



MINExpo INTERNATIONAL® 2021 Safety and Health Guidelines

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The National Mining Association (NMA), sponsor of MINExpo INTERNATIONAL® 2021, is committed to bringing the global mining industry together to meet safely for an exciting, effective event this September. We are working closely with the Las Vegas Convention Center (LVCC) and Federal, State and Local public health officials, to incorporate best practices in all aspects of the show.

The safety and health of exhibitors, attendees, and show partners is our highest priority and will guide the decisions we make to plan and hold an in person show as safely as possible in September 2021.

This is an evolving document and will be revised as required by Federal, State and Local guidelines, as well as NMA's policies.

Cleaning and Hygiene

The Las Vegas Convention Center is a Global Biorisk Advisory Council Star Facility with accredited practices, procedures and systems to prepare, respond and recover from outbreaks and pandemics. For additional details, please visit [Global Biorisk Risk Advisory Council](#).

Show Management Safety Protocols

Health and safety guidelines and protocols for MINExpo INTERNATIONAL 2021 will be communicated and updated as needed via the MINExpo® website, email, and thru social media channels. These protocols include:

- Exhibit hall cleaning and disinfecting at the end of each day. Regular cleaning of high touch areas, outside of booths.
- Increased cleaning in all show management areas.
- Inclusion of hand sanitizer stations located throughout the exhibit halls, meeting areas and public spaces.
- Training of LVCC employees, their event providers, Show Management, and its service providers on personal hygiene practices and response/recovery protocols for suspected/confirmed cases of COVID.

The NMA will implement and enforce all protocols established by Federal, State and Local authorities that are in effect at the time of the show. As the show sponsor, the NMA reserves the right to establish additional safety and health protocols for all attendees, exhibitors and show partners.

MINExpo® 2021 Safety and Health Exhibitor Guidelines

Show Management will communicate on a regular basis concerning current guidelines and best practices for exhibitors based on the latest regulations and industry standards.

Exhibitors must identify on site safety person to be Show Management's contact for COVID safety and health issues during move-in, move-out and show days.

A few recommendations based on current industry best practices are below:

- Open booth designs to limits groups congregating in one area, including the consideration of multi- entry and exit points.
- Where feasible, design the booth for adequate flow of attendees. Exhibitors may also want to consider:
 - Designing reception areas in multiple locations, rather than one large reception area.
 - Stages/program areas should be designed for appropriate spacing and seating for personnel and attendees at the time of the show.
- Provide hand sanitizer in your booth.
- Regular cleaning and disinfection of all high touch areas in the booth – i.e., computer screens, stair rails and equipment.
- Meetings rooms, incorporated into booths, should be cleaned and disinfected on an appropriate schedule, determined by exhibitor.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to incorporate touch-less technologies for displays or lead collection.
- Appropriate personal protection equipment and cleaning materials (masks, gloves, disinfectant, etc.) should be available in booth.
- Exhibitors will be responsible for training staff and exhibitor appointed contractors on health and safety guidelines provided by Show Management.
- Use approved artwork from Show Management for safety signs that may be needed in the booth.