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1	General	C3	Application of rules	Who developed the countermeasures outlined in the Playbooks?	The Playbooks have been developed jointly by the Beijing 2022 Olympic and Paralympic Games Organising Committee (Beijing 2022), the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and the International Paralympic Committee (IPC), in close collaboration with the Chinese Government and relevant authorities. The principles and COVID-19 countermeasures are based on the extensive work of an international working group, in collaboration with scientific experts and organisations from across the world. They build upon the experience of International Federations and sports event organisers who have enabled other successful large-scale events to take place.
2	General	C3	Application of rules	What are the Playbooks designed to do?	The Playbooks are the basis of our game plan to ensure all Olympic and Paralympic Games participants and the people of China stay safe and healthy.
3	General	C3	Application of rules	Will there be separate Playbooks for each respective stakeholder group?	There are two Playbooks, one for Athletes and Team Officials, the other Playbook covers all other stakeholder groups.
4	General	C3	Application of rules	How many Playbook versions will there be? Are there anticipated release dates for each?	There are two versions of the Playbooks planned. The first was published on 25 October 2021, the second on 13 December 2021.
5	General	C3	Application of rules	When do the rules in the Playbooks come into effect?	All principles outlined in the Playbooks and specific countermeasures outlined in each journey stage will come into effect at Olympic Games-time (from 23 January 2022) until the end of the Paralympic Games (16 March 2022). For more details, including the specific differences for travel to China prior to 23 January please refer to the Playbook section 'When do elements of the Playbook come into effect?'.
6	General	C3	Application of rules	What rules apply for pre-Games visits (training camps, test events, site visits, etc.)?	For details about Playbook rules that apply to travel to China before Olympic Games-time (23 January), please refer to the Playbook section 'When do elements of the Playbook come into effect?' and the 'Closed loop policy 4–22 January' that has been provided to your Responsible Organisation.
7	General	C3	Application of rules	In how far do Playbook rules apply to local residents?	Within the closed loop, all Games participants will be subject to the same rules as outlined in the Playbook. Similar to all other Games participants, local Chinese residents are asked to follow certain rules to be allowed to enter the closed loop - for more details, please refer to the Playbook section 'Residents of China'.
8	General	C3	Application of rules	Which Playbook rules apply to volunteers and local workforce?	It depends if their role requires volunteers and local workforce to be within the closed loop. If so, the same rules as outlined in the Playbook will apply to them. If they are not in the closed loop, different rules apply - please refer to 'At the Games' - 'Games participants outside the closed loop' for an overview of applicable rules.
9	General	C3	Compliance and consequences	Considering the number of people at Games-time, how can you ensure the compliance with all the measures?	We count on you to ensure that you have read carefully and understood the contents of the Playbook (including any further updates), and abide by the rules contained therein, as well as with any further instructions that may be issued by the Chinese authorities, the IOC, the IPC, IFs, Beijing 2022 and/or your Responsible Organisation (including your CLO).

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10	General	C3	Compliance and consequences	What are the consequences for not complying with the Playbook?	<p>In case of an infringement of any rules contained in the Playbook on the occasion of the Olympic Winter Games and without limiting the consequences or sanctions imposed by your Responsible Organisation or other competent authorities or entities, you may be exposed to the following non-exhaustive range of potential consequences in accordance with the Olympic Charter:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Warnings</li> <li>– Temporary or permanent withdrawal of your accreditation</li> <li>– Temporary or permanent ineligibility or exclusion from the Games (with the consequences set forth in the Olympic Charter)</li> <li>– Disqualification (with the consequences set forth in the Olympic Charter)</li> <li>– Financial sanctions</li> </ul> <p>Such consequences may be imposed upon you in accordance with the procedure described in the Playbooks Disciplinary Regulations applicable to the Games established by the IOC.</p>
11	General	C3	Compliance and consequences	What is the monitoring and reporting process for Playbook infringements?	<p>We hope that every participant will voluntarily follow the Playbook. CLOs will be designated in every Responsible Organisation to urge and supervise participants to comply with rules in the Playbook, and to promptly correct any non-respect of the Playbook. If participants see any non-compliance with the Playbook, they can contact their CLOs or Responsible Organisations.</p>
12	General	C3	Compliance and consequences	Who will cover any costs incurred due to non-compliance with the Playbook?	<p>The cost shall be borne by the participants who violate the rules.</p>
13	General	C3	COVID-19 Liaison Officer	Will Beijing 2022 utilise Covid-19 Liaison Officers (CLOs)? If so, how will they differ from Tokyo?	<p>Yes, there will be CLOs for the Beijing 2022 Games. Their roles and responsibilities will be broadly the same as was applied for the Tokyo Games, with some elements adjusted to fit the Beijing context. Every organisation taking part in the Games has nominated their COVID-19 Liaison Officers (CLO).</p>
14	General	C3	COVID-19 Liaison Officer	What is the role description of CLOs?	<p>As part of their role, your CLO:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Will support you in making sure that you understand the contents of the Playbook and the importance of complying with them</li> <li>– Will be in contact with you regularly using your NOC/NPC's/Responsible Organisation's standard communication channels</li> <li>– Will help you complete all necessary documentation before you travel to China</li> </ul> <p>Ask them if you have any questions or concerns.</p>
15	General	C3	COVID-19 Liaison Officer	When and how will the CLOs be informed/trained?	<p>A dedicated online portal is available to all CLOs to access the latest available information and briefing materials to successfully carry out their role. Further information will be published in the lead up to the Games.</p>
16	Before you travel	Country entry	Country entry requirements	What are the entry requirements for China? Will entry requirements differ for Olympic and Paralympic stakeholders vs. general public?	<p>You are required to be fully vaccinated for at least 14 days before travelling to China, otherwise you would need to carry out a 21 day quarantine on arrival. You will need to either have a PVC or valid Chinese visa. You will be required to complete several online forms to provide information to the Chinese authorities, monitor your health for 14 days before departing and carry out COVID-19 tests before departing and on entry. See Playbook 'Before you travel/Entering China'.</p>

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17	Before you travel	Country entry	Quarantine prior to departure to China	Will I have to quarantine prior to departing for China? If so, what will quarantine look like and how do I have to show/prove that I did it?	Currently you are not required to quarantine prior to departing for China.
18	Before you travel	Country entry	Country entry requirements	If any, what mobile phone applications will be required for travel?	You will be required to download the 'My 2022' mobile application and use the Health Monitoring System (HMS) inside to monitor your health prior to departure. You will also need to enter data into two separate websites before you travel to receive two sets of QR codes required for country entry. See Playbook 'Websites and smartphone applications' for more information.
19	Before you travel	Country entry	Country entry requirements	What happens if I do not receive my Pre-Valid Card (PVC) before leaving for the Games (for example due to change of accreditation)?	If you have not received your PVC 15 working days before your departure, please contact Beijing 2022 through your CLO. Your CLO will obtain a letter of invitation for your Chinese visa application. Once you have the letter of invitation issued by Beijing 2022, begin a visa application through your Chinese Embassy/Consulate – at least seven working days before departure. For details about the documents required, please refer to the website of your Chinese Embassy/Consulate.
20	Before you travel	Country entry	Country entry requirements	Are there any banned medications, such as stimulants, that would require additional information, tracking, or import/export permits?	All medications should be handled in accordance with the entry requirements for medicines outlined in the Beijing 2022 Games Customs and Freight Forwarding Guide. You will need to fill in the 'NOCs/NPCs entry list of medicines and psychotropic medicines' and submit it to Beijing 2022.
21	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	Can Games participants enter China via commercial flights or do we have to charter flights?	Air travel to Beijing will be made possible through charter, temporary and commercial flights. The first point of entry into China must be Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK). Beijing 2022 will assist Games participants to book temporary and charter flights.  Departures from China will be arranged using temporary and charter flights, based on your preferred departure dates. In principle, there will be several temporary flights per day to agreed aviation hubs, to allow Games participants to fly back as close as possible to their preferred day and time.  For more information, please refer to the 'Before you travel' and 'Leaving China' sections of the Playbook and the two corresponding procedures, the 'Beijing 2022 Games-time flight booking procedure' and the 'Pre-Games flight booking procedure' provided to your Responsible Organisation.
22	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	It is currently not possible to book flights for next year. When will this be possible and what is the detailed booking procedure?	In addition to the overview provided in the 'Before you travel' section of the Playbook, we have published two corresponding procedures, the 'Beijing 2022 Games-time flight booking procedure' and the 'Pre-Games flight booking procedure' which were provided to your Responsible Organisation.
23	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	Will temporary flights also have general public on them or are they restricted to Games participants?	Temporary flights will only be available to Games participants.
24	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	The Playbook says the first port of entry into China must be Beijing Capital International Airport. Does this preclude transit through Hong Kong or other airports?	You may transfer through Hong Kong or other countries' airports, but the first point of entry in Chinese Mainland must be Beijing Capital International Airport. We suggest you find out about the local policies of transit countries before you confirm travel.
25	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	There are currently few flights to Beijing Capital International Airport. Whom would we contact for assistance in booking flights?	For flights arriving between 4-22 January, please refer to the dedicated 'Pre-Games flight booking procedure'. For flights arriving after 22 January, please refer to the dedicated 'Beijing 2022 Games-time flight booking procedure'.

