



## **COVID-19 UPDATE FOR COMHALTAS**

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*Comhaltas Guidelines and Communications distributed to Comhaltas units are based on Government Guidelines in the Republic of Ireland. All units should first and foremost adhere to the guidelines issued by the jurisdiction they are governed by.*

**On a temporary basis and subject to review in mid-February 2022, the wearing of face masks/coverings is recommended for children aged 9 years and over in indoor public settings as currently required for those aged 13 and over. We ask that this measure be applied in all indoor settings for Comhaltas activities.**

We ask that all units and members continue to exercise caution and implement recommended guidelines including washing of hands, sanitising stations, wearing of facemasks, social distancing where possible, cleaning schedules, ventilation etc.

In line with Government and HSE guidelines please continue to carry out risk assessments on each individual activity. This will help to determine if the activity is safe to take place and will also help to identify areas that need to be addressed to continue to ensure the safety of our members and the general public.

### **Useful links:**

HSE Covid-19 information:

<https://www2.hse.ie/conditions/covid19/>

Current public health measures:

<https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/3361b-public-health-updates/>

Restricting Movements:

<https://www2.hse.ie/conditions/covid19/restricted-movements/restricted-movements/>