CLEANTECHFORUM**EUROPE**

LVE IN 30-31 March 2022 EDINBURGH

Our Covid-19 Statement (Last updated: 4 February 2022)

The Covid-19 situation continues to evolve. We'll do everything we can to keep you informed and this statement updated.

Covid-19 and Entry to Cleantech Forum Europe, Live in Edinburgh

Vaccinations

To be able to participate in Cleantech Forum Europe, Live in Edinburgh at the EICC, **you will need to provide proof of a complete Covid-19 vaccination.**

This can be in a digital or paper format. The EU Digital Covid Certificate, the NHS Covid Pass and other national certifications will be accepted.

Testing and Social Distancing

Unless conditions change, **we will be implementing an on-arrival rapid antigen (lateral flow) test.** Every delegate, Cleantech Group team included, will need to complete the 15-20 minute test on-site with a negative result before claiming a conference badge. Our objective with the on-arrival rapid antigen test is to do everything we can to keep our guests safe. These tests are not designed to pick up past infection residue. That is what lab PCRs do.

In the time of Omicron, this is an appropriate additional safety measure designed to allow people to mix with the maximum possible confidence.

Before you set off for Edinburgh

To minimize the risk of testing positive on arrival and not being able to attend the conference, **we highly recommend that you self-test before you start your trip to Edinburgh.**

If you have a positive test result, we respectfully ask that you do not travel.

After the on-arrival test in Edinburgh

We also recommend that all our participants take a rapid antigen self-test before the start of the second day of the conference

We will require our guests to comply with the venue regulations for in-door mask wearing in place on 30-31 March. Further, we reserve the right, irrespective of what the official guidelines say, to ask that you wear a mask indoors to protect the people around you.

As of right now, **masks are required to be worn in indoor spaces** like the EICC (Edinburgh International Conference Centre).

And we will ask all to be mindful of personal space and close contact, including shaking hands

Traveling to Edinburgh

Arrival Testing

All conference delegates must be fully vaccinated to be able to enter the EICC.

Travelers from outside the UK do NOT need to complete any kind of predeparture test to enter Scotland when fully vaccinated; and, from February 11, they will no longer need to complete a day two test, either.

Consult the <u>gov.scot site</u> for the most up-to-date information.

Passenger Locator Form

If you are traveling from outside the UK, **you will, however, still be required to complete a passenger locator form within 48 hours of your departure to the UK.**

Fill out the form here.

Departure Testing

You are responsible for complying with the rules for your onward travel after Cleantech Forum Europe.

We will seek to assist by providing details of local test providers (in case that might be needed for anyone)

Information on country requirements is available on the <u>gov.uk site</u>.