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26	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	For temporary flights, please let us know: 1. if flights will be available on a daily basis to Beijing from 4 January 2022 onwards? 2. if airlines will be able to apply for flexible slots or if CAAC is defining slots?	For flights arriving between 4-22 January please refer to the dedicated 'Pre-Games flight booking procedure' for information on booking temporary flights. For flights arriving after 22 January please refer to the dedicated 'Beijing 2022 Games-time flight booking procedure' for information on booking temporary flights.
27	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	How do the airlines identify passengers as Games participants?	Passengers must hold either an invitation letter from Beijing 2022 or a Pre-Valid Card (PVC).
28	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	How soon will we know which the approved hubs for indirect flights are? Which are airports included among the cities selected for temporary flights?	Please refer to the relevant procedure; for flights arriving between 4-22 January, please refer to the dedicated 'Pre-Games flight booking procedure'. For flights arriving after 22 January, please refer to the dedicated 'Beijing 2022 Games-time flight booking procedure'.
29	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	In hub cities/countries, will there be special transit regulations in place for Games accredited people? Will transit passengers be allowed to exit their transit area, pick up luggage, and recheck luggage on a temporary flight? If a commercial flight connects to a temporary flight, baggage will have to be rechecked. Will the transfer from commercial to temporary flights be organised so that PCR tests do not expire due to transfer times?	There will be no special transit regulations for Games participants. Whichever airlines you choose, we recommend you to consult the transit policies of related countries to avoid any inconvenience in your travel. For connecting flights in transit airports: for entry to China, Games participants may choose any airlines' prior flight, then take a temporary flight in transit cities to Beijing. If you contact the listed airlines, they will help to arrange your prior flight, so you can enjoy the convenience of connecting flight including luggage-check-through service. For departure from China, considering different COVID-19 policies of prevention and control in different countries, some flights have to have connecting flights. If necessary, you should again contact the listed airlines who will help to arrange your flights, so you can enjoy the convenience of luggage-check-through service. Please refer to the dedicated flight booking policy for details.
30	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	Will there be temporary flights running during the Games if people need to leave before the Games are over? Will the temporary flight system be in place for/during the Paralympic Games?	There will be at least one flight to/from transit ports every day during Games-time (21 Jan - 16 Mar 2022).
31	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	How much can we expect to pay for temporary flights? If we have to purchase commercial tickets to get to one of these hubs, the expense for those flights combined with those for temporary flights could be significant.	The price of temporary flights is set by airlines in reference to commercial flights. Please consult the airline contact point for specific details.
32	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	Are the commercial flights we already booked out of China not valid?	Departures from Chinese Mainland will be arranged using temporary and charter flights only through Beijing Capital International Airport. Commercial flights are not allowed to be used for departures from the closed loop.
33	Before you travel	Country entry	Flights	A lot of focus has been placed on the Games-time flights, but are there any discussions ongoing with the IPC on flights options for the Paralympic Games?	The flight policy will be applied to both the Olympic and the Paralympic Winter Games.
34	Before you travel	Hygiene	Face masks	Are there guidelines on face masks?	Propely wear a face mask at all times (KN95, N95, FFP2, or equivalent standard of protection recognised in your country/region of residence) without an inhalation valve, except when training/competing, eating, drinking or when alone.

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35	Before you travel	Hygiene	Face masks	Will there be sufficient supplies of face masks and hand sanitiser available to buy?	Please prepare enough masks before your travel to China. Beijing 2022 will provide support if needed. Games participants can also buy masks and hand sanitiser within the closed loop.
36	Before you travel	Hygiene	Face masks	Will N95/KN95/FFP2 masks be required on the flight to China/in the airport as well?	Yes, please properly wear a face mask at all times (KN95, N95, FFP2, or equivalent standard of protection recognised in your country/region of residence).
37	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	Do I need to make a list of people with whom I will be in close contact with during the Games?	It is recommended that you prepare a list of the people you will spend time with regularly while in China (format to be agreed with your CLO), for example, your roommate, coach, physiotherapist and immediate members of your team. Share the list with your CLO, who will use it to help with contact tracing if required.
38	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Activity Plan	Will activity plans be required?	Activity Plans are not required for the Beijing 2022 Olympic Winter Games.
39	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	List of permitted destinations	Will there be a list of permitted destinations that Games participants have to follow?	A list of permitted destinations has been provided. You will only be allowed to travel between permitted destinations (including Games venues, accommodation facilities, etc.) in dedicated vehicles.
40	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	List of permitted destinations	What will be included in the list of permitted destinations?	Permitted destinations include all competition and major non-competition venues, all Beijing 2022 official accommodation sites, including the Olympic and Paralympic Villages, and other destinations required for participants to visit to carry out their essential roles.
41	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	List of permitted destinations	Are there hospitals in the list of permitted destinations?	All Games hospitals are included in the list of permitted destinations.
42	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	List of permitted destinations	Will I/my Responsible Organisation be able to add venues to the list of permitted destinations (e.g. venues that are no official Games venues but necessary for Games operations such as operational offices, etc.)? If so, how?	Beijing 2022 have committed to allowing Games participants to visit certain destinations that are not on the primary list of permitted destinations on a case-by-case basis, if essential for Games operations.
43	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	Will Games participants need to track and/or report their health prior to departure?	You are required to check your health daily for the 14 days before departure for China, including taking your temperature daily. In addition, proactively check your personal health for any other COVID-19 symptoms
44	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	Is there a possibility of being denied entry into the country based on the results of health monitoring before departure?	If you experience any symptoms of COVID-19 in the 14 days before departure for China –Consult with a medical professional for next steps –Inform your CLO
45	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	How will Games participants be required to monitor their health prior to departure?	Beijing 2022 has developed a smartphone application, 'My 2022'. One of its functionalities is a Health Monitoring System (HMS). Download the 'My 2022' smartphone application following the steps outlined in the 'Websites and smartphone applications' section of the Playbook and log in to the HMS at least 14 days before departure to China. Check your health daily for the 14 days before departure for China (take your temperature daily and check for any other COVID-19 symptoms) and track it in the HMS. It is recommended that you monitor your health at the same time every day to ensure consistency.



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46	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	For now, the only way to log in 'My 2022' is through the domestic mobile phone number or the accreditation number. How do other non-accredited overseas users log in?	The services of 'My 2022' are mainly for accredited Games participants, who can access all features. Non-accredited participants can use the public services of 'My 2022' without accreditation after downloading the app. These selected features include: Match, Intelligent translation, Audience service guide, Winter Olympic weather, Official Store, Sports, Mascots, Emblems, History, Partners, etc.
47	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Do all delegations have to monitor their health and take COVID-19 tests before entering the country?	Yes, it is a requirement for entry into China to have negative COVID-19 test results and to actively monitor your health for 14 days pre-departure.
48	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	<p>What will the pre-travel COVID-19 testing requirements be?</p> <p>Will the tests need to be of a specific type (i.e. antigen, PCR, antibody)?</p> <p>What will be the time frame for tests?</p> <p>If it is based on a particular timeline, will exceptions be made if there are last minute travel changes (cancelled or rescheduled flights)?</p> <p>Will multiple tests be required?</p> <p>Can the test(s) be taken at the first departure location, or must they be taken in the area of their immediate flight to China (policies earlier in 2020/2021 required testing in the immediate departure city of the flight to China)?</p>	<p>If you are fully vaccinated without any previous COVID-19 infection you need to take two COVID-19 tests (PCR) on two separate days (with a minimum 24-hour interval) within 96 hours of the departure of your flight to China (final leg of the flights, if you are travelling indirectly). One of the two tests must be within 72 hours of departure.</p> <p>There are certain requirements for the type of testing facility, as well as additional requirements for those not fully vaccinated or who have been previously infected with COVID-19. Please refer to the Playbook section 'Before you travel' – 'Test, trace and isolate' for more information.</p>
49	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Is it an option to do saliva PCR-tests for pre-departure testing?	No, nasopharyngeal (nose) PCR tests are the only accepted option.
50	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Will the testing site and type need to be approved by the Chinese government? If so, what will the process for approval be?	You are required to take two COVID-19 tests pre-departure. One of the two tests must be within 72 hours of departure. This test must be done by a testing provider approved by the Chinese Embassy/Consulate. A list of approved testing providers can be found on the website of your Chinese Embassy/Consulate. If this list does not include a convenient provider, your CLO should liaise with Beijing 2022 to find appropriate solutions. If there is no approved testing provider list on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website, you can choose a local qualified testing facility that meets the requirements for testing as specified on the website. The other COVID-19 test can be taken at any recognised testing facility in your country.
51	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Why do I need to take two COVID-19 tests on two separate days prior to my departure?	High-frequency testing quickly and effectively controls the spread of COVID-19 and reduces the risk of unidentified false negative tests. Therefore, it was decided to request that you take two COVID-19 tests within 96 hours of the departure of your flight to China (final leg of the flights, if you are travelling indirectly).
52	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	The Playbook indicates that if the two tests are positive, you should not travel to China. Is there a potential situation where someone can test positive in one test and not another but still travel to Beijing?	Any positive PCR test of COVID-19 within 96 hours of your departure will prevent you from travelling to China.
53	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	If I'm not taking a direct flight, what is considered as my departure time?	Your departure time is considered as the time of your final leg of your flights to China if you are travelling indirectly.

