

User operation at PSI during the Covid-19 pandemic period

Safety protection and guidelines for users (status 29.10.2020)



The protection concept is based on the following general rules:

- Low number of users on site
- Small motion range
- As less interaction as possible
- Enhanced hygiene standards

The PSI regulations for a safe working environment do include:

- Regular hand washing and/or hand disinfection (small bottles available at the safety guard and distributed together with the badge)
- Distance of at least 1.5 m between people
- It is required to wear a hygiene mask within all PSI buildings except you are alone in a room. There is no obligation to wear masks outdoors and while seated in the canteen for eating and drinking.
- > 4 m²/person in meeting rooms

For our external users the above regulations do strictly apply. Additionally, please be aware of the following guidelines:

- People must be healthy and must not show any Covid-19 symptoms. If you feel ill or do show Covid-19 symptoms please stay in your hotel/guesthouse room and inform your local contact or the PSI User Office (useroffice@psi.ch, phone 4666).
- On request from PSI or the sending institution, the user must be able to provide a trace of the contacts up to three days before and during the business trip.
- If the user is suspected of having an infection before, during or 3 days after the visit, it is mandatory to immediately inform either your local contact or the PSI User Office by phone or e-mail.
- If there is a suspicion of infection of one of the contact persons at PSI during or 3 days after the visit, the local contact must immediately inform the user or the superior by phone or e-mail.

Travel restrictions to and within Switzerland:

- The Swiss Federal Office of Public Health maintains a website with actual information about the actual travel restrictions to and within Switzerland.
- Additionally PSI reserves its right to apply additional restrictions to access the PSI campus.

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