



# Mohebban Al-Mahdi Youth Foundation

## COVID-19 Guidelines and Rules

1. The contents of this document will be adhered to by all Mohebban Al-Mahdi Youth Foundation (MYF) event attendees and enforced by MYF staff. Official government and public health guidelines are equally enforceable whilst in attendance.
2. The MYF organisation will continuously work to provide a safe and secure environment, in line with government guidelines, to produce high quality events and services to our community.
3. If attendees are experiencing any COVID-19 related symptoms, or have tested positive for the virus, they should not attend any events and undergo a period of self-isolation. Attendees will need to provide a negative test result after completing the required quarantine period.
4. If attendees have recently attended an MYF event and begun experiencing symptoms, attendees will need to contact us immediately as well as entering into self-isolation. Our track and trace service will contact all those that were in attendance.
5. Pre-registration is required to attend any and all MYF events. Attendees can register for events on the MYF website ([myfoundation.org.uk](http://myfoundation.org.uk)). Following registration the MYF team will screen all applicants and send a confirmation email with instructions. Attendees may only attend if they have successfully been confirmed.
6. Face masks/coverings must be worn at all times whilst in the premises. Attendees must provide their own face masks and not share with anyone else. Exemptions due to medical reasons must be provided as evidence, however MYF staff will still have the right to refuse entry if deemed appropriate.
7. Sanitising facilities will be available and all attendees must use hand sanitiser upon entry and exit of the premises. It is encouraged to remain well sanitised throughout the event. Bathroom facilities will be available in a controlled manner.
8. Social distancing measures will be in force at all times. There will strictly be no gatherings and physical contact with anyone outside of your household. Designated spots will be used for seating.
9. It is encouraged that attendees provide their own Qurans, prayer mats, turbahs, tasbeeh etc to avoid unnecessary contact.

10. Young children and individuals that are deemed as “high risk” (elderly, existing health conditions), are encouraged not to attend for their own health and safety. Children that do attend will need to be under parental supervision the entire duration of the event.
11. Avoid congestion at the entrance and exits by strictly following MYF staff and marshals guidance. Attendees should remain seated until instructed by staff.
12. Cloak rooms will be monitored and regularly sanitised. Attendees are encouraged to keep their personal garments and shoes with them in bags. Carrier bags will be provided if they are required.
13. Lamentation (matam/latam/azadari) rituals will follow social distancing measures as outlined in this guide.
14. Distribution of food and drinks will be handled by trained and certified MYF staff, who will remain sanitised and protected throughout the entire process. Any attendee wishing to donate food or drinks will need to contact MYF staff and organisers first for confirmation.
15. Monetary donations are encouraged via digital platforms to reduce the risk of contact. Cash donations that are physically handled will be isolated and sanitised for a minimum of 24 hours.

Please direct and queries via email to [chair@myfoundation.org.uk](mailto:chair@myfoundation.org.uk)

Thank you for your compliance.

*MYF Committee*