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Following the recent decision of the CEV Medical Commission, from now on until further notice CEV put hold on the implementations of the Hygiene Guidelines, and the requirements imposed by the host country will be followed with the exception below:

- Wearing face mask in mandatory during local transportation, and in closed areas where social distancing (min 1,5 meter) cannot be ensured

Travel Restrictions (constantly updated)

The most updated information for all travellers to Greece are available here:

<https://travel.gov.gr/#/>

<https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/world.php>

<https://www.traveldoc.aero/>

<https://gga.gov.gr/component/content/article/278-covid/2981-covid19-sports>

Ministry of Health: <https://www.moh.gov.gr>

Ministry of Foreign Affairs: <https://www.mfa.gr/en/index.html>

Please check the given website links regularly for more updated and detailed information:

<https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/world.php>

<https://www.traveldoc.aero>

EVENT'S TITLE	CEV U18 Beach Volleyball European Championship 2022			
HOST CITIES	LOUTRAKI, GREECE			
VENUES	SPORTCAMP Youth Training Centre			
DATE	1 st – 4 th of September 2022			
NATIONAL FEDERATION	HELLENIC VOLLEYBALL FEDERATION Address: OAKA , SPIROU LOUI z.c.15123, ATHENS Tel: +30 210 6801993 E-mail: beach@volleyball.gr Website: http://www.volleyball.gr/english Contact person: Alex Paraskevopoulos, BV Coordinator Tel: +30 210.6801993 Email: beach@volleyball.gr			
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	Neutral Referees:	Vitalie FISTICAN (MDA), Jernej ROJC (SLO), Piotr KOSIACKI (POL), Ivelina ILIEVA (BUL), Diego RODRIGUEZ DEL POZO (ESP), Andrea LIPPE (AUT), Vladimir MILOSEVIC (SRB), Sergio SA PEREIRA (POR)		
	Local Referees:	TBA		
RULES OF THE GAME	<p>According to the FIVB Official Beach Volleyball rules in their latest edition.</p> <p>Exceptions – Coaching: Following the respective FIVB guidelines, the presence of a coach inside the field of play is allowed in all CEV Age Group Beach Volleyball European Championships, provided that these are duly upload to the CEV Cloud and in time accredited through the respective BV-05 form. (Please scroll down until section “Beach Volleyball Forms/National Federations”).</p> <p>A detailed document describing the obligation and rights of coaches entering the Field of Play is available on the event’s page of the CEV website: https://www.cev.eu/beach/age-groups/2022/u18</p> <p>The BV-05 form should be uploaded to the CEV Cloud in the respective folder created for the participating NF by using the following link: https://cloud.cev.eu/url/u18ECHs_Accreditation</p>			
REGISTRATION DEADLINE	<p>All registration should be made through the CEV/FIVB VIS online registration platform.</p> <p><u>Players registration by 2nd of August 2022</u></p> <p><u>In case of two or more registered teams</u> National Federations need to <u>specify the team order</u> (1, 2, etc.) by email to beach@cev.eu <u>2nd of August</u></p>			

