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Since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, our first priority has been the health of the Flower City Art Center's employees, members, Artists-in-Residence, Studio Renters, and Community Partners. Early on, we instituted measures for a clean and safe workplace and have continued to make adjustments as public health guidance has evolved. I thank you for adapting with professionalism and patience every step of the way.

But it is not over. The Delta variant is driving a rapid surge in new COVID-19 cases across the country. Projections indicate holiday travel will escalate the number of positive COVID-19 cases in and around Monroe County.

Effective 1 December 2021, we will strengthen our safety measures by requiring all adults 18 and over who enter the Center show proof of vaccination. You may show your physical COVID-19 Vaccination Card, Excelsior Pass, or a photo of your card on your phone to gain entry. You only need to show it once!

I respect that choosing to get vaccinated is an individual decision. We all need to be comfortable with our choices, so I encourage you to speak with your doctor or healthcare provider, or visit [GetVaccineAnswers.org](https://www.getvaccineanswers.org) as you make your decision.

Thank you for always prioritizing the health and safety of yourselves and each other.

Please continue to:

- Wear a mask.
- Avoid crowds and poorly ventilated spaces.
- Clean your hands often, either with soap and water for 20 seconds or a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Monitor your health daily.