

Tassajara Health and Safety Protocols

Health and Safety: Because Tassajara is a congregate living facility which includes high risk individuals, our health and safety guidelines may be more restrictive than city and state mandates.

In-person activities include sitting zazen in the zendo, attending classes, eating meals together, bathing, and working together in the temple. These pose a risk for transmission.

Vaccinations: Tassajara requires proof of vaccination of a FDA-approved Covid-19 vaccine: Pfizer, Moderna, or Johnson & Johnson. If you are living outside of the United States and have not received one of the FDA-approved vaccines, further protocols apply. Visitors and participants in practice programs must reach full vaccination prior to their arrival; full vaccination occurs two weeks after the final vaccination shot.

Masks & Testing: Anyone who is not a current resident at either Green Gulch, City Center, or Tassajara may be required to take a rapid test before entering a Tassajara vehicle, to mask when indoors with others for their first 72 hours at Tassajara, then take another rapid test. Masks will not be required after the second test, if all are negative.

These guidelines are subject to change and could include a request for daily symptom checks, mask use inside the temple, and/or other safety requests. Please contact the temple coordinator at zmcdirectorassist@sfzc.org if you have questions or concerns.