



IOWA  
FFA ASSOCIATION

93<sup>rd</sup> Iowa FFA  
Leadership  
Conference

## COMPETITIVE EVENTS: MASK MANDATE RULES

Facemask requirement prior to competing in and/or while competing in competitive events.

- a. Concern: The COVID-19 guidelines established by the City of Des Moines, the Iowa Events Center, and the Iowa FFA Association may not be enough to compel event participants to wear a face covering which being involved with events that occur during the 93<sup>rd</sup> Iowa FFA Leadership Conference. Of special concern are any instances during the event process where participants are in close contact with other people for more than 15 minutes.
- b. General Rule: Competitive event participants are required to wear a face covering, during competitive events, unless they are exempted from such in accordance with the COVID-19 guidelines established. Event participants may remove their face covering while presenting. Insubordination will result in automatic disqualification of the team or individual.
- c. Board Discussion: Team or individuals who are insubordinate (includes: waiting in a holding area) will be disqualified from the event.