Infection protection
Brief summary of the measures

**Distance:** Keep 1.5 meters distance from others where possible.

**Mask requirement:** Medical or FFP2 masks must be worn indoors in all university areas if the minimum distance of 1.5 meters cannot be maintained.

**Hygiene:** Please follow the general hygiene rules such as washing your hands regularly, cough/sneeze etiquette, and occasional hand disinfection. Do not pass on personal items to third parties.

Entry to the event will not be possible without proof of a negative antigen test. Please have yourself tested at an official testing facility on a daily basis. Home antigen tests will not be accepted.

For the 9th HLF, an in-house testing station for rapid antigen tests and rapid PCR tests will be available in building 2100, room P18 at Heidelberg University at the following times:

- September 17: 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
- September 18: 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- September 19-20: 7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- September 21: 6:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
- September 22: 7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- September 23: 7:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

An additional testing station will be offered to participants of the 9th HLF at the hotel Europäischer Hof:

- September 18: 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
- September 19-23: 7:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

A third testing station for rapid antigen tests will also be offered to hotel guests at the Kulturbrauerei, in the Scheffelstube room:

- September 18: 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
- September 19-23: 6:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.

If you test positive, please self-isolate immediately and notify the event organizer via hlf22@heidelberg-laureate-forum.org as well as your close contacts.

We offer COVID-19 positive participants a rapid PCR test free of charge at the testing stations in building 2100, room P18 and the hotel Europäischer Hof. To coordinate this, please state in the email your hotel name, participation status (speaker, young researcher, guest, laureate, press) as well as your cell phone number. Guests at the hotel Europäischer Hof can be tested in their rooms. Therefore, please also state your room number.

**Please protect yourself and others as best as you can!**

You can read the complete infection protection concept [here](#).