



Austin Texas Musicians Safe Gig Guideline Recommendations For Musicians and Venues

WHEREAS, the health and public safety of Austin musicians, music venue staff, music industry professionals and patrons are crucial to the success of Austin's economy and the well-being of our community

WHEREAS, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic in Travis County is ongoing, and continuing to grow

WHEREAS, on May 22, 2020, Texas Governor Greg Abbott announced the reopening of bars and nightclubs throughout the State of Texas

WHEREAS, Austin Texas Musicians has learned from our constituent base of Austin musicians that they are being asked to perform live gigs in music venues once again

WHEREAS, no standard agreement on safety guidelines currently exists between Austin musicians and Austin music venues

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

Austin Texas Musicians and HAAM adopt the following recommendations and urges the City Council of Austin, Texas to take action immediately.

SAFE GIG GUIDELINES FOR MUSICIANS AND VENUES

1. **Are you being paid?**
 1. Is it a fair deal?
 2. Do you have a contract?
2. **Is it safe for the band?**
 1. Is the stage large enough to social distance from each other and a safe distance from the audience?
 2. Are stands and surfaces being sanitized?
 3. Can you bring your own mic?
 4. Is there a staff sound engineer to keep you from having to touch any gear that doesn't belong to you?
3. **Is the venue safe for the staff and fans?**
 1. Are masks required for entry?
 2. Is staff required to wear masks?
 3. Is the occupancy limit being enforced?
 4. Is social distancing being enforced among fans?
 5. Is hand sanitizer readily available for use?

GIG SAFETY GUIDE

PROTECT YOUR BAND AND YOUR FANS



Are you being paid?
#NoFreeShows



Are you using your
own mic & gear?



Are masks
being required?



Are gear & surfaces
being sanitized by staff?



Are current occupancy
rules being enforced?



Is social distancing
being enforced?

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