Safety First Guide for The Journey

Current JLD COVID-19 Operating Plan Summary:

With the daily changes and the rising COVID-19 cases, safety remains a top priority for the League. Per current public health orders for the City and County of Denver, masks are required indoors regardless of vaccination status with the extension of the mask mandate through February 3, 2022, so we will continue to require that masks be worn at all League meetings and events.

We will also continue to follow any additional requirements of our event venues.

Please visit our COVID-19 Resources page at any time for the most up-to-date information.

We will continue to update this guide weekly to provide you with the latest information as you prepare to attend the 10th Annual Journey.

COVID-19 Safety Precautions for The Journey:

The Journey will be held in-person. At our speaker’s request, there will not be a virtual option this year.

To comply with the current mask mandate in place, masks will be required when not eating and drinking. Masks will also be required when dancing.

If you test positive within 5-7 days of The Journey, you can request a refund or transfer your ticket to a friend. Email journey@jld.org.

At the event, the check-in process will allow us to provide contact tracing as needed. If you’re a JLD member planning on attending, please be sure you’ve reviewed and signed our JLD COVID-19 Liability Form. For non-members, this form will be available on the GiveSmart platform during the check-in process.
We will be providing a **self-selected** color-coded bracelet to help indicate your personal comfort level with social distancing and interacting during the event.

**Hyatt’s regulations and safety precautions:**

The Hyatt follows CDC recommendations, as well as any city/state requirements, including the current mask mandate. The hotel has also implemented additional cleaning and safety precautions: [Downtown Denver Hotels | Hyatt Regency Denver at Colorado Convention Center](https://www.downtowndenverhotels.com/hyatt-regency-denver)

Per the Hyatt’s current guidelines, our event does not require proof of vaccination at this time as The Journey is a seated event and the estimated attendee count is less than 500. We will have social distancing, cleaning, sanitizing and mask requirements in place during all phases of the event.

For all attendees, the bar will offer touch-free payment options.

Silent auction bidding, paddle raise participation and credit card payments will all run through the GiveSmart platform, which provides a 100% touch-free process.

*The JLD kindly asks all attendees to follow the guidance provided by the City and County of Denver and the Hyatt.*

**Other guidelines for The Journey:**

**Are you well?**

If you feel ill or have a temperature or any COVID-related symptoms, please stay home and transfer your ticket or request a refund by emailing journey@jld.org.

**Hand Hygiene**

Wash your hands frequently.

Hand sanitizer stations can be found throughout the event space.

**Social Distancing**

We encourage you to maintain a 6-foot distance from attendees not in your party. Also, social distancing measures are strongly encouraged in hotel public areas.