## COVID-19 PROTOCOL (Revised June 17, 2022) PROBUS CLUB OF AJAX

The PROBUS Club of Ajax is a private social club for seniors. Given the ages of our members, it is imperative that safety be our highest priority. Our Club must manage the risk of COVID-19, as we re-introduce in-person meetings and activities. Even though the Province of Ontario has lifted Proof of Vaccination and masking requirements, the Management Committee has decided to still require proof of vaccination for indoor in-person gatherings of the PROBUS Club of Ajax. The decision to wear a mask or not is up to the individual member (with the exception of interest group activities where the majority of members are more comfortable with masks being worn)..

All participants in indoor club activities must be <u>fully vaccinated for COVID-19</u>. In addition, a minimum of two weeks must have passed since the second shot was administered. These vaccination requirements include, but are not limited to, our monthly membership meetings, interest group activities, and social events.

## This is how it will work:

- a) When you attend your first in-person membership meeting, bring your proof of vaccination (either the receipt you were given when you received the vaccination or the Ontario Government Vaccine Certificate). Your name will be recorded as having shown proof of vaccination when you enter the meeting room. Admittance to the room will not be allowed if your Vaccination Receipt is not provided. The Social Co-ordinator, Interest Group Co-ordinator and House Co-ordinator for membership meetings, will have access to a list of fully vaccinated Club members, and use this list when attendance at their respective activities so you will not need show your proof of vaccination after your first in-person meeting.
- b) This COVID-19 Protocol will be implemented at our Club's first in-person membership meeting. If there are any indoor interest group activities or social events sanctioned by the PROBUS Club of Ajax, which occur prior to the first in-person membership meeting, then you must provide proof of vaccination at that time in order to participate in same.
- c) If you decide not to be vaccinated for COVID-19, you may attend any virtual events offered by the PROBUS Club of Ajax. If you are not vaccinated, do not attend any in-person meetings, indoor interest group activities or social outings etc. held by the PROBUS Club of Ajax.
- d) All COVID-19 Province of Ontario Regulations and Public Health Guidelines in effect at the time of the PROBUS Club of Ajax in-person gathering will prevail, including group size, physical distancing, mask requirements etc.

As stated above, member safety is of paramount importance within our Club. If you have any questions, please email them to <a href="mailto:ajaxprobuspresident@gmail.com">ajaxprobuspresident@gmail.com</a>

Take care and stay safe. Management Committee PROBUS Club of Ajax March 2022