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ADMISSION AND SEEDING	According to 2022 CEV U18 Country Ranking and the CEV Beach Volleyball Guidelines.
RIGHT OF PARTICIPATION & REGISTRATION	<p>An athlete wishing to take part in a CEV sanctioned competition must possess the nationality of the country he/she intends to represent and must fully comply with the requirements laid down by the FIVB Sports Regulations. In addition, each athlete needs to have the following documentation completed/updated on his/her VIS profile:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • upload the Player's Commitment and Health Certificate forms to his/her VIS profile • have completed the FIVB Anti-Doping education programme "Play Clean", and the FIVB E-learning Course on the Prevention of Competition Manipulation that can be found here <p>Athletes' wishing to participate shall be aged under 18 years on 31st of December of the year during which the respective Championships is held (for this season Born on 1st of January, 2005 or after).</p>
UNIFORMS	<p><u>The Organiser will not provide uniforms to the participating teams</u></p> <p>As a result the participating National Federations shall provide their players with minimum 2 sets of uniforms in different colours according to the layout specified in CEV U18 BV European Championships Official Communications document and may exploit them commercially (excluding the following product categories: alcohol (spirits), tobacco & pornography).</p> <p>Participating National Federations are responsible to bring their own shorts/bikini bottoms as per the provisions of the CEV Beach Volleyball Regulations and the Official Communication. Players may use gear and accessories as defined in the CEV Beach Volleyball Guidelines.</p> <p>To their coaches entering the Field of Play, as per the CEV Coaching Regulations document, available on the event's page of the CEV website.</p>
PRELIMINARY INQUIRY & TECHNICAL MEETING	<p>Only one dedicated person per team delegation is required to attend the Preliminary Inquiry and present the passports, uniforms and accessories, a copy of the confirmed contribution fee transfer</p> <p>Your access to the location of Preliminary Inquiry will be controlled to avoid mass gathering.</p> <p><u>Qualification Tournament (if any):</u> Preliminary Inquiry for both Men & Women: 30th of August from 18:00 to 19:00 at Sport Camp Loutraki Technical Meeting for both Men & Women: 30th of August from 19:30 to 20:30</p> <p><u>Main Draw</u> Preliminary Inquiry for both Men & Women: 31st of August from 16:00 to 18:00 at Sport Camp Loutraki Technical Meeting for both Men & Women: 31st of August from 18:30 to 19:30</p> <p>The Pools Composition draw will be held immediately after the end of the Preliminary Inquiry.</p>
COMPETITION SCHEDULE	<p><u>Qualification Tournament (if any):</u> Men & Women: 31st of August from 09:30 to 16:00</p> <p><u>Main Draw:</u> Men & Women: Pool matches (round 1 and 2) 1st of September from 08:30 to 19:00 Men & Women: Pool matches (round 2 and 3) 2nd of September from 08:30 to 19:00 Men & Women: Final Phase and Classification matches 3rd of September from 08:30 to 19:00 Men: Semifinals 4th of September, at 13:00 and 14:00 & Finals at 17:00 Women: Semifinals 4th of September, at 11:00 and 12:00 & Finals at 15:00</p>

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TRAINING	<p>Training courts will be available on site on Tuesday and Wednesday, 30th and 31st of August. Training courts will be available earlier as well upon request.</p> <p>Please note that reservation of training can be made one day in advance for the next day only and each team is entitled to make one reservation per day. Additional training session may be available only if the courts will be available.</p> <p>To reserve a court please address to: b.pelekis@sportcamp.gr</p>
CONTRIBUTION FEE	<p>As per the CEV U18 BV European Championships Official Communications document, a contribution fee is a fee paid for each Main Draw or Qualification team member to the organiser in order to contribute to its accommodation and local transportation.</p> <p>The respective National Federation shall pay the entry and contribution fee 7 days before the start of the event to the following bank account of the organiser:</p> <p>Account holder: SPORT TRAVEL LOUTRAKI IBAN: GR92 0140 5500 5500 0200 2028 859 BIC: CRBAGRAAXX Bank name: ALPHA BANK S.A. Bank Address: CORINTH GREECE, z.c. 20132</p> <p>If the organiser will not receive the fees in time, the CEV Supervisor has the right to exclude the concerned teams from the event.</p> <p>Each participating National Federation has to present a copy of the confirmed money transfer to the CEV Supervisor at the respective Preliminary Inquiry.</p> <p>Every person is responsible for any and all extra expenses at the hotel such as mini-bar, phone calls, laundry, etc. These expenses must be paid at checkout time.</p>
OFFICIAL DAYS AND VENUE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE	<p>Arrival for Qualification Tournament teams (if any): 30th of August Arrival for Main Draw teams: 31st of August Departure for Qualification Tournament teams did not advance to the Main Draw teams (if any): 1st of September Departure for Main Draw teams: 5th of September Official Venue of Arrival and Departure: Athens International Airport</p>
VISA	<p>Delegation members are requested to apply early enough for their visas, whenever needed. The Hosting National Federation should be contacted to receive an invitation letter for the event.</p>
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT	<p>Delegation members are responsible for their own international and domestic airfare and for any further expenses such as visa or airport taxes.</p>
LOCAL TRANSPORT	<p>Transportation from the official venue of arrival to the official hotel for players and up to one accredited delegation member per team is organized by the local organiser on the official days of arrival and departure mentioned herein above.</p> <p>For extra persons and extra days please see conditions as explained in Board And Lodging section.</p> <p>Participating NFs are responsible to upload their travel information to the CEV Cloud at the latest by 17th of August (-15 days) through the BV-04 form (Please scroll down until section "Beach Volleyball Forms/National Federations").</p> <p>The BV-04 form should be uploaded to the CEV Cloud in the respective folder created for the participating NF by using the following link: https://cloud.cev.eu/url/u18ECHs_Travel</p>
BOARD AND LODGING	<p>The Local Organizer will provide the 2 players and 1 delegation member per team with hotel accommodation (twin rooms) and meals, for teams participating in the Qualification Tournament from the afternoon of 30th August (dinner) until 1st of September (breakfast) and for teams participating in the Main Draw from the afternoon of 31st August (dinner) until 5th September (breakfast).</p>

