

## MAME Statement regarding COVID-19 pandemic

1. MAME pledges to follow all public health guidelines put out by Public Health Madison-Dane County (PHMDC). This pertains to mask requirements as well as any indoor closures related to the covid-19 pandemic.
2. MAME will post updates from PHMDC in Nuances. This will generally pertain to mask mandates. If the Steering Committee decides on additional, more conservative measures than what is recommended by PHMDC, we will post that in Nuances. This may, for example, involve requiring masks at a student event, given that many of our students are not eligible for vaccination. Check Nuances for updates.
3. MAME encourages all eligible members to be vaccinated but will not require vaccination in order to participate in or attend events. MAME will not ask members of their vaccination status.
4. MAME strives to provide a comfortable place for everyone. The organization reserves the right to dismiss from MAME-sponsored events, without refund, any member or participant for actions or behaviors which do not comply with our COVID policies.

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