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## **COVID-19 SAFETY MEASURES / Performances and events**

### **Ottawa Dance Directive (ODD)**

*We at Ottawa Dance Directive recognize that due to the COVID-19 pandemic, special considerations must be made to reduce the risk of transmission of airborne illness. The health and welfare of our patrons, artists, staff, and volunteers is our top priority.*

*Following the procedures outlined below is no guarantee of an illness-free event, but we aim to minimize the risk of infection as much as possible.*

*Ottawa Dance Directive will carefully follow current recommendations and orders made by Ottawa Public Health Guidelines, the Province of Ontario, and the Federal Government related to gatherings and events, and adjustments to the procedures below will be made as needed. These guidelines are in accordance with the updated protocols issued on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 by the Ontario Government's reopening plan and by the City of Ottawa.*

The basics of keeping each other safe remain the same:

- Stay home if you are feeling ill.
- Wear a mask when entering Arts Court/ODD spaces and moving around common areas.
- Frequently wash your hands or use hand-sanitizing stations.

### **THE PATRON EXPERIENCE**

- All ticket sales are to be made online; no cash sales at the door in person.
- Information submitted during the ticket purchasing experience will be kept as a record of attendance for purposes of contact tracing. If you are not the person attending the performance, you will be asked to let the box office staff know the name(s) and phone number(s) of the person attending the performance.

### **ARRIVAL AT ARTS COURT (2 Daly Avenue entrance)**

- Proof of full vaccination will not be required but is recommended.
- Masks are strongly suggested while in Arts Court.
- Hand sanitizer will be available for all staff and audience members; single-use masks will also be available to patrons to wear.

### **ARRIVAL AT ODD AND IN THE PERFORMANCE SPACE**

- Everyone must wear mask that covers their nose, mouth, and chin during the performance.
- Hand sanitizer will be available for all staff and audience members; single-use masks will also be available to patrons to wear.
- ODD reserves the right to deny any person admittance to a performance if they are found to be symptomatic.