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	<p><u>Women's teams hotel:</u> Loutraki SPORTCAMP Rooms are all recently renovated with private bathroom and kitchen, free use of camp facilities: Gym, Swimming Pool and additional sports facilities.</p> <p><u>Men's teams hotel:</u> Grand Olympic Hotel*** or Bakos Hotel*** in Loutraki</p> <p>Breakfast will be served in the respective hotel, while lunch and dinners will be served in the Loutraki SPORTCAMP dining area.</p> <p>Team officials (Head of Delegation, Coach, etc.) will be accommodated in twin rooms (standard policy is in the same hotel with the team although this may not always be possible as different hotels are used for men and women teams). Single room supplement is an extra €50 per day.</p> <p>For additional delegation members or extra days of stay please contact organizers to confirm availability and arrangements as per the following conditions and options:</p> <p>The rates for extra delegation members or extra days of stay will include all services as per the official staying period (board and lodging, local transportation -airport – hotel – venue, access to Loutraki SPORTCAMP and use of training courts). The rate that applies is €70 per person/day in twin/double rooms. A discount can be offered in the SPORTCAMP for triple or quad rooms.</p> <p>For all requests and arrangements please contact the organizers at: events@sport-travel.gr with cc to beach@volleyball.gr</p>
ACCREDITATION	<p>Organisers will provide all Organizing Committee members, CEV Officials, referees, players, accredited coaches, doctor / physiotherapist, technical staff with official accreditation cards and will ensure that only those people will have access the designated venue areas.</p> <p>The accreditation for medical staff (doctor / physiotherapist) as per the process defined in the respective BV-06 form "Accreditation of Medical Staff (Please scroll down until section "Beach Volleyball Forms/National Federations")".</p> <p>The BV-06 form should be uploaded to the CEV Cloud in the respective folder created for the participating NF by using the following link: https://cloud.cev.eu/url/u18ECHs_Accreditation</p>
WEATHER CONDITIONS	<p>Max temperature: 32°C. Min. temperature: 20°C Sunrise: 05:55. Sunset: 18:55.</p>
LOCAL TIME ZONE	GMT + 2
CURRENCY	Euro
TOURIST OFFICE	SPORT TRAVEL LOUTRAKI – events@sport-travel.gr - +30 27440 23999
OTHER	<p>Events website: https://www.cev.eu/beach/age-groups/2022/u18 Facebook link: : https://www.facebook.com/CEVolleyball Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/cevolleyball/</p>