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54	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	If I am not taking a direct flight, will I have to take additional COVID-19 tests in transit to meet the requirement of test results taken within 48 hours before boarding?	There are no additional tests required in transit, as long as you meet the requirements for the timing of the tests required prior to your final flight to China.
55	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Is it possible there will be differences in pre-departure testing depending on the country you depart from or the country you transit through?	The testing requirements are the same for all Games participants regardless of their country of departure or country of transit.
56	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Who will cover the cost of the COVID-19 testing required before I travel?	The cost will be covered by you or your Responsible Organisation.
57	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Is there a template for the negative COVID-19 certificate? Will a standard copy of the test result be adequate or will a special certificate or paperwork need to be used?	A list of approved testing providers can be found on the website of your Chinese Embassy/Consulate. These approved testing providers will already be aware of the requirements for the test certificate. If this list does not include a convenient provider, your CLO should liaise with Beijing 2022 to find appropriate solutions, such as accepting other testing providers of comparable quality. Beijing 2022 will review such requests and provide feedback within seven working days.  If there is no approved testing provider list on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website, you can choose a local qualified testing facility that meets the requirements for testing and the results certificate as specified on the website.
58	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	The provider where I am going to be tested is not issuing a certificate in the designated format. What should I do?	Approved testing providers will already be aware of the requirements for the test certificate. If you use a different testing provider (as above), they will need to include the information stated on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website.
59	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Can the negative COVID-19 test certificate be written in my native language?	Please refer to guidelines about test certificates on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website.
60	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Is a digital signature acceptable on digital test certificate?	Please refer to guidelines about test certificates on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website.
61	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Is anyone other than medical institutions/doctors allowed to issue test certificates?	A list of approved testing providers can be found on the website of your Chinese Embassy/Consulate. These approved testing providers will already be aware of the requirements for the test certificate. If this list does not include a convenient provider, your CLO should liaise with Beijing 2022 to find appropriate solutions, such as accepting other testing providers of comparable quality. Beijing 2022 will review such requests and provide feedback within seven working days.  If there is no approved testing provider list on your Chinese Embassy/Consulate website, you can choose a local qualified testing facility that meets the requirements for testing and the results certificate as specified on the website.
62	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	Will the list of approved providers be extended/updated to avoid stakeholders having to travel to get a test at a currently approved provider?	If the list of approved testing providers on the website of your Chinese Embassy/Consulate does not include a convenient provider, your CLO should liaise with Beijing 2022 to find appropriate solutions, such as accepting other testing providers of comparable quality. Beijing 2022 will review such requests and provide feedback within seven working days.

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64	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	<p>Will there be a special status for individuals who recently had COVID-19 and have had a serology test, in order to avoid false positive PCRs?</p> <p>Will participants with a documented prior case of COVID-19 within a specified time frame of the Games (i.e. 90 days) be excluded from testing requirements prior to travel, upon arrival and throughout the period of the Games due to the high likelihood of false positive tests from post-infection viral shedding?</p>	<p>All Games participants will be required to carry out COVID-19 tests before departure, upon arrival and throughout the Games. For those previously infected with COVID-19, additional pre-departure requirements are in place as outlined below.</p> <p>If you have previously been infected with COVID-19, submit the following to Beijing 2022 (phs_1@beijing2022.cn) for review, at least eight working days before your planned departure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Medical/laboratory certificates (in English) that prove your infection and recovery (including dates of infection and recovery, if possible)</li> <li>– An application form your CLO will give you</li> <li>– If your recovery is within 30 days of your planned departure, negative test results from two COVID-19 (PCR) tests taken with a minimum 24-hour interval at any time after your recovery</li> </ul> <p>Beijing 2022 will review the submitted documents within five working days and inform you whether you are eligible for travel to China.</p> <p>If you are eligible for travel, take two COVID-19 (PCR) tests on two separate days within 96 hours of the departure of your flight to China (final leg of the flights, if you are travelling indirectly).</p> <p>If you are not fully vaccinated and your recovery from COVID-19 was within 30 days of your planned departure, take an IgM antibody test within 72 hours of the departure of your flight to China (final leg of the flights, if you are travelling indirectly).</p> <p>For details, please refer to the 'Before you travel' section of the Playbook.</p>
65	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	If I have previously been infected with COVID-19, I have to submit additional information and documents for an eligibility assessment conducted by Beijing 2022. Does that apply to any COVID-19 infection since the start of the pandemic?	Yes, this requirement applies for any COVID-19 infection since the start of the pandemic.



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67	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Testing prior to departure to China	What should I do if I previously have been infected with COVID-19 but don't have the proper medical paperwork to verify it?	If you have been infected but cannot provide the relevant medical documentation (i.e. a positive as well as a negative COVID-19 test result, the latter issued after the initial positive test result), please check with your doctor if you can receive any medical certificate to prove your infection and recovery.
68	Before you travel	Vaccine	Vaccine requirements	Will a vaccine card be required for entry? What kind of vaccinations are accepted? Will proof of a booster be required for those it applies to?	You need to be fully vaccinated at least 14 days before travelling to China. Recognised vaccines are those approved by the World Health Organisation, other relevant international organisations or relevant national/regional authorities. You are required to upload the vaccination certificate to the Beijing 2022 Health Monitoring System (HMS).
69	Before you travel	Vaccine	Vaccine requirements	How long am I considered fully vaccinated? Do the guidelines of the home country also apply here?	This is dependent on the vaccine you received, and the requirements of your country/region of residence or national health authority where the vaccine was administered.
70	Before you travel	Country entry	QR codes	Please explain in more detail how we will receive the required QR codes to enter the country.	<p>You will need to present two sets of QR codes required by the Chinese authorities for travel to China: the Green Health QR Code and the CustomsHealth Declaration QR Code</p> <p>For the Green Health QR Code: If your two COVID-19 (PCR) tests taken within 96 hours of departure are negative, upload photo files of the necessary documents listed below to <a href="https://hrhk.cs.mfa.gov.cn/H5/">https://hrhk.cs.mfa.gov.cn/H5/</a>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Valid passport or other travel document</li> <li>– Games accreditation (PVC or OIAC/PIAC) or visa with invitation letter from Beijing 2022</li> <li>– Test result certificate of test taken within 72 hours of your departure flight to China from a provider approved by your Chinese Embassy/Consulate</li> <li>– Test result of an IgM antibody test, if required</li> <li>– If you have previously been infected with COVID-19, approved application form signed and stamped by Beijing 2022</li> </ul> <p>Your Chinese Embassy/Consulate will review the documents and electronically issue the Green Health QR Code that you will need to enter China</p> <p>For the Customs Health Declaration QR Code: A maximum of 24 hours before your arrival in China, complete the online Customs Health Declaration form at <a href="https://health.customsapp.com">https://health.customsapp.com</a>. Once this is complete you will receive your Customs Health Declaration QR Code. Please note that you will be required to provide your seat number to complete the form. If you do not have your seat number on your ticket reservation, you may need to do this once you are checked in.</p> <p>For more information including a step-by-step guide, please refer to the 'Websites and smartphone applications' section within the 'Further information' in the Playbook.</p>

