# Message to Event Registrants

Dear Athletes,

[Race organization] wants to assure you that your health, safety and well-being is our highest priority. We are in regular contact with [local health authority and other authorities] concerning coronavirus (COVID-19) and best practices for mass participation events. [Race organization] follows guidance issued by World OCR, USAOCR, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and at this time, the race will continue as planned.

We will communicate updates to our athletes as the situation evolves [via email / website / other means].

At [race name], we are taking the following precautions:

[list precautions your race is taking such as extra hand sanitizer, enhanced cleaning protocols, asking staff, athletes, volunteers who are sick to stay home, etc.]

The following resources are available from the CDC and the U.S. Department of State to help reduce your risk:

* [CDC – Coronavirus Overview](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html)
* [CDC – Travelers Health](https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/list/)
* [U.S. Department of State](https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/International-Travel-Country-Information-Pages.html)
* [Prevention and treatment](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/prevention-treatment.html)

Additional resources:

* [WHO Coronavirus Website](https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019)
* [CDC Coronavirus Website](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html)
* The IOC [advice for athletes,](https://www.olympic.org/athlete365/well-being/coronavirus-outbreak-advice-for-athletes/)
* [Statement from the IOC Medical and Scientific Director](https://www.olympic.org/athlete365/well-being/ioc-medical-director-coronavirus-tokyo-2020/)
* CDC [travel](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/index.html), [prevention,](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/prevention-treatment.html) [testing,](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/testing.html) and [treatment](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/prevention-treatment.html) recommendations

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate this ever-changing situation.

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