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Dear members

## Covid Rules - Update for Playing Golf

Current playing conditions can continue until Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October when new rules will be triggered.

NSW Health Guidelines advice to Golf NSW states that unvaccinated people can only be in groups of 2 from the date the 80% double-dose vaccinated threshold is met. We expect that this will also apply from the 70% double-dose vaccinated threshold.

Players are asked to voluntarily provide their vaccination status to the Pro Shop. This will be recorded on the FGA database in strict confidence. Providing this status will enable the correct arrangements for golf to be followed.

The expected Rules to apply from Mon 11<sup>th</sup> October are:

- Play in groups of 3 or 4 (or more in the Sixes comp) will only be allowed for those who have registered their vaccination status.
- Those who are unvaccinated, or who have not declared their status, will only be allowed to play in groups of 2.
- In competition play, special tee times will be allocated for those playing in groups of 2. The times allocated will be 7am to 8am (depending on demand), and at the end of the competition field after 1 pm.
- Those who have registered their vaccination status can also play in pairs in these times.

Casual players will be required to play to these rules for group numbers.

Please notify the FGA of your vaccination status as soon as possible, if you intend to do so.

Regards,

Ted Morgan, President, FGA 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2021