

***December 2021**

The health and overall safety of our conference attendees and delegates are of the utmost importance to the Controlled Release Society (CRS). In preparation for our 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo, we are working diligently with the Montreal Congress Center and local Province to implement policies and procedures for a safe and successful meeting.

To ensure we host a positive experience that takes place in accordance with current standards to a safe environment, we ask that you partner with us by following these procedures before, during, and after the conference. As we partner with Canada for health, safety and travel measures, ****all CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo attendees are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 or provide a negative COVID test up to 72 hours before your travel.*** You must use **ArriveCAN on your phone** or on a **computer** to enter your proof of vaccination and travel information up to 72 hours before your travel.

By agreeing to attend, and through your registration, you understand and commit to abide by and respect these measures.

*For current details on traveling to **Canada**, click [here](#).*

*To stay current on the **COVID-19 health and safety protocols** at the **Montreal Congress Center**, click [here](#).*

Be sure to check these websites often as this information is updated frequently in accordance with the local Province and the Canadian Government.

Prior to the CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo:

- Be sure you upload your vaccination or negative test information on **ArriveCan**.
Proof of vaccination or negative test results up to 72 hours are required and must be shown to travel and attend the CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo
- Follow all Canadian Government, local Province and venue regulations and guidelines regarding social distancing, gathering, sanitation, and use of face coverings while traveling
- Stay home and do not travel if you are aware that you have been exposed to COVID-19 in the past two weeks or if you are experiencing any symptoms.
- Follow cleaning and safety tips during your trip to maintain a safe travel environment (hand washing, disinfecting surfaces, wearing a face covering)

During the CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo:

- Contactless registration will be in place
- Follow all Canadian Government, local Province and venue regulations and guidelines regarding social distancing, gathering, sanitation, and use of face coverings while attending the conference
- Wash hands frequently throughout the conference
- Cover your nose and mouth when coughing or sneezing, throw used tissues in the trash
- Comply with pathway directional signage
- Self-monitor and report any symptoms to the CRS meeting organizers immediately
- Avoid shaking hands

Post the CRS 2022 Annual Meeting & Expo:

Notify meetings@controlledreleasesociety.org if you test positive for COVID-19 up to 14 days after returning home. All information will be kept confidential, but notification will allow the CRS to conduct any contact tracing should it be warranted.

**This protocol was developed using the latest Canadian Government and local Province guidance and regulations available at the time. The protocol is subject to change as new or updated information becomes available relevant to COVID-19. Please check the provided websites for the most current details.*