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MEMORANDUM FOR All Personnel

FROM: DEWG/ CV

SUBJECT: Phase III Post COVID-19 Remobilization

1. Delaware Wing is preparing to move back into Phase III of CAP's post-COVID19 remobilization. We anticipate that NHQ will approve us to move to CAP's Phase III by 8 November 2021.
2. Phase III effectively removes almost all pre-COVID restrictions.
3. Given the newest CDC guidelines, everyone, vaccinated or not, should wear their mask indoors at CAP activities and meetings if you are in an area (county) of substantial or high transmission. As of the date of this memorandum, all three counties in the State of Delaware and Cecil County Maryland are in high or substantial transmission levels. Commanders and/or HSO's should consult the CDC COVID County View website at <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view> to determine transmission level prior to each meeting to determine mask requirements. Masking is required at all activities at DOD facilities regardless of transmission status.
4. Multi-day and overnight activities are now approved with entry into Phase III.
5. Commanders and staff will receive a briefing 10 November 2021 at the Monthly Commanders Call
- 6.. Risk management, safety and hygiene best practices should continue as a form of prevention.

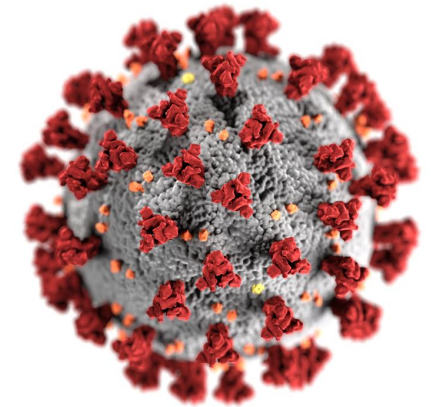
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**PHASE III EMERGENCY BRIEFING
FOR
SQUADRONS
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Where Are We Now in Phase II

- Squadron meetings
 - DE-001- In person meetings
 - DE-004- In person meetings
 - DE-007- In person meetings
 - DE-008- In person meetings
 - DE-019- Virtual due to facility issues
 - DE-020- In person meetings
 - DE-022- In person meetings
 - DE-025- In person meetings
- Wing activities
 - SAREX's – In person
- Flying
 - No restrictions



Proposed Timetable DEWG COVID Re- Emergence to Phase III

- Request for NHQ Phase III approval 1 November 2021
- Phase III implementation date 8 November 2021
- DEWG Commanders Call Briefing 10 November 2021



DEWG Phase III Emergence Activities

***RISK MANAGEMENT, SAFETY, SURVEILLANCE,
PREVENTION and will continue***

Stay Vigilant

- Meetings- no size limitations for activities except as dictated by the facility
- Overnight and multi-day activities - Encampment
- No operational restrictions
- Units plan to resume formations, drill, and other close-distance activities as appropriate
- Masking optional
- Masking required on all DOD installations



While most restrictions are being lifted, the DEWG HSO team will continue to monitor locals, state and national conditions and will notify commanders of changes in risk management techniques or other restrictions should conditions worsen or state and local restrictions being instituted.

The risk of COVID-19 variants remains a very real possibility due to the lower-than-expected number of people who elected for vaccination. We are mindful that it is possible a future COVID-19 variant may escape vaccination protection, which would require the reapplication of masking for all members.



VACCINATIONS

- Scientific, data-supported evidence shows that vaccinated individuals are both at low risk of becoming infected and of developing severe illness if infected. In addition, recent studies have indicated that infected but previously vaccinated individuals are unlikely to represent a significant risk of contagion for other, non-vaccinated individuals.
- Vaccinations have been proven to be safe and effective
- Becoming vaccinated is highly recommended but not required



COMMANDERS PRE-MEETING CHECKLIST

- Permission of facility to meet
- Safety and mitigation tools available
- Units may use steady-state RM forms to mitigate local risk
- Decontamination and risk management equipment
 - Hand sanitizer
 - Hands washing location
 - Equipment and surface decontamination supplies
- Communicate with parents regarding meeting requirements and risk management efforts.
- Squadron Health Services Officer continue to monitor compliance and provide guidance to members. If no HSO available, the squadron/CC is responsible.
- Attend this MANDATORY briefing
- Maintain virtual meeting capability for those members that cannot or do not want to attend



BEFORE YOU MEET

- **EDUCATE** members on the importance of monitoring their health and avoiding participation in activities if sick
- **REQUIRE** members to take their temperature at home prior to attending the activity. **If you have a temp over 100.3, do not come.**
- **INFORM** parents about what CAP is doing to keep Cadets safe while they participate in the resumption of all manner of activities in Phase III
- **EDUCATE and TRAIN** appropriate, cleaning and disinfecting, hand hygiene and respiratory (cough or sneeze) etiquette before meeting for the first time.
- **MASKING**- CDC recommends all in substantial or high activity counties should mask when indoors
- **MONITOR** state and local health information regarding changing conditions, meeting requirements and risk management best practices.
- **ENGAGE** virtually for those members that cannot or do not want to attend.
- **REQUEST** approval from the DEWG HQ on any planned overnight or multi-day activities



AFTER YOU MEET

The after exercise/meeting cleaning and decontamination of surfaces is a best practice.

This practice helps prevent the spread of COVID-19 and other types of diseases



QUESTIONS?

<https://www.gocivilairpatrol.com/covid-19-information-cena>