



NTBGC COVID-19 Vaccination Policy

Background

The New Town Bay Golf Club General Committee, in recognising the age demographic of its membership, is motivated by the need to add a layer of protection for its membership, staff and service providers against COVID-19.

To this end the decision has been taken to make full vaccination mandatory.

This policy is intended to comply with all applicable laws.

The Policy

All members and visitors of the NTBGC, who are over the age deemed by the Tasmanian Government as requiring vaccination, will be required to have had full vaccination by the deadline date of December 15, 2021.

A qualified exemption may be provided as an alternative before this deadline date.

This requirement will be to enter/access the New Town Bay Golf Course, including the Clubhouse, which includes playing or practicing golf, both social and competition.

By playing golf at NTBGC or entering the clubhouse, you are agreeing with this policy and confirming you are fully vaccinated or have an approved exemption.

Any person found to be not in compliance with this policy will be refused entry to the club and course until such time as they are fully vaccinated or provide evidence* of a valid exemption.

This policy will also encompass those contractors and delivery personnel who from time to time will need to access or enter the property.

Members will be afforded the right to refuse to play in a group with an unvaccinated albeit exempted player, without prejudice.

Procedure

Members and visitors are not required to have a specific type of vaccine but it must be one that is approved by the TGA.

The NTBGC will not pay for any vaccinations, COVID-19 vaccinations are free, whether an individual has health insurance cover or not.

Before the stated deadline to be vaccinated has expired, members and visitors will be required to provide either proof of vaccination or an approved exemption from the requirements.

This evidence* may also be requested from time to time by staff or committee upon entering the NTBGC property including the clubhouse.

Club personnel/staff will be required to vet the services engaged by outside service providers to ensure compliance with this policy.

New Town Bay Golf Club Committee

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*Evidence can be:

- Printed or digital COVID-19 vaccination certificate;
- Online immunisation history statement downloaded from MyGov, or Medicare;
- Show a ✓ next to your name on the Check in TAS App; or
- Medical exemptions provided from a medical practitioner in the form approved by the Tasmanian Chief Health Officer or equivalent if from interstate.