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71	Before you travel	Country entry	QR codes	Will it still be the Chinese Embassy/Consulate in our country processing our applications if our team members are departing from overseas or are not citizens of our country? What is the process to ensure a testing provider is approved if we are departing from another country?	Embassies/Consulates process the information based on the location of your testing provider, not your nationality. Please remember to do the test by the providers approved by the Chinese Embassy or Consulate. You can search the website of the Chinese Embassy or Consulate whose consular district cover the city you are in.
72	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	QR codes	I have to take two COVID-19 (PCR) tests on two separate days (with a minimum 24-hour interval) within 96 hours of the departure of my flight to China. Do I have to upload both test results to receive the required QR codes?	One of the two tests must be within 72 hours of departure. This test must be done by a testing provider approved by your Chinese Embassy/Consulate and uploaded to <a href="https://hrhk.cs.mfa.gov.cn/H5/">https://hrhk.cs.mfa.gov.cn/H5/</a> to get the Green Health QR Code. The other COVID-19 test is an additional requirement of Beijing 2022, the IOC and the IPC and can be taken at any recognised testing facility in your country/region. You do not need to upload this test result, but are required to bring it with you to China.
73	Before you travel	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	What can I do if I am not able to log in to the 'My 2022' app?	If you need support using 'My 2022', phone +86-10-66689901 or email My2022-Tech@beijing2022.cn for help in both Chinese and English.
74	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	Will accredited people have an "option to quarantine?" In other words, if a staff is WILLING to do the 21 (tbc) day quarantine on arrival, would they then be able to operate more freely (as a local) upon completion?	It will be possible for accredited people to operate outside of the closed loop, however in this case they will have no possibility to join the closed loop or interact in any way with people or activities taking place inside the closed loop. For more information, please refer to the 'Games participants outside the closed loop' section of the Playbook.
75	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	Will I have to quarantine upon arrival?	Only those who are fully vaccinated 14 days before travelling to China are exempt from quarantine. All other visitors will need to do 21 days quarantine in a government facility on arrival. Exceptions may be granted for athletes and team officials on a case-by-case basis, based on medical reasons for not being fully vaccinated.
76	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	Will there be a different quarantine requirement in place before and during Games-time?	There will be no difference to the quarantine requirements in place before and during the Games.
77	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	How will vaccination affect quarantine?	If you are fully vaccinated at least 14 days prior to departure for China and follow all other testing rules you will be allowed in the closed loop system without quarantine.
78	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	If there is a quarantine, where will this occur and for what duration?	If you are not fully vaccinated, you will need to quarantine in a dedicated facility for 21 days before entering the closed loop system.
79	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	Will it be possible for Responsible Organisations to access their quarantined delegation members?	No, Responsible Organisations cannot access quarantined delegation members.
80	Entering China	Country entry	Quarantine upon arrival	Can you specify the quarantine conditions for the Games participants who reside in China and who will enter the closed loop? What if they are not able to be vaccinated?	Games participants from China can enter the closed loop without quarantine if they have not stayed in high- or medium-risk areas before. It is mandatory for them to be vaccinated. They also need to take two COVID-19 (PCR) tests on two separate days (with a minimum 24-hour interval) within 96 hours of the start of their Games role. For more information, please refer to the Playbook section 'At the Games' - 'Residents of China'.
81	Entering China	Physical distancing	Period of Stay	Will there be limitations on how long before competition an athlete can move into the Olympic/Paralympic Village?	No; from the official opening date of the Villages, all athletes and NOCs/NPCs will be able to have access.

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82	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the airport	Where will COVID-19 tests be administered upon arrival? How soon will the results come through? If travelling in a group, will the whole group have to wait at the airport to receive results before travelling on to our destination? What will the testing and notification process be at the airports (antigen, PCR, confirmatory, etc.)?	Once you have departed the aircraft, and your Health Declaration and your temperature have been checked by customs staff, you will be asked to take a COVID-19 (PCR) test. Trained customs staff will take an oropharyngeal (throat) and a nasopharyngeal (nose) swab sample which will be combined for analysis. Your test results will be processed as efficiently as possible (maximum six hours). You will be transported to your accommodation and will be required to wait in your room until you receive your results.
83	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the airport	What will the arrivals process at the airport look like, e.g. disembarkation of aircraft, document verification, temperature check, waiting areas etc.?	(1) On arrival at Beijing Capital International Airport, Customs staff will board the aircraft to speak with the flight crew and any passengers who have reported COVID-19 symptoms during the flight. Ground staff will then guide you to disembark. (2) Once you have departed the aircraft, Customs staff will verify your Health Declaration and your temperature will be checked. (3) If your Health Declaration and temperature are normal, you will be asked to take a COVID-19 (PCR) test. (4) Once you have provided your sample, complete immigration before activating your OIAC/PIAC at the accreditation validation counter at the airport.  Please refer to the 'Entering China' section within the Playbook for more information.
84	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the airport	Will there be food and water provided while Games participants are waiting to get tested at the airport?	You will not have to wait at the airport for your PCR test result; instead, you will be transported to your accommodation where you will be required to wait in your room until you receive your results. Dining at the airport is not allowed because you are not allowed to take off your masks in line with policies of Covid-19 Prevention and Control. But various kinds of packaged food will be provided in village rooms, and the AAA hotels will provide room service.
85	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the airport	How do Games participants get the result of PCR test done at the airport?	Once you have arrived at Beijing Capital International Airport, your Customs Health Declaration from and your temperature was checked, you have provided your sample for a COVID-19 PCR test and have completed immigration and validated your OIAC/PIAC, you will be transported to your accommodation and will be required to wait in your room until you receive your results. Your CLO will be informed if your test result was unclear or positive.
86	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	How will close contacts on a plane be defined?	A close contact on flight is a person who has been in any of the following scenarios: – Seated in the same row as or within two rows in front of/behind the infected person; or, – Having direct physical contact with the infected person; or – Having face-to-face contact with the infected person within one metre for over 15 minutes, without wearing a KN95/N95/FFP2 (or equivalent) mask.
87	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	Where will close contacts that are identified at the airport need to quarantine? Can Responsible Organisations put them in their own housing if the housing provided doesn't meet their needs?	If you are identified as a close contact and you are an athlete or team official with an upcoming competition or your role is considered critical for the Games, you will be able to quarantine in a single room in your Village/accommodation.  If your role can be performed by others, you will be transferred to a designated hotel for 21 days of quarantine. Alternatively, you will be allowed to take dedicated transport to the airport and leave China, as long as you have tested negative for COVID-19 within the last 24 hours.  Please refer to the section 'At the Games' - 'Test, trace and isolate' - 'Close contacts' within the Playbook for more information.

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88	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	What countermeasures will be in place to ensure there are no close contacts during transit from airport to accommodation?	During transit from airport to accommodation, passengers and drivers will be physically separated. Passengers will enter and exit the vehicle through the back door. Occupancy will not exceed 50%, and all passengers shall properly wear face masks all the time.
89	Entering China	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	If I test positive for COVID-19 while at a Pre-Games Training Camp/host town and have to isolate in a specified facility, who pays for the cost of accommodation during the isolation period?	<p>If you are an athlete or team official, IF or J category or member of Olympic and Paralympic Family and you have a confirmed positive COVID-19 test result within the period of beginning of the pre-opening date of the Olympic Village to the closing date of the Paralympic Village (23 January 2022 to 16 March 2022), the cost of accommodation during the isolation period, the cost of medical treatment and related cost during hospitalisation will be paid by Beijing 2022.</p> <p>Otherwise, if the COVID-19 test result is positive, you shall bear the above costs.</p> <p>Please refer to the Playbook in the section "Before you Travel" for medical treatment and repatriation insurance policies during your stay in China.</p>
90	At the Games	C3	Application of rules	Will there be a Playbook for spectators and when will it be published?	There will be no Playbook for spectators.
91	At the Games	Hygiene	Cleaning and Waste	What disinfection protocols are in place at venues and accommodation sites?	Beijing 2022 has developed guidelines for disinfection. Disinfection principles, protocols and methods for specific objects have been specified, as well as disinfection assessment.
92	At the Games	Physical distancing	Venue access	How much time extra time should be allowed for entering venues, to take into consideration temperature checks and any other measures in place?	Venues will make appropriate arrangements and Games participants will not wait for a long time before entering.
93	At the Games	Physical distancing	Venue access	Will there be the same sanitary and countermeasure procedures for all venues and sites?	Following the generic principles of Beijing 2022, each venue and site has developed specific hygiene requirements and countermeasures based on their own conditions. See specific Venue Operating Plans for more details.
94	At the Games	Physical distancing	Ticketing	Are there going to be spectators at the Games?	There will be spectators at the Games, however spectator tickets will only be available to those residing in Chinese mainland who meet the conditions of COVID-19 control.
95	At the Games	Physical distancing	Ticketing	What will be the capacities for ticket sales to Chinese residents?	The ticketing sales policy is still in development. Capacities for spectators have not been finalised. A series of countermeasures in the venue seating bowl will be adopted, including a physical distancing policy for spectators. In addition, buffer zones will be assigned between different spectators, those seats will be deducted from the net sellable capacity of the competition venues.

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96	At the Games	Physical distancing	Venue access	Are athletes allowed to spectate at same discipline and different discipline events?	<p>Seating for Same Discipline Athletes (SDAs) is allowed in athlete stands of venues you have access to with your OIAC/PIAC.</p> <p>During the Olympic Games, tickets for Different Discipline Athletes (DDAs) will be available as follows:                      – For indoor sessions, a limited number of tickets (quota to be determined) will be available. Your NOC will be able to apply for tickets two days before a session                      – For outdoor sessions, you will be able to access events as per the Open Venues (OPN) code on your OIAC</p> <p>During the Paralympic Games, DDAs will need a ticket for both indoor and outdoor sessions. A limited number of tickets will be available (quota to be determined); your NPC will be able to apply two days before a session.</p> <p>You will be able to get to venues using the TA shuttle from the Olympic/Paralympic Villages. Priority will be given to competing athletes.</p>
97	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accreditation	Are there going to be international guests at the Games?	Spectator tickets will only be available to spectators residing in Chinese mainland who meet the conditions of COVID-19 control.
98	At the Games	Physical distancing	Physical distancing requirement	What physical distancing requirements will be in place?	Keep two metres' distance from athletes and at least one metre from other Games participants.
99	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	What COVID-19 countermeasures will be in place at hotels?	The Beijing 2022 ACM team have released the Guidelines on COVID-19 Prevention and Control for the AAA facilities of Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games Beijing 2022 to all AAA facilities. The Guidelines specify the countermeasures the hotels should take for different groups of people, different areas, and different scenarios. They include such domains as support groups, supporting measures, guest management, staff management, room service requirement, catering service requirement, gym and meeting room service requirement and COVID-19 emergency disposal.
100	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Who will ensure hotels follow proper health and safety protocols? Is it my responsibility as a Games participant?	At Games time, each AAA hotel will set up a local support group that builds on concerted efforts from the Chinese Market Supervision and Administration Department, Security Department, Transportation Department, Medical and Health Department, Public Health Department and ACM. The Public Health Department will send experts to AAA hotels to ensure public health protocols are followed and promptly handle public health emergencies should they occur. Local medical and health department will also send medical personnel to AAA hotels to provide medical service. As Games participants, you are expected to follow countermeasures in AAA hotels such as keeping physical distance, wearing face masks, etc.
101	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	When will more information about accommodation be available (in English)?	Please refer to the 'Olympic accommodation policy' (30 Sept) and/or 'Paralympic accommodation policy' (5 Nov), shared with your Responsible Organisation within the Accommodation Guide for Stakeholders and the Games Stakeholders Guide on Transferring to Contracted Hotels, for more details.
102	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	I haven't booked accommodation yet. Is there a list of approved accommodation options?	Please refer to the Olympic accommodation policy (30 Sept) and/or Paralympic accommodation policy (5 Nov), shared with your Responsible Organisation within the 'Accommodation Guide for Stakeholders' and the 'Games Stakeholders Guide on Transferring to Contracted Hotels', for more details.



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103	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	How do I book accommodation for the period 4-22 January?	Please refer to the dedicated policy for booking accommodation during the period 4-22 January.
104	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Will I be able to get a refund of the accommodation cost if I can't get a flight?	According to new accommodation policy, 30% of the total room nights booked per hotel can be released free of charge by 15 December 2021(CST23:59). In order to reduce financial risk, please start planning schedules as soon as possible.
105	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Will there be other accommodation available if I am experiencing flight booking issues before and after the pre-arranged Games accommodation?	If you need to book more rooms in AAA hotels due to special circumstances, Beijing 2022 will assist you in booking accommodation based on the available rooms in AAA hotels.
106	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Can athletes and team officials stay outside the Olympic Village in AAA hotels?	It is strongly recommended that athletes and team officials reside in the Olympic and Paralympic Villages. If this is not possible for operational reasons, you must reside in Beijing 2022 contracted hotels, which will be compliant with the COVID-19 countermeasures.
107	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	What are the accommodation requirements for closed-loop management?	You will be accommodated within the closed loop in a hotel contracted by Beijing 2022. Please refer to the 'Olympic accommodation policy' (30 Sept) and/or 'Paralympic accommodation policy' (5 Nov), shared with your Responsible Organisation within the Accommodation Guide for Stakeholders and the Games Stakeholders Guide on Transferring to Contracted Hotels, for more details.
108	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	What are the accommodation requirements for closed-loop management in terms of restrictions inside the hotel (shut down hallways, shut down entire hotel, dedicated flows separating other guests, impacts on hotel staff, etc.)?	You will be able to move around freely in designated areas in your hotel, as long as you follow the applicable hygiene measures and comply with the COVID-19 control protocols.
109	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Can one AAA Hotel include closed loop and non-closed loop individuals?	No, AAA hotels will only be for participants within the closed loop.
110	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Can we stay in the same AAA hotel for the Olympic and Paralympic period? If we decide to change AAA hotels after Olympic Games, what is the process of changing over?	Not all AAA hotels will serve both Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games. If the Olympic AAA hotel you reside in cannot accommodate Paralympic participants, you will need to transfer to a Paralympic AAA hotel within the closed loop.
111	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Is the hotel we stay in during Games-time the same as the one for the 21-day post Games quarantine?	No, different accommodation will be used for the 21 day quarantine.
112	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Will the hotels have sufficient English speaking staff?	Yes, there will be English training courses for AAA hotel staff. In addition, at each AAA hotel, there will be English speaking volunteers and OCOG staff.
113	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Please confirm if the regular housekeeping services will include laundry services?	Regular housekeeping services include laundry services, but it will be charged separately.
114	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Will I be able to wash and dry clothes at my hotel?	Hotels will provide laundry services (wash and dry).
115	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Will we be able to receive work related deliveries to the hotels?	Yes.
116	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Is it allowed to share a room with someone?	Yes, it is possible to share a twin or double room.

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117	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	If there are different stakeholder groups staying in the same hotel, will they share the same dining facilities or will these groups be separated?	It depends on each hotels restaurant capacity, but most probably, they will share the same dining facilities.
118	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Which TOP workforce will be required to stay in a closed loop AAA and who will communicate this to TOPs?	Those required to be in the closed loop will be determined jointly by Beijing 2022/IOC/IPC/their Responsible Organisation based on the nature of their role and proximity to Games participants.
119	At the Games	Physical distancing	Accommodation	Are local residents that are participating in the Games allowed to stay in their own homes?	Any local resident participating in the Games inside the closed loop will need to move into a Beijing 2022 contracted hotel (AAA) that is inside the closed loop. It will not be possible to stay in their own home. This is to ensure that all COVID-19 countermeasures are strictly followed and there is no contact with the general public or anyone outside of the closed loop.
120	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will I be allowed to use public transport?	The use of public transport is not permitted.
121	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	When will I receive a public transport card if I am eligible to use public transport?	As no Games participant inside the closed loop will be eligible to use public transport, public transport cards will not be handed out.
122	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Are taxis considered public transport?	Games participants are not allowed to use regular city taxis. Beijing 2022 will make a user-paid Games taxi service available from 4 January to 16 March in all three competition zones, on a 24-hour basis. For more information, see the section 'At the Games' - 'Minimise physical interaction' - 'Transport' in the Playbook.
123	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	If I am not allowed to use public transport, will the OCOG provide alternatives?	As the use of public transport is not permitted, all Games participants will be allowed to use the shared shuttle service (TG ) network provided by Beijing 2022. It will cover all destinations within the closed loop, across the three Games zones.
124	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Can you provide more information about the frequency of the High Speed Rail between Beijing-Yanqing and Beijing-Zhanjiakou zones?	We have prepared a preliminary frequency plan for the Games transport service (21 January to 16 March 2022). The daily operating hours of the high-speed rail from Qinghe to Taizheng is from 6:00 to 23:00. At peak time (8:30-17:00), the interval is 30 minutes; at other times (6:30-8:30, 17:00-23:00), the interval is 60 minutes. The daily operating hours of the high-speed rail from Qinghe to Yanqing is from 7:00 to 22:00, with an interval of 60 minutes.
125	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will there be shuttles directly from the Beijing hotels to the high speed rail station?	No, only the bus from the MMC to the Qinghe High Speed Rail Station is available.
126	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	How do you separate Games participants from locals at Qinghe Station and in the high-speed rail?	The high-speed rail provides dedicated access to the station, dedicated waiting areas and dedicated carriages for Games participants inside the closed loop.
127	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	If I don't have access to dedicated Games vehicles, will I be allowed to charter private hire vehicles?	No; Games participants can only use vehicles provided by Beijing 2022, with the exception of temporarily imported special vehicles such as broadcast vans.

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128	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will all transport required to get me to and from hotels and venues (including venue to venue transitions) be provided by the OCOG?	Beijing 2022 will provide transport services from 14 days before the Opening Ceremony of the Olympic Winter Games to three days after the Closing Ceremony of the Paralympic Winter Games (21 January 2022 to 16 March 2022). In line with the closed loop system, you will only be allowed to travel in dedicated Games vehicles. Games participants can only use vehicles provided by Beijing 2022, with the exception of temporarily imported special vehicles such as broadcast vans. Games-dedicated vehicles are only allowed to travel to Games-related sites (i.e., places on the list of permitted destinations). All vehicles come with drivers, and no one other than the provided or approved driver is allowed to drive the vehicles.
129	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	How is 'dedicated Games transport' defined?	'Dedicated Games transport' refers to vehicles which are designed to serve all Games participants and operate between closed loop sites.
130	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will all drivers provided by the OCOG be English speaking and trained in all venue drop on/off points and routes?	Drivers are not expected to be fluent in foreign languages; they, however, will be assisted by language volunteers. Drivers will be given training to ensure they know all pick up/drop-off points and routes between venues.
131	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will we be able to submit transport requirements to the OCOG? If so, when and how?	There is no need to pre-book shuttle bus services, which will run on a schedule. If using T1/T2, designated vehicles and rate card vehicles, when contacting the driver for the first time each day you should inform them of your travel needs for the whole day, so the driver's shifts can be reasonably arranged. To use minivans to cross competition zones, users need to inform the OCOG one day prior to departure. T3 transport service can be attained by reservation or on-demand service.
132	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will we be able to self-drive rate card cars? If no, will Beijing 2022 provide drivers for rate card cars?	No, self-driving is not allowed. Beijing 2022 will provide drivers with rate card vehicles.
133	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	How will transport during closed-loop management work?	In line with the closed loop system, you will only be allowed to travel in dedicated Games vehicles. Public transport outside the closed loop is not permitted. For more information, see the section 'At the Games' - 'Minimise physical interaction' - 'Transport' within the Playbook.
134	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	Will there be a taxi service available within the closed loop environment?	Games participants are not allowed to use regular city taxis. Beijing 2022 will make a user-paid Games taxi service available from 4 January to 16 March in all three competition zones, on a 24-hour basis. For more information, see the section 'At the Games' - 'Minimise physical interaction' - 'Transport' within the Playbook.
135	At the Games	Physical distancing	Transport	What transport services will be provided from 4-20 January?	A dedicated booking procedure for transport for the period 4-20 January is available for Games participants to enable them to charter buses or mini-vans and to use the Games-taxi service during this period. The Games-time transport service will begin on 21 January.
136	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Where will I be able to eat?	All hotels contracted by Beijing 2022 will provide hotel dining including three options: a la carte, buffet and set meal options at different price levels. You can dine in, take food away to your room or call for room service. There will be set opening times for the restaurant; room service will be available 24 hours a day.
137	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will there be consideration for 24/7 food services at the venues during the pre-Games and Games-time periods?	Food and beverage services will be available during the opening time of VMC.
138	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will there be a cost limit for the meals to avoid the hotels charging too much for the meals?	The hotels will be flexible to provide the meals at different price levels. Approximate prices for the set meal is under development and will be shared as soon as possible.

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139	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Can I get a takeout or buy food from a grocery store to eat in my room?	No; you are only allowed to use hotel dining and hotel convenience stores. You may not leave your hotel to get a different takeout or buy food from another grocery store. Hotel dining will include à la carte, buffet and set meal options at different price levels. You can dine in, take food to your room or call for room service. There will be set opening times for restaurants; room service will be available 24 hours a day. In addition, hotels will have an on-demand service team to address urgent requests, including running errands and buying things.
140	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will food deliveries to the hotel via online or phone services be available?	You can only receive work-related deliveries to the hotel.
141	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will ATMs and food outlets within the closed loop accept all credit cards, or will they be VISA only?	According to the TOP VISA agreement, the ATM and food outlets only accept VISA in the security perimeter. Cash (Chinese Yuan – RMB) is also accepted.
142	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will there be enough food options for vegetarians and vegans at hotels and the venues?	All AAA hotels will provide dining including three options: 'a la carte, buffet and set meal options at different price levels. The food and beverage options in AAA hotels can meet the needs of vegetarians and vegans.
143	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will I be able to go to restaurants or bars in my designated accommodation?	Yes, as long as the restaurant/bar is within your Beijing contracted hotel inside the closed loop, you can go there.
144	At the Games	Physical distancing	Places to eat	Will there be bars and restaurants in the Olympic Green?	There are existing bars and similar concessions in the Olympic Green (Olympic Park). There will be bars and restaurants with enhanced selections in the MMC and ZPC.
145	At the Games	Physical distancing	Other activities	Will I be allowed to go to a shop to buy essentials such as face masks, snacks or medical supplies?	You will be required to stay within the closed loop system at all times. However, hotels will have convenience stores selling snacks, beverages, alcohol, daily necessities and face masks, and an on-demand service team will be available in the hotels to address urgent requests including running errands and buying things.
146	At the Games	Physical distancing	Other activities	Will I be allowed to exercise outdoors, e.g. go for a run in a nearby park?	No, you will be required to stay within the closed loop system at all times. For Games participants other than athletes and team officials, there will be specific pedestrian areas in the Olympic Park where you can walk and have fresh air. More details will be provided to your Responsible Organisation closer to the Games.
147	At the Games	Physical distancing	Other activities	Is it allowed to walk outside in Beijing's streets? Is it possible to ask special permission to access some places?	Games participants are only allowed to move according to the list of permitted destinations in the closed loop. The list of permitted destination is available as an annex to the Playbook. For specific essential work-related reasons, Games participants can request to their Beijing 2022 counterpart to have access to other locations.
148	At the Games	Physical distancing	Other activities	Will I be able to go sightseeing, or do other activities?	No, you will be required to stay within the closed loop system at all times.
149	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	What are the requirements for closed-loop management, and how does it differ for pre-Games (i.e. until 2 January), the transition period (2-23 January) and during Games-time (starting 23 January)?	Please refer to the section 'When do elements of the Playbook come into effect' in the Playbook for a comprehensive overview.
150	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	What are the testing requirements during closed-loop management?	You will be tested daily to minimise the risk of undetected positive cases that could transmit the virus.
151	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	What are the requirements for any face to face meeting to take place (e.g. minimum distance between Chinese and foreign visitors, perspex shields etc., possibility to meet in a room or not)?	It will not be possible for face-to-face meetings to take place between those who are inside the closed loop and those outside of it without either one of the parties being subjected to 21 days quarantine either before or after the meeting



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152	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	Which of the TOP domestic workforce will be required to enter the closed loop?	Those required to be in the closed loop will be determined jointly by Beijing 2022/IOC/IPC/their Responsible Organisations based on the nature of their role and proximity to Games participants.
153	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	Are there specific rules on when individuals must enter or exit the closed loop (i.e. can individuals enter after January 23 and/or leave prior to February 21)?	No, there are no specific rules when you must enter/exit the closed loop. However, depending on the date of your arrival, different elements of the Playbook will be in effect. Please refer to the section 'When do elements of the Playbook come into effect' in the Playbook.
154	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	How will closed loop access be monitored? For example, will accreditations have an access code or supplemental pass to identify people in or out of the closed loop?	Signage will be applied in competition/non-competition venues and service facilities, so as to identify and manage areas within and outside the closed loop. Identity and Accreditation Cards will display whether or not someone should be inside or outside the closed loop.
155	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	What kind of access will Games participants have to the public?	During Games-time, only the places/locations within the list of permitted destinations are accessible to people within the closed loop. Within the closed loop there won't be access to the general public.
156	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	For Games participants who stay at a hotel near to their venue(s), can they walk to the venue(s)?	Games participants cannot walk to nearby venues, dedicated Games transport services must be used, regardless of the distance.
157	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	Is the closed loop system one big loop, or three different loops defined by Zone? Is it possible to travel to/from permitted locations in all three zones?	The closed loop is one big loop. You will be able to go to destinations on the list of permitted destinations by shuttle, rate card or dedicated vehicles.
158	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	How can embassies provide citizen services, such as for lost passports, notarial services, etc. for their citizens (athletes, staff, TOP sponsors, broadcast rights holders) inside the loop? Can we add the embassy to the list of permitted destinations?	Embassies in China are not in the list of destinations. If embassies need to enter the closed loop to provide citizen services, they have to follow the general disciplines and regulations of the closed loop management. Beijing 2022 is working with relevant government authorities on the plans to facilitate embassies to do their job. We strongly recommend remote assistance. For emergency cases, we will consider short time stays in the closed loop under full protection.
159	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	What is the Covid-19 testing regime and process for Games participants outside the closed loop who are providing a critical support role?	If you are traveling to China for the purpose of the Games, but have to stay outside the closed loop to perform your role, you: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Have to undergo 21 days of quarantine</li> <li>- Can be accommodated at a place of your choice (at any hotel not in the closed loop)</li> <li>- Can work and circulate in the same places in venues as domestic workforce who are not in the closed loop</li> <li>- Can take public transport</li> <li>- May have contact with the general public</li> <li>- Will be screening tested once every two days</li> </ul>
160	At the Games	Physical distancing	Closed-loop management	If there is a positive case outside the closed loop, will it be the normal government process or an adjusted Olympic process that deals with them?	If you are outside the closed loop and you test positive for COVID-19 or are identified as a close contact of someone who tests positive, you will be subject to the quarantine/isolation protocols outlined in the Playbook.
161	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	Will I be required to monitor and record my health daily while I am at the Games? If so, do I have to submit my health data to officials?	Yes, you will be required to proactively check your personal health every day (body temperature and any other COVID-19 symptoms) and report the results on the Health Monitoring System (HMS) in the 'My 2022' app. For more information, see the 'Further information' section within the Playbook on 'Websites and Smartphone applications'.



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162	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Health monitoring	Will there be temperature checks at the venues?	Yes, temperature will be checked before entry to training, competition and non-competition venues, including and the Olympic and Paralympic Villages.
163	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	How often will I be tested for COVID-19? Will the cadence be dependent on Games role, or will it be daily screening testing for everyone?	In addition to tests taken before departure and on arrival in China, you will be tested daily to minimise the risk of undetected positive cases that could transmit the virus.
164	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	Where, when and how will regular screening testing be conducted? What method will be used for the screening testing (saliva, nasopharyngeal, etc.)? Will the test be antigen or NAAT (PCR, LAMP, etc.)?	There will be sample collection sites available at specific venues, including your accommodation site, where medical personnel will take oropharyngeal (throat) swabs. The full list of sample collection sites and operating hours are being developed and will be shared with your Responsible Organisation and your CLO when available. The COVID-19 tests will be PCR tests.
165	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	Can you specify times when it will be possible to take the daily tests?	All sample collection sites will operate from 06:00 to 23:00. In principle, you should use the sample collection site at your Olympic and Paralympic Village or accommodation. You can visit the sample collection site at any time during opening hours without having to make a reservation. If due to competition, training or other operational need you need to be tested outside of regular opening hours, tell your CLO in advance in order to be provided with an alternative venue and/or hours for your sample to be collected.
166	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	When will test results be available? How will the delegation members receive results – either negative or notice of a positive?	Your CLO will receive a notification if your test results are unclear or positive and will inform you.  Notifications for tests taken between 06:00 and 12:00 will be sent at 20:00. Notifications for tests taken between 12:00 and 23:00 will be sent at 06:00 the next morning.  If you do not receive a notification from your CLO at the designated time, your result was negative.
167	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	What constitutes a confirmed positive case? What happens after being confirmed positive?	To keep false positives to a minimum, an initial positive COVID-19 test result will be followed by a confirmatory nasopharyngeal PCR test.  If you have a confirmed positive test: – You will not be allowed to compete/continue your role. – If you are symptomatic, you will be asked to stay at the designated hospital for treatment. – If you are asymptomatic, you will be asked to stay in an isolation facility. – A dedicated vehicle will be organised to take you there.

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168	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Testing at the Games	Where will confirmatory tests take place?	<p>If your test results are unclear or positive, you will need to take a confirmatory nasopharyngeal COVID-19 (PCR) test. Dedicated COVID-19 staff available at each venue/accommodation site will accompany you to take the test.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– If you are already experiencing symptoms, tell the COVID-19 staff and your CLO. A dedicated vehicle will be organised to take you to the confirmatory test at a designated hospital. Wait for your result as directed by the facility, which will take a maximum of five hours.</li> <li>– If you are not experiencing symptoms, immediately go to an isolation room at your accommodation or nearest venue (as indicated by your CLO) to take the confirmatory test. A dedicated vehicle will be organised to take you if required. Wait for your result as directed by the facility, which will take a maximum of five hours.</li> </ul> <p>On-site medical staff will inform you of your results. Your CLO will also be informed. You will be told about next steps, including isolation if you are confirmed positive. Together with your CLO/team doctor, the onsite medical staff will confirm whether you are symptomatic or asymptomatic and where your isolation will take place.</p>
169	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Who will cover the costs for isolation, extended accommodation or even hospital costs, in case of need for isolation due to a positive test?	<p>If you are an athlete or team official, IF or J category or member of the Olympic and Paralympic Family and your COVID-19 test result is positive within the period of beginning of the pre-opening date of the Olympic Village to the closing date of the Paralympic Village (23 January 2022 to 16 March 2022), the cost of accommodation during the isolation period, the cost of medical treatment and related cost during hospitalisation will be paid by Beijing 2022.</p> <p>Otherwise, if the COVID-19 test result is positive, you shall bear the above costs. Responsible Organisations should source their own insurance for other members/outside these dates.</p> <p>Please refer to the Playbook in the section "Before you Travel" for medical treatment and repatriation insurance policies during your stay in China.</p>
170	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Case management	Will there be a review panel of experts for cases of close contacts or positives?	Yes.
171	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Case management	Who is on the expert panel what is their role?	<p>The expert panel is composed of 20 members, including members of the China Center for Disease Control (CDC), the Beijing CDC and five international expert representatives of the IOC, IPC and Winter IFs.</p> <p>The expert panel will review and examine vaccination exceptions. They are also developing the protocols for interpreting the results of screening tests, and may be called upon for analysis of complex cases including management of close contacts.</p>
172	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	If I have a confirmed positive result for COVID-19, where will I have to isolate, and for how long?	<p>The location and length of your isolation period will be determined by the Chinese health authorities, depending on the severity and symptoms of your infection.</p> <p>In principle, if you are symptomatic, you will be asked to stay at a designated hospital for treatment, and if you are asymptomatic, you will be asked to stay in an isolation facility.</p>
173	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Will I have the opportunity to test again during my isolation period?	Yes, you will continue to be tested during your isolation period.

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174	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	What will the COVID-19 isolation facilities be like?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- There will be English-speaking personnel at the facilities who will monitor your health</li> <li>- Meals will be provided three times a day with an appropriate range of meal options, catering to a variety of dietary considerations</li> <li>- Free WiFi will be available and you will be able to keep in touch with your CLO and team</li> <li>- Your CLO, supervisor (for minors) and team will be allowed to have access to the facility to bring you things, provide support on a case-by-case basis (e.g. welfare or safeguarding checks), inform medical personnel of specific care considerations, etc., during hours set by Beijing 2022</li> <li>- There will be accessible rooms and experienced on-site personnel to assist with daily care tasks (such as meals, toilet, changing clothes, bathing, etc) for those who require it</li> <li>- Athletes may request training equipment for their room, which will be provided if available</li> <li>- You will have access to fresh air (through open windows), but you will not be allowed to go outside</li> <li>- Rooms will be approximately 25m2</li> <li>- Mental health support will be available</li> </ul>
175	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Will the internet be unrestricted at the isolation facilities to allow us to continue to work?	Free WiFi will be available and you will be able to keep in touch with your CLO and team.
176	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Will minors and Paralympians be able to have PCA's or Chaperones attend/access during isolation period?	Your CLO, supervisor (for minors) and team will be allowed to have access to the facility to bring you things, provide support on a case-by-case basis (e.g. welfare or safeguarding checks), inform medical personnel of specific care considerations, etc., during hours set by Beijing 2022. There will be experienced on-site personnel to assist with daily care tasks (such as meals, toilet, changing clothes, bathing, etc.) for those who require it.
177	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	How will Responsible Organisations be able to access participants in isolation? Can they bring in meals, medication, training equipment, etc. to individuals?	Your CLO, supervisor (for minors) and team will be allowed to have access to the facility to bring you things, provide support on a case-by-case basis (e.g. welfare or safeguarding checks), inform medical personnel of specific care considerations, etc., during hours set by Beijing 2022.
178	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Should I have a confirmed positive result for COVID-19, I will need to isolate until discharged. What are the discharge guidelines?	<p>At a hospital you will be discharged when:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Your body temperature returns to normal for three consecutive days;</li> <li>- Respiratory symptoms improve significantly;</li> <li>- Lung imaging shows significant improvement;</li> <li>- You have two consecutive negative COVID-19 (PCR) test results with a sample interval of at least 24 hours; and</li> <li>- You display no other COVID-19 symptoms.</li> </ul> <p>At an isolation facility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- If you are asymptomatic, you will be tested every day, beginning 24 hours after your last test arrival in the facility</li> <li>- You will be discharged once you have two consecutive negative COVID-19 (PCR) test results with at least 24 hours between the two samples and no other COVID-19 symptoms you will be discharged</li> </ul>
179	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Isolation	Will there be a maximum duration for isolation if I keep testing positive?	If you keep testing positive persistently, your case will be brought to the Medical Expert Panel for assessment.

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180	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	How will close contacts be defined?	<p>Close contacts are those who have prolonged contact (for 15 minutes or more) with a person who has a confirmed positive COVID-19 test, within one metre, without wearing a face mask, from the two days before the person's symptoms appeared or two days before they were tested and started isolating.</p> <p>Close contact cases will be confirmed by the Chinese health authorities based on information provided by you, your Responsible Organisation and Beijing 2022.</p>
181	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	How long do close contacts need to quarantine for? Where will close contacts need to quarantine?	<p>If you are identified as a close contact and you are an athlete or team official with an upcoming competition or your role is considered critical for the Games, you will be able to quarantine in a single room in your Village/accommodation for 14 days (or until your departure from China).</p> <p>If your role can be performed by others, you will be transferred to a designated hotel for 21 days of quarantine. Alternatively, you will be allowed to take dedicated transport to the airport and leave China, as long as you have tested negative for COVID-19 within the last 24 hours.</p> <p>For further details on how the IOC/IPC/Beijing 2022 will jointly determine whether a role is essential, please refer to the 'At the Games' - 'Test, trace and isolate' - 'Close contacts'.</p>
182	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	<p>How will Responsible Organisations be able to access close contacts in quarantine?</p> <p>Can they bring in meals, medication, training equipment, etc. to individuals?</p> <p>Can close contacts in quarantine go for walks outside if they are chaperoned?</p>	<p>Your CLO, supervisor (for minors) and team will be allowed to have access to the facility to bring you things, provide support on a case-by-case basis (e.g. welfare or safeguarding checks), inform medical personnel of specific care considerations, etc., during hours set by Beijing 2022.</p>
183	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	If one member of a team is positive, will the entire team be required to isolate?	If one member of the team tests positive, all other members will have a medical consultation to identify close contacts.
184	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	<p>What is the process and requirements for close contacts to return to competition or continue their roles?</p> <p>Will access to training/competition for close contacts differ by sport?</p>	<p>Close contacts will be able to continue their competition/role at the Games (if the role is considered critical for the Games) as long as they follow additional countermeasures as they apply to close contacts. For the detailed list, please refer to 'At the Games' - 'Test, trace and isolate' - 'Close contacts'.</p>
185	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Close contacts	Who determines if a given role is 'essential for the Games' and what is the process for roles to be considered as such?	<p>The Beijing 2022 COVID-19 General Coordination Office and IOC/IPC Games Delivery Office COVID-19 Support Team will liaise on a case-by-case basis to assess whether a role is considered critical and determine necessary procedures. If there is any disagreement on whether a role is critical, the decision will be made at executive level between Beijing 2022, the IOC and the IPC. The decision will be communicated to your CLO.</p>
186	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	What smartphone app(s) are required/provided to use on-site, and what are their functionalities?	<p>To support the successful delivery of the Games and the safety of all Games participants, Beijing 2022 has developed the 'My 2022' app, which includes information provided by the Organising Committee, the City of Beijing and also general information. For detailed information, please refer to the 'Websites and smartphone application' section within the 'Further information' to the Playbook.</p>

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187	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	I don't have access to the Google Play or Apple Store on my phone or in my country, or I cannot find the right apps to download and install. What do I do?	If you cannot access an app store, you can install the 'My 2022' app manually by downloading the app package from here: <a href="https://dongaostatic.beijing2022.cn/download/index.html">https://dongaostatic.beijing2022.cn/download/index.html</a>
188	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	Can I install/transfer the app onto a second phone after arrival (for example, a rate card phone or an athlete phone)?	Yes, it is possible to log-in to the 'My 2022' app from any device.
189	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	Who do I call or contact if I need technical support on any of the app?	The 'My 2022' smartphone application service guide module has a built-in technical support page, which provides technical support contact information and bilingual services in Chinese and English.
190	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	How much data and battery will the app take on my phone?	The 'My 2022' smartphone application does not use any additional data. The power used depends on how long the app is open for and the functions used.
191	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	What about those without smartphones, or if my smartphone breaks or is stolen?	Users can continue to log in with account and password after replacing / repairing their mobile phones. If you don't have a smartphone, you can use the web version of the app on a computer.
192	At the Games	Test, trace and isolate	Technology support	Will use of app/technology comply with data protection rules, privacy policies?	Yes, the 'My 2022' smartphone application will comply with data protection regulations and privacy policies.
193	At the Games	Vaccine	Isolation	If a Games participant has been vaccinated against COVID-19 and tests positive in a PCR test, does this mean the viral load is low and isolation can be avoided?	If you have a confirmed positive test, you will be asked to isolate regardless whether you are fully vaccinated or not. If you are symptomatic, you will have to isolate in a hospital. If you are asymptomatic, you will be asked to stay in an isolation facility. For more information, see 'At the Games' - 'Test, trace and isolate'.
194	At the Games	Vaccine	Vaccine requirements	Will volunteers be vaccinated?	Yes, volunteers need to be fully vaccinated.
195	Leaving China	Country entry	Country entry requirements	How long can you stay in the country after the Olympic Games under a PVC?	The validity period of OIAC/PIAC is from 4 January to 13 April 2021. The duration of stay in China shall not exceed the validity period before or after the Games. In principle, it is recommended that participants leave China within 48 hours after fulfilling their roles.
196	Leaving China	Country entry	Quarantine post-Games	If we accredit local domestic workforce does it mean they will have to quarantine for 21 days after the Games?	After the Games, individuals who will exit the closed loop and return to the Chinese general public must go through a period of isolation and daily health checks based upon risk assessment. The Move-out Protocol is under development.
197	Leaving China	Country entry	Quarantine upon return	Who will cover any costs if I need to quarantine when returning home?	The relevant cost shall be covered by you or your Responsible Organisation.
198	Leaving China	Country entry	Departure	Are there any restrictions on flights departing China?	Departures from China will be arranged using temporary and charter flights, based on your preferred departure dates. In principle, there will be several temporary flights per day to agreed aviation hubs, to allow Games participants to fly back as close as possible to their preferred day and time. Details will be confirmed as soon as available by Beijing 2022.
199	Leaving China	Country entry	Paralympic Transition	Is the level of service of transport and list of permitted destinations different in the transition period between the Olympic and Paralympic Games?	During transition, the same principles apply as for Olympic Games-time. Venues and facilities not being used for the Paralympic Winter Games will be removed from the list of permitted destinations.
200	Leaving China	Country entry	Paralympic Transition	Can I leave China and return for the Paralympic Games?	You are not required to exit China and re-enter the country for the Paralympic Games, but you are allowed to do so.



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201	Leaving China	Physical distancing	Period of Stay	Can I stay in the country after fulfilling my role in the Games for personal reasons?	In principle, it is recommended that participants leave China within 48 hours after fulfilling their roles.
202	Leaving China	Physical distancing	Period of Stay	Is there a deadline for leaving China after the Closing Ceremony?	In principle, you are asked to minimise the length of your stay to reduce the risk of infection and help ensure a safe and successful Games. If you stay in China after the close of the Olympic Games to participate in the Paralympic Games, you will have to continue following the rules and behaviours outlined in the Playbook.
203	Leaving China	Test, trace and isolate	Departure	What will the departure process be?	<p>(1) Follow the instructions of your NOC/NPC regarding your departure.</p> <p>(2) Departures from China will be arranged using temporary and charter flights, based on your preferred departure dates. In principle, there will be several temporary flights per day to agreed aviation hubs, to allow Games participants to fly back as close as possible to their preferred day and time. Details will be confirmed as soon as available by Beijing 2022.</p> <p>(3) Obtain a Customs Health Declaration QR Code within 24 hours before leaving China, following the same procedure as used to obtain that QR code before travelling to China.</p> <p>(4) Travel to the airport using designated Games vehicles.</p> <p>(5) Follow the instructions of the airport staff during departure.</p>
204	Leaving China	Test, trace and isolate	Departure	If I have to stay on-site after the Games due to a COVID-19 infection, who is responsible for my release from isolation facilities and the logistics of my departure (e.g. plane transfers, airport transfers, pre-departure checks, etc.)?	Beijing 2022 will arrange accordingly.
205	Leaving China	Test, trace and isolate	Departure	What should I do to check the requirements to enter my destination country?	Make sure you know the latest entry requirements for your destination country/region, as well as anywhere you will pass through in transit. If you have any questions, ask your CLO.
206	Leaving China	Test, trace and isolate	Departure	<p>I need a negative COVID-19 certificate to fly back home. Where can I get it?</p> <p>Will the OCOG complete all departure testing or will Responsible Organisations need to plan for that?</p> <p>If testing is provided, will the OCOG produce a test certificate for return travel?</p>	<p>If you need a test result certificate for international travel, you will be able to get a hard copy (in English and Chinese) from your daily screening test taken within 48 hours of departure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– The certificate will be available to collect 24 hours after your screening test, from the sample collection site at which your test was taken</li> <li>– By exception, you can ask for the certificate to be available sooner (minimum six hours after your test)</li> <li>– If the entry requirements for your destination country/region are different from the screening tests provided, Beijing 2022 will help you obtain any necessary certification. Speak to your CLO if this is the case</li> </ul>
207	Leaving China	Country entry	Departure	Can I leave China from other Beijing airports?	Departures from China will be arranged using temporary and charter flights only through Beijing Capital International Airport. Commercial flights are not allowed to be used for departures.
208	Leaving China	Country entry	Accommodation	If we are accredited for both the Olympics and Paralympics and decide to stay in the closed loop between the Games, will Beijing 2022 help us arrange a hotel for that period of time?	The Beijing 2022 Olympic Winter Games Accommodation Booking Period is from 21 January – 24 February 2022, the Paralympic Winter Games Accommodation Booking Period is from 24 February – 16 March 2022. If you have accommodation needs during these periods, you can submit an accommodation request form to AMS, who will help you reserve rooms. Not all AAA Olympic hotels are AAA Paralympic hotels, so clients may have to transfer to a AAA Paralympic hotel.

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209	Leaving China	Country entry	Accommodation	For those staying between the Games, do they have to change accommodation?	Not all AAA hotels will serve both Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games. If the Olympic AAA hotel you reside in cannot accommodate Paralympic participants, you need to transfer to a Paralympic AAA hotel within the closed loop from 24 February.
210	Leaving China	Country entry	Quarantine post-Games	When residents of Chinese Mainland leave the closed loop system after their assignment, do they have to quarantine or just be cautious for 14 days?	After the Games, individuals who will exit the closed loop and return to the Chinese general public must go through a period of isolation and daily health checks based upon a risk assessment. The detailed 'Move-out Protocol' is under development.
211	Leaving China	Country entry	Quarantine post-Games	Do non-residents/foreigners when their assignment finishes have to leave the country through the closed loop transportation or are they allowed (after 21+ days in the closed loop system) to stay in China outside of the closed loop system i.e. as a tourist?	Overseas Games participants are encouraged to leave the country as soon as possible after completing their work. After the Games, individuals who will exit the closed loop and return to the Chinese general public must go through a period of isolation and daily health checks based upon a risk assessment. The detailed 'Move-out Protocol